

INTERNATIONAL FORMULA WINDSURFING NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2009

Wednesday 18th February – Sunday 22nd February 2009

Manly Sailing Club, Laurence St, Manly, Whangaparaoa

The Organising Authority is the Manly Sailing Club, PO Box 126
Whangaparaoa.

NOTICE OF RACE

1.0 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part 1, shall apply. Notwithstanding the dispensation granted by Yachting New Zealand, sailboard competitors shall comply with clause 1.
- 1.3 For protests where only a Rule of Part 2 is alleged to have been broken an arbitration hearing will be offered prior to any formal hearing.

2.0 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Advertising will be restricted to Category C.
- 2.2 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3.0 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the International Formula Windsurfing Class.
- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and sending it, together with the required fee, to Formula Windsurfing Nationals, Manly Sailing Club, PO Box 126 Whangaparaoa by 19th January 2009.
- 3.3 Late entries will be accepted under the following conditions: at the Race Committees discretion until 1000hrs on Wednesday 18th February 2009.
- 3.4 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 and members of Windsurfing New Zealand.
- 3.5 Competition for the New Zealand title shall be restricted to New Zealand Citizens.

4.0 FEES

4.1 Required fees are as follows:

Class	Fee
Formula Windsurfer	\$100.00

4.2 Other fees:

Late Entry Fee
Additional \$25.00

5.0 SCHEDULE

5.1 Registration:

Wednesday 18th February 2009
From 0800hrs To 1100hrs Manly Sailing Club

5.2 Briefing:

Wednesday 18th February 2009, Manly Sailing Club
At 1115Hrs

5.3 Measurement and Inspection:

Wednesday 18th February 2009
From 0800hrs To 1100hrs Manly Sailing Club

5.4 Dates of racing:

Date

18 th Feb	racing
19 th Feb	racing
20 th Feb	racing
21 st Feb	racing
22 nd Feb	racing

5.5 Number of races:

Up to 12 races are scheduled and up to 3 races per day may be sailed if required.

- 5.6 The scheduled time of the warning signal for Race 1 is 1300hrs.
- 5.7 The scheduled time of the warning signal on subsequent days is 1100hrs
- 5.8 On Sunday 22nd February 2009 no warning signal will be made after 1455hours.

6.0 MEASUREMENTS

Each board competing may be required to present equipment for measuring at Registration and additional measurement checks may be made throughout the regatta.

7.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available after at Registration.

8.0 VENUE

The races will be held on the waters out from the Manly Sailing Club, Whangaparaoa.

9.0 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be as follows:

Trapezoidal or windward/leeward as generally prescribed in the IFWC Championship Rules.

10.0 PENALTY SYSTEM

- 10.1 The penalties are as follows: Appendix B2.1 shall apply.

11.0 SCORING

- 11.1 The scoring system is as follows: The Alternative system of Appendix B rule B 8.2 will be used.
- 11.2 3 races as per IFWC rule 2.1.3 will be required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 11.3
- (a) When fewer than 4 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
 - (b) When from 4 to 6 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
 - (c) When from 7 to 10 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst two scores.
 - (d) When 11 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her three worst scores.

12 SUPPORT BOATS

Team Support boats will be permitted and must be registered with the Organising Authority at Registration (See 5.1 above)

13 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows: Prizes will be awarded at the discretion of the Organising Committee and allocated on the basis of the numbers of entries in each class and division. The results of the regatta will count towards IFWC rankings.

14 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

15 FURTHER INFORMATION:

For further information please contact: raysmith@xtra.co.nz

Manly Sailing Club
 Entry Form
 International Formula Windsurfing National Championships 2009
 18 – 22 February, 2009.

Organising Authority: Manly Sailing Club, **PO Box 126, Whangaparaoa, Auckland, New Zealand.**

Helmsperson		Crew (N/A)	
First Name		First Name	
Surname		Surname	
ISAF Sailor's Code (if registered)		ISAF Sailor's Code (if registered)	
Gender Male / Female		Gender Male / Female	
Date of Birth <i>Age on 31 Dec 2008.</i>		Date of Birth	
Nationality		Nationality	
Yacht Club		Yacht Club	
Address		Address	
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Email		Email	
Phone - Work	Phone – Home	Phone - Work	Phone – Home
Phone - Mobile	Fax	Phone - Mobile	Fax

I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and all other rules that govern this event. I understand that yacht racing has inherent risks and dangers that are beyond the control of the organizing authority. I understand that neither the organizing authority and its officers, members and servants nor other persons assisting with the conduct of the regatta accept any responsibility in respect of any injury or loss to person or property that may be sustained by reason of participation in the regatta or howsoever arising in connection with the regatta.

I agree to the use of my photograph(s) and other relevant information in any event publicity and in the ongoing promotion of New Zealand yachting. I agree to the Organising Authority and Yachting New Zealand holding the above information for the general administration and well-being of the sport, and for them to retain, use and disclose the information to affiliated organisations and any other persons or organisations that Yachting New Zealand believes will further the interests and objectives of Yachting New Zealand. I acknowledge my right to access to and correction of this information. The consent is given in accordance with the Privacy Act 1993.

Helmsperson's Signature	Crews Signature
Date	Date
Parent/Guardian's Signature (if sailor under 18 years old)	Parent/Guardian's Signature (if sailor under 18 years old)
Date	Date

Enclosures (if stated as required to be presented in Notice of Race)				
Entry Fee	Proof of Club Membership	Proof of Class Assn Membership	Proof of Date of Birth	Measurement / Rating Certificate
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Office Use			
Entry Fee Paid	Cash / Cheque / Eftpos	Date	Comment

