



KERIKERI CRUISING CLUB

RS FEVA NORTHLAND CHAMPIONSHIPS & Open Skiff Regatta

December 14th & 15th 2019

The organising authority is the Kerikeri Cruising Club

NOTICE OF RACE

NB: the notation '(DP)' in a rule in the Notice of Race means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

1. RULES

- 1.1. The Club Champs will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rule of Sailing*.
- 1.2. The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part 1 shall apply.
- 1.3. Appendix T will apply. For protests where only a Rule of Part 2, or Rule 31 is alleged to have been broken, an arbitration hearing will be offered prior to any formal hearing.

2. ADVERTISING

- 2.1. Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority. If the rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies. (DP)

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1. (a) The series is open to all boats of the RS FEVA and Open Skiff classes.

- (b) Club owned boats “ONLY” with non “One Design Hyde Sails” may compete providing the sails used are aligned with the Class Rules.
- 3.2 Eligible boats shall enter via <https://www.registernow.com.au/secure/Register.aspx?E=37024> and completing the online entry form and paying the entry fee of \$60 (RS FEVA) or \$40 (Open Skiff) as described on the website by the closing date 1800hrs 12th December 2019.
- 3.3 Late entries may be accepted with the additional late entry fee of \$20 up until 1800hrs 13th December 2019 at the discretion of the Organising Authority.
- 3.4 The age limits for RS FEVA competitors, entrant and crew members shall be as follows: -

Junior Both sailors Under 13 as at 31 December 2019

Youth Both sailors Under 18 as at 31 December 2019

Open Unrestricted one or both sailors

4. ENTRY FEES

- 4.1. RS FEVA - \$60.00
4.2. Open Bic - \$40.00

5. SCHEDULE

Day	Date	Time	Activities	Race Target Time
Saturday	14 th December	0900 hrs – 1000 hrs 1100 hrs 1 st warning	Registration Sailor Briefing Up to 4 races back to back	35 minutes
Sunday	15 th December	1000 hrs 1100 hrs 1 st warning	Sailor Briefing Up to 4 races back to back	35 minutes

- 5.1 A briefing will be held at 1000 hrs each race day.
5.2 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race each day is 1100 hrs
5.3 No warning signal will be made after 1530 Sunday 15th December

6 MEASUREMENT

- 6.1 All boats shall comply with RRS 78.1 at all times.
6.2 Equipment inspection may take place on Saturday 14th December 0900 hrs – 1000 hrs

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available online from Thursday 6th December 2019

8 VENUE

The racing area is Doves Bay, Kerikeri.

9 THE COURSES

The courses, the order in which marks are to be passed, and the side on which each mark will be advised at the briefing on each Race day

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

10.1. The Scoring Penalty, Rule 44.3, will apply. After a protest a boat that is found at fault may be given a discretionary scoring penalty by the protest committee. The scoring penalty shall be no greater than 30% calculated as stated in Rule 44.3.

11 SCORING

11.1. Eight (8) races are scheduled

11.2. Five (5) races are required to be completed to constitute a series

11.3. a) When fewer than six (6) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores

b) When six (6) to either (8) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score

12 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats are permitted but shall be under the direction of the Race Officer by VHF channel TBA – Briefing will be part of sailors briefing.

13 PRIZES

At the conclusion of series Prizes will be awarded as follows:

RS FEVA

- Youth (age <18) 1st, 2nd, 3rd
- Ladies (age <18) 1st
- Mixed (age <18) 1st
- Junior (age <13) 1st
- Open (age 18+) 1st
- First FEVA Regatta (age <18) 1st youth crew attending their first FEVA Traveller Series event

Open Skiff

- 1st
- 2nd
- 3rd

14 INSURANCE

Each participating boat is encouraged to be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$1,000,000 per incident or the equivalent

15 DISCLAIMER OR LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organising 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.

16 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

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17 SITE MAP

