









NOTICE OF RACE

2017 Ronstan Victorian Tasar Championships

11th - 13th March 2017

Organised by Sorrento Sailing Couta Boat Club in conjunction with the Victorian Tasar Class Association (Association)

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)
- 1.2. Australian Sailing Special Regulations Part 2 Off the Beach boats shall apply
- 1.3. Appendix T Arbitration will apply.
- 1.4. Class rule C6.2 is changed as follows:
 - C.6.2 In the event that the weight of the crew, weighed as per C.6.1, shall be less than 130 kg, such crew may race the TASAR, provided that, throughout the event, additional ballast is carried secured in the cockpit. Such ballast shall be equal in weight to the difference between the crew weight and 130 kg, or a maximum of 4kg, whichever is the lesser.
- 1.5. The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions, and supplementary sailing instructions that will be on the official notice board located at http://www.sscbc.com.au/tasars

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. Boats may be entered by a crew who is a member of the Association or other regional Tasar Association by agreeing to the <u>conditions of entry</u> paying the entry fee and completing the entry form, which contains other conditions and an alert about the risks of sailing which the person entering the boat, must agree to <u>ENTER HERE</u>
- 3.2. Boats will be required to submit the Class Rules and Regatta Declaration before registration. (online form)

4. FEES

Early-Bird entry - \$140 Late Entry Fee \$160 Includes Skipper and Crew welcome dinner tickets (Additional tickets Adult \$20, Child Under 10 \$15)

FORMAT

Up to 8 races will be conducted in sessions.

6. SCHEDULE

Fri 3 Mar 2017	24:00 hrs.	Early Bird entry closes
Sat 11 Mar 2017	10:00 - 11:45 hrs.	Registration
	12:00 hrs.	Competitor Information Session
	14:00 hrs.	First Warning Signal – Session 1
	After racing	Welcome Dinner
Sun 12 Mar 2017	12:00 hrs.	First Warning Signal – Session 2
Mon 13 Mar 2017	11:00 hrs.	First Warning Signal – Session 3
	14:00 hrs.	Approx. Latest Warning Signal
	ASAP hrs	Presentations

7. MEASUREMENT

7.1. A boat shall comply with RRS 78.1 at registration. In addition the equipment listed in the class rules and regatta declaration may be inspected or measured at any time.

8. VENUE

Sorrento Sailing Couta Boat Club, 3154 Point Nepean Rd, Sorrento VIC 3943

9. THE COURSES

Triangle Courses will be in the Supplementary Sailing Instructions.

10. SCORING

- 10.1. 3 races are required to constitute a series.
- 10.2. Each boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores, excluding her worst score once 5 races are completed.

11. SUPPORT PERSONS

Support persons who are not SSCBC members will be granted honorary membership on regatta days and are required to abide by the Rules and Codes of SSCBC and Australian Sailing.

12. RADIO COMMUNICATION

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

13. PRIZES

All boats will race together in a single fleet. Trophies will be awarded based on the scores that are achieved in the fleet as a whole. Trophies will be awarded as follows:

- Top 3 place getters overall
- Masters Champion (combined age 80+ years and less than 100 years)
- Grand Masters Champion (combined age 100+ years and less than 120 years)
- Super Grand Masters Champion (combined age 120+ years)
- First Junior Helm (helm under the age of 19 years)
- Most improved from previous year's Victorian State Title results

(All ages are calculated on the day of the first scheduled race.)

Additional trophies will be awarded at the discretion of The Tasar Association of Victoria Inc.

14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. Neither the Organizing Authority nor it's in conjunction partners will accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

15. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$5,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.

16. FURTHER INFORMATION

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There is lots of useful information on the regatta page www.sscbc.com.au\tasars

17. AMENDMENTS

17.1. Any amendment to this Notice of Race will be posted on the same SSCBC website page as this NOR.