

2009 SOUTH ISLAND FINN AND CANTERBURY LASER CHAMPIONSHIPS

Saturday 7th and Sunday 8th March 2009
Charteris Bay Yacht Club

The Organising Authority is Charteris Bay Yacht Club (Inc).

Notice of Race

1.0 Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing* 2009-2012.
- 1.2 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part 1, shall apply.

2.0 Changes to Racing Rules

None

3.0 Changes to Class Rules

None

4.0 Eligibility and Entry

- 4.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Finn and Laser Classes that comply with the class rules.
- 4.2 Eligible boats may enter prior to the briefing on Saturday 7th March at the Charteris Bay Yacht Club accompanied by a fee of \$40.
- 4.3 To be eligible to compete in this event each competitor shall be a financial member of a club recognised by the competitor's national authority.

5.0 Schedule of Events

- 5.1 Registration:
Registration will take place on Saturday, 7th March 2009 from 09.30 at the Charteris Bay Yacht Club Clubhouse.
- 5.2 Briefing:

Briefing will take place on Saturday, 7th March 2009 at 10.30 hours.

5.3 Racing Schedule:

The scheduled time of the warning signal for Race 1 is 11.25 hours on Saturday 7th March 2009. Race 1 will be followed Back to Back by Race 2 and 3.

The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race on Sunday 8th March 2009 is 12.25 with Races 5 and 6 Back to Back.

6.0 Sailing Instructions

6.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available on completion of registration at Charteris Bay Yacht Club.

7.0 Racing Area

7.1 The races will be held on the waters of Charteris Bay and Lyttelton Harbour.

8.0 Courses to be Sailed

8.1 The courses will be either a windward/leeward course or a triangle and windward/leeward course.

9.0 Scoring

9.1 1 race will be required to be completed to constitute a series.

9.2 No score will be excluded until 4 races have been completed and then a boat's worst score will be excluded.

10.0 Alternative Penalties

10.1 Rule 44.1 and rule 44.2 will apply.

11.0 Team Support Boats

11.1 Team support boats will be allowed.

11.2 Support boats shall keep at least 100 metres from the race area whilst boats are racing.