

2009 NEW ZEALAND FINN CLASS NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

9th to 13th March 2009
Naval Point Club Lyttelton (NPCL)

Commodore

The Naval Point Club Lyttelton welcomes contestants to the 2009 New Zealand Finn Nationals. We particularly welcome those who have travelled from the Auckland region and Dunedin and we appreciate the time and commitment that you and all the contestants have put in to take part in this year nationals.

We look forward to an enjoyable week of competitive sailing.

Phil Folter
Commodore NPCL

Organising committee - Maurice Duncan, Chris Wells, Phil Folter, Ross May

Race Office: Phil Folter

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On the Water Judge: Ross May

Protest Committee: Chairman - Ross May

Measurers: Mathew Wells, Gerrit Bearda

Sponsors: Eureka Trust, 406 Beaconhire, Oborns (spot prizes)

Key Contacts:

- Phil Folter - 027 232 7596
- Chris Wells - 029 977 8844
- Maurice Duncan - 03 332 7661

Suppliers:

The following suppliers have agreed to open on an emergency basis to complete repairs and to provide chandlery:

- Lyttelton Sails – Phil Auger 021-405 456 Naval Point Lyttelton (opposite the yacht club) - sail repairs
- Davie Norris Boat Builders – Davie Norris 03 384 8454, 11 Newton Street, Christchurch - repairs and maintenance
- Oborn's Nautical - Grant Oborn 03 377 1800, 49 Shakespeare Road, Waltham - yacht chandlery and repairs

Other Matter;

- All constants will be required to sign in and sign out when entering and leaving the water.
- Boats can be locked in the clubs secure compound each night after racing – it is not recommend to leave boats unsecured on the rigging area over night.
- Any boats left unsecured on the rigging area are at the owners risk.
- Contestant will need to provide there own lunches during the contest, there will be no catering facilities at Naval Point Club during the period of the contest.

Time Table of Events

Day/ Date	Time	Event	Location
Day 1 – 9 March 2009	0800 – 0930 0900 0930 – 1000 1155	Registration Measuring Welcome/Briefing Race 1 followed by Race 2	Naval Point Club Lyttelton
Day 2 – 10 March 2009	1055 1800 - on	Race 3 - 5 Two races back to back Lunch to be taken between races Annual General Meeting and BBQ (bring your own refreshments and nibbles or salad or dessert – meat will be provided, partners welcome)	Naval Point Club Lyttelton 190c Mt Pleasant Road, Mt Pleasant, Christchurch
Day 3 – 11 March 2009		Reserve day - golf to be arrange if no racing is required and contestants are interested.	TBA
Day 4 – 12 March 2009	1055	Race 6 - 8 Two races back to back Lunch to be taken between races	Naval Point Club Lyttelton
Day 5 – 13 March 2009	1055 At the completion of racing	Race 9 - 11 Two races back to back Lunch to be taken between races Prize Giving <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st Open NZ National Champion • 1st New Zealander • 1st Master (40yrs+ on 9th March 2009) • 1st Grand Master (50yrs - 59yrs on 9 March 2009) • 1st Great Grand Masters (60yrs+ on 9 March 2009) • 1st Junior (under 24yrs on 9th March 2009) • 1st on Handicap 	Naval Point Club Lyttelton
		End of Contest	