



NOTICE OF RACE ADMIRAL'S CUP REGATTA 8th – 10th FEBRUARY 2020

The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the NOR means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the international jury or protest committee, be less than disqualification.

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 No national prescriptions will apply.
- 1.3 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will apply.

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies. [DP]

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to boats in the following classes:
 - Optimist Regatta Fleet
 - Optimist Green Fleet
- 3.2 The Organizing Authority reserves the right to amend fleets according to the number of entries, including splitting fleets into a qualifying series for the first two days followed by a final series on the final day.
- 3.3 Optimist Green Fleet competitors shall be born in 2010 or later or this is their first or second regatta. Selection of this fleet is at the discretion of the Organizing Authority.
- 3.4 Optimist Regatta Fleet competitors shall have been born in 2005 or later.
- 3.5 Eligible boats may enter by completing an entry form and sending it to:
Patrick Mcmeekin, Sailing Manager
Royal Varuna Yacht Club, Pratumnak Road, Nongprue, Banglamung, Chonburi, 20150.
e-mail: sailing@varuna.org, Tel: 066 114 3330.
- 3.6 Entries on the day will be accepted.

4 FEES

- 4.1 A 500 BHT entry fee is applicable for each entrant.

5 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 Registration: Entries must be submitted to the Royal Varuna Yacht Club Reception by 10:00 on Sat 8th February 2020.
- 5.2 Dates of Racing:

Date	Class(es)	Briefing	First Warning Signal	Races per Day
Sat 8 th Feb	All classes	10:30	12:00	objective 3
Sun 9 th Feb	All classes	-	11:00	objective 3
Mon 10 th Feb	All classes	-	11:00	objective 3

On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after 15:00.

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 6.1 The Sailing Instructions will be displayed on the official notice board located on the RVYC veranda.

7 VENUE

- 7.1 Racing will take place in the waters immediately off the Royal Varuna Yacht Club.

8 THE COURSES

- 8.1 The courses to be sailed will be displayed on the official notice board. The objective is to use IODA courses for the Regatta Fleet.



9 TIME LIMITS

- 9.1** The time limit for the first boat to finish in each class is 90 minutes.
- 9.2** The time limit for the last boat to finish in each class is 30 minutes after the first boat in that class has finished.

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

- 10.1** Appendix P will apply.

11 SCORING

- 11.1** 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 11.2** (a) When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
(b) When 5 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

12 CHARTER BOATS

- 12.1** Charter boats are available – please contact sailing@varuna.org for details.

13 RADIO COMMUNICATION

- 13.1** Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data transmissions that are not available to all boats. [DP]

14 PRIZES

- 14.1** Prize categories will be posted on the official noticeboard subject to entry.

15 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 15.1** Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 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.

16 FURTHER INFORMATION

- 16.1** For further information please contact Patrick Mcmeekin: e-mail: sailing@varuna.org, Tel: _066 114 3330.

17 ENTRY FORM

- 17.1** Please send your Pre Entry form to Patrick Mcmeekin: e-mail: sailing@varuna.org, Tel: _066 114 3330.

