



KYC INTERCLUB REGATTA

Saturday 10TH February 2018

Sunday 11TH February 2018

NOTICE OF RACE

1. DATES & VENUE

Racing will take place on 10th and 11th February 2018 on the Knysna lagoon and will begin and end at the Knysna Yacht Club or Committee boat. The Regatta Headquarters will be the Knysna Yacht Club.

2. RULES

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2017-2020, The Equipment Rules of Sailing (ERS) 2017 – 2020, the applicable Class Rules, this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions.

3. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

- Competitors shall comply with the World Sailing (WS) eligibility requirement in accordance with RRS Part 6. All competitors (skipper and crew) shall be members in good standing of a Yacht Club affiliated to and in good standing with SA Sailing. Their Club name and membership details shall be stated on the entry form.
- The regatta is open to all dinghy classes, catamarans and small keelboats. The official SAS boat handicap system, as amended for Estuary conditions, based on Portsmouth Ratings that shall be displayed on the Regatta Notice Board will apply.
- Eligible boats may be entered by completing the attached entry form and sending it, together with the entry fee by **15h00 on 8th February 2018 to:**

The Regatta Secretary
Knysna Yacht Club
Fax 044 3825724
Knysna
Email: accounts@knysnayachtclub.com

- Entries will be accepted up to 1 hour before the scheduled start of a race
- Online Entries available at knysnayachtclub.com or <https://pay.onlines.co.za/kycinterclub>

4. CLASSIFICATION

The Sailor Classification Code as described in WS Regulation 22 shall apply.



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5. ENTRY FEES

The required entrance fees (inclusive of Sat Braai and Sunday Champagne Breakfast) are as follows:

- Single Handed per boat: R250.00
- Double Handed per boat R350.00
- Single Handed Juniors per boat R160.00 (Under 18)
- Double Handed Juniors per boat R 220.00 (Under 18)

Payment may be made via Internet to the Knysna Yacht Club bank account: FNB/RMB. No. 62288441464 Branch 210214 Ref: Surname and Initial. Please send proof of payment with entry form to Regatta Secretary, KYC, Fax: 044 382 5724; email: secretary@knysnayachtclub.com

6. SCHEDULE

- Entries shall be confirmed by registration with the Regatta Secretary at the venue from 09h00 on Saturday 10th February 2018 until 10h30.
- A voluntary skippers briefing is scheduled to take place at 10h30 on Saturday 10th February.
- The first race is scheduled to start at 12h00 on Saturday 10th February 2018. The times for subsequent races will be advised.
- Six races are scheduled, to a maximum of 8 if conditions allow. A minimum of three races is required for a regatta.
- No warning signal will be made after 15h00 on Sunday 11th February 2018.

7. MEASUREMENTS

In terms of the Class rules each boat should have a valid registration/ measurement certificate. Boats without measurement certificates may be subject to random measurement.

8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available from the Regatta Secretary on completion of registration formalities.

9. THE COURSES

Maps of the estuary will be available to view on the Regatta Notice Board.

The courses will be indicated on the Regatta Notice Board.

A board on the back of the committee boat and or Knysna Yacht Club Bridge will display the relevant course to be sailed and will be displayed no later than the warning signal.



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The start and finish lines will either be off the Knysna Yacht Club Bridge or Committee Boat.

10. PENALTY SYSTEM

For all dinghy classes RRS 44.1 and 44.2 shall apply. For catamarans and small keelboats the penalty shall be a 360 degree tack and gybe (one turn penalty)

11. SCORING

- The Low Point System of Appendix A 4.1 will apply.
- Team scoring will be done by means of the Sailwave team scoring facility with the number of boats per team being decided dependent on club entries.
- Keelboats shall not count towards the traditional InterClub or Individual helmsman trophies, though separate trophies will be available for the individual keelboat. If at least three keelboats per club from at least two Clubs, a separate keelboat team trophy shall be presented.
- 2 fleets will be sailed split by class ratings. See sailing instructions.

12. SAFETY

Yachts shall comply with their class buoyancy and safety requirements. All competitors (excl. keelboats) shall wear a personal buoyancy aid at all times while afloat in a yacht capable of supporting a 5Kg. steel weight.

13. RADIO COMMUNICATION

Unless an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones. Keelboats may however make calls for non-racing reasons. Any emergency calls shall be brought to the attention of the Sailing Committee for approval or disqualification.

14. PRIZES

Floating trophies and other prizes will be presented at the Prize Giving which will follow as soon as possible after the last race.

15. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. Neither the Organising Authority nor its officials or other persons associated with the organisation of the



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event will accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

16. INSURANCE

It is suggested that each participating boat be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.

17. ACCOMMODATION

Limited camping is available at the Club, this will be on a first come first served basis.

18. Entertainment, Food and Facilities

The entry fee includes KYC braai pack and salads Saturday 10th February (after sailing) and Champagne breakfast on Sunday morning

The KYC Galley will be open the whole weekend

Friday Supper – A-la-Carte menu – Please book

Saturday Breakfast available from KYC Galley from 08:30
Lunch – A-la-Carte Menu – Please book
Supper – Braai with braai packs – salads and roll included
(Non-competitors may buy packs @ R 80.00 – includes salads and a roll)

Sunday Competitor and other Breakfast from KYC Galley from 08:00
(Non-competitors may buy @ R 60.00)
Lunch – basic menu – Please order early

KYC Galley booking phone number 044 382 0166

19. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact the Regatta Convenor, Andrew Finn (082 556 4604), or Allan Waterston (083 226 6028).