

HEBE HAVEN **SLAM** OPEN DINGHY REGATTA 2016

SATURDAY 28th MAY & SUNDAY 29 MAY 2016

SAI KUNG, HONG KONG

ORGANISING AUTHORITY: HEBE HAVEN YACHT CLUB

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2. Competitors shall wear personal flotation devices at all times while afloat, except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment.
- 1.3. The prescriptions of the Hong Kong Sailing Federation will apply.

2. ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3. CAMERAS AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT

Boats may be required to carry cameras, sound equipment or positioning equipment as specified by the organizing authority. Information from this equipment shall not be used by a boat as evidence in a hearing. This changes rule 63.6.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1. The regatta is open to all boats of the following classes:

Single handed: Optimist
Laser Pico
Laser 4.7
Laser Radial
Laser Standard

Double handed: 420
470
Laser Bahia
Laser Pico with jib

A minimum of 3 entries is required for each class.

- 4.2. Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and sending it, together with the required fee by 1800hr on Wednesday 25th May 2016 to Hebe Haven Yacht Club, Sail Training Centre, 10.5 miles Hiram's Highway, Pak Sha Wan, Sai Kung, Hong Kong, email sailadmin@hhyc.org.hk
- 4.3. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the organizing authority.

5. FEES

	Entry fee	Late entry fee
Single Handed	HKD 350	HKD 525
Double Handed	HKD 500	HKD 750

6. SCHEDULE

6.1.Registration: Saturday 28th May 2016, 0900hr-1030hr

6.2.Schedule:

Saturday 28th May 2016	1200hr Racing
Sunday 29th May 2016	1200hr Racing

6.3.Six races are scheduled for all classes

6.4.Not more than four races will be sailed on each day.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available from Friday 27 May 2016 from the race office.

8. VENUE

8.1.The race office will be at the Hebe Haven Yacht Club

8.2.The racing area will be in the vicinity of Port Shelter and the outside of Shelter Island

9. THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be described in the sailing instructions.

10.PENALTY SYSTEM

Rule 44.1, scoring penalty will apply

11.SCORING

11.1.4 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.2.(a) When fewer than 3 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

(b) When 3 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

12.SUPPORT BOATS

12.1.Support shall display identification of the club they represent

13.CHARTER BOATS

The following boats are available for charter on a first come-first serve basis:

CLASS	CHARTER FEE	
	Members	Non-members
Laser Bahia	HKD 520	HKD 650
Laser Pico	HKD 280	HKD 350
Laser Pico with jib	HKD 360	HKD 450

A refundable damage deposit of HKD 500 is payable in cash upon issue of each charter boat

14.BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the boat park.

15. RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

16. PRIZES

Optimist Overall	1 st to 5 th
Optimist (Girls)	1 st to 3 rd
Optimist under 10	1 st to 5 th
Laser Pico	1 st to 3 rd
Laser 4.7	1 st to 3 rd
Laser Radial	1 st to 3 rd
Laser Standard	1 st
420	1 st to 3 rd
470	1 st to 3 rd
Laser Bahia	1 st to 3 rd
Laser Pico with jib	1 st to 3 rd

17. 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.

18. INSURANCE

All boats competing shall carry current third party property insurance cover and third party personal liability insurance cover valid in Hong Kong. The minimum third party personal liability cover shall be at least HK\$1 million per incident. Proof of insurance shall be available for inspection if requested.

19. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information about the regatta, please contact Hebe Haven Yacht Club, Sail Training Centre, 10.5 miles Hiram's Highway, Pak Sha Wan, Sai Kung, Hong Kong, email sailadmin@hhyc.org.hk, Tel 27190926