



NOTICE OF RACE
EASTERN SEABOARD REGATTA
19th – 21st OCTOBER 2019

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
 - Laser 4.7
 - Laser Radial
- 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 2009 or later, and/or novice sailors who have limited regatta experience. Selection of this fleet is at the discretion of the Organizing Authority.
- 3.4 Optimist Regatta Fleet competitors shall have been born in 2004 or later.
- 3.5 Laser 4.7 competitors shall have been born in 2002 or later.
- 3.6 Laser Radial competitors shall have been born in 2001 or later.
- 3.7 Fleets may be combined depending on entries.
- 3.8 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.
- 3.9 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 Fri 19th October.
- 5.2 Dates of Racing:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Class(es)</i>	<i>Briefing</i>	<i>First Warning Signal</i>	<i>Races per Day</i>
Fri 19 th Oct	All classes	10:30	12:00	objective 3
Sat 20 th Oct	All classes	-	11:00	objective 3
Sun 21 st Oct	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.
- 6.2 If there is a conflict between the Sailing Instructions and the Notice of Race, the Notice of Race will take precedence.



7 VENUE

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

THE COURSES

7.2 The courses to be sailed will be displayed on the official notice board.

8 TIME LIMITS

8.1 The time limit for the first boat to finish in each class is 90 minutes.

8.2 The time limit for the last boat to finish in each class is 30 minutes after the first boat in that class has finished.

9 PENALTY SYSTEM

9.1 Appendix P will apply.

10 SCORING

10.1 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

10.2 (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.

11 CHARTER BOATS

11.1 Charter boats are available – please contact sailing@varuna.org for details.

12 RADIO COMMUNICATION

12.1 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]

13 PRIZES

13.1 Prize categories will be posted on the official noticeboard subject to entry.

14 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

14.1 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.

15 FURTHER INFORMATION

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

16 ENTRY FORM

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

