

Symmetrical Spinnaker Challenge



NOTICE OF RACE

(12th FDs only) 13th – 14th March 2021

The FDs are the only class sailing on Friday 12/3/2021 as part of their Australian Championships. Organised by Sorrento Sailing Couta Boat Club in conjunction with the Victorian Flying Dutchman Association, Fireball Association, Victorian 505 fleet and The Sharpies
Regatta page <https://sscbc.com.au/symmetrical21/>

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing and Australian Sailing Special Regulations Part 2 Off the Beach Boats.
- 1.2. Appendix S: Standard Sailing Instruction and Appendix T; Arbitration will apply
- 1.3. Changes to rules that will be detailed in full in the sailing instructions include:

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. Boats may be entered by members of their class Association by agreeing to the [conditions of entry](#), 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 [ENTER HERE](#)

3. FEES

- 3.1. The Flying Dutchman entry fee is \$150 per boat entered by Sunday 28/2/2021
- 3.2. The entry fee is \$100 per boat entered by Sunday 28/2/2021
- 3.3. An additional \$50 late entry fee will apply to each boat entered after Sunday 28/2/2021
- 3.4. Entry closes at 5 pm Thursday 11/2/2021

4. SCHEDULE and FORMAT

- 4.1. Racing will be conducted in sessions, 3-4 shorter races per day are planned depending upon weather conditions and forecast.
- 4.2. Presentations will be held each day after racing.

Fri 12/3/2021	10:30 – 12:00	Regatta Office Opens
FD Only	12:30	Information session
	14:00	Session 1 1 st Warning Signal Dinner (at members prices)
Sat 13/3/2021	09:00 – 10:15	Regatta Office Opens
	10:30	Information session
	12:00	Session 1 1 st Warning Signal Dinner (at members prices)
Sun 14/3/2021	10:00	Session 2 1 st Warning Signal Latest warning signal is approx. 14:00

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 5.1. 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 Regatta Office.

6. MEASUREMENT AND INSPECTION

- 6.1. Boats shall hold a valid measurement certificate and sails shall have been measured.
- 6.2. Boats may be inspected for compliance with Safety Regulations and Class Rules at any time.

7. VENUE

- 7.1. [Sorrento Sailing Couta Boat Club](#), 3154 Point Nepean Rd, Sorrento VIC 3943

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8. RACE AREA and COURSES

- 8.1. Off the club as detailed in the Sailing Instructions.

9. SCORING

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Boats will be scored using YV Handicaps.

To be a scored in a Class Team a class must have at least 3 entries.

Class Team scores will be the combined series scores equal to the number of boats in the smallest class less one.

- 9.2. Each class will also be scored as a separate class and series excluding a boat's worst score once 4 races are completed.
- 9.3. An accessible sub division will also be scored where boats get an extra drop each day – so they can go in after three races if that suits them.
- 9.4. 3 races must be completed to constitute a series.

10. SUPPORTERS

- 10.1. Supporters 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 and comply with any reasonable request from the Race Committee, including maintaining separation from boats racing and supporting rescues of other boats where required if afloat.

11. PRIZES

- 11.1. Class Prizes will be awarded by the Associations

11.2. Symmetrical Spinnaker Challenge

1st, 2nd and 3rd Prizes

Team Score Perpetual Trophy

Class Series

1st, 2nd and 3rd Prizes

Class Perpetual Trophies

12. INSURANCE

- 12.1. Each boat shall be insured with third party liability insurance of at least \$5,000,000 per incident.

13. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 13.1. 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.

14. FURTHER INFORMATION

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15. AMENDMENTS

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