



**THE HEBE HAVEN YACHT CLUB LTD.**  
**MIXED DOUBLES /DOUBLE HANDED RACE 2014**

## **NOTICE OF RACE**

### **1.0 ORGANISING AUTHORITY**

1.1 The Organizing Authority is the Hebe Haven Yacht Club Ltd.

### **2.0 RULES**

2.1 The event will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2013-16.

2.2 The prescriptions of the Hong Kong Sailing Federation will apply, together with;

- The IRC Rules Parts A, B and C, except that IRC Rule 22.4 shall not apply. There will be no limitations on Crew number or weight except as required for boats rated as one-design, which shall comply with IRC Rule 22.4.1;
- The HKPN handicap system, including the HKPN Performance Increased Penalty Scheme, as administered by the HKSF and the HKPN Committee;
- ISAF Special Offshore Regulations Category 5;
- Hebe Haven Yacht Club Standard Sailing Instructions (May 2013);
- This Notice of Race and the Mixed Doubles/ Double Handed race 2014 Sailing Instructions.  
Succeeding items in the above list will take precedence.

The Race Committee reserves the right to modify this Notice of Race. Any modification will be notified to Race Competitors.

### **3.0**

#### **ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

##### **3.1 The Event is open to:**

- All monohull boats of the Big Boat Class holding a valid IRC rating. Should there be sufficient entries; the Class may be sub-divided into divisions based on suitable rating bands.
- All boats of the Big Boat Class holding a valid HKPN rating.

Should there be insufficient entries in the classes to form a Class; the Race Committee may incorporate boats into other classes where possible.

##### **3.2 DIVISIONS:**

A yacht may enter the Mixed Doubles Division if it has a minimum and maximum number of two persons on board, one male and one female.

A yacht may enter the Double Handed Division if it has a minimum and maximum of two persons on board, of the same gender.

### **4.0**

#### **FEES**

4.1 There is no fee for this race



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### 5.0 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 There will be one race
- 5.2 The scheduled time for the first warning signal will be at 10.55 on Sunday 19th January 2014
- 5.3 The proposed starting sequence for all classes/divisions will be included in the Sailing Instructions or will be posted on the notice board at HHYC and the Club's website before noon 18th January 2014.

### 6.0 ENTRY

- 6.1 Entries should be made online at [www.hhyc.org.hk](http://www.hhyc.org.hk) by 12:00 on Thursday 16h January 2014.  
This will assist the Race Committee to organize a fair split of classes into divisions. Late entries may also be made on the water on the day of racing by hailing the Committee Boat.

### 7.0 SAFETY REGULATIONS

- 7.1 All Boats, must comply with ISAF Offshore Special Regulations Appendix J, Category 5. Sportsboat class has dispensation for Clause 3.23.5 (e) of Part B of these Regulations. The Race Committee accepts no liability resulting from this dispensation and reminds competitors of their responsibility under Clauses M&Q, Part I, of the Hebe Haven Standard Sailing Instructions

### 8.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 8.1 The sailing instructions will be available by 12:00 noon on 14th January 2014 on the Club website and in the Main Bar of Hebe Haven Yacht Club.

### 9.0 VENUE

- 9.1 The Racing will take place in the vicinity of Port Shelter and outlying islands.