



NOTICE OF RACE

International OK Dinghy Interdominion & Australian Championships.

Sunday 6th to Friday 11th January, 2008

**The Organizing Authority is Black Rock Yacht Club Inc.
Black Rock, Melbourne, Australia.**

1.0 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the Prescriptions of Yachting Australia (YA), Part 2 of the Special Regulations of YA, and the Class Rules of the International OK Dinghy Class

2.0 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats complying with International OK Dinghy Class.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter on the attached Entry Form, which shall be lodged with:-BRYC
PO Box 12
Black Rock
VIC 3193
Or entry by email :- aus719tge@dialix.com.au
Or Fax BRYC :- 03 9521 0363
- 2.3 Entries must be lodged by 20th Dec 2007 accompanied by the entry fee.
Late entries may be accepted up to 6th Jan 2008 with an additional late entry fee.

3.0 FEES

- 3.1 The entry fee is A\$150.
- 3.2 The late entry fee is A\$175.
If paying by **Internet banking** note the following details, (who to send it to) :-
Bank :- Commonwealth Bank
Account name:- Black Rock Yacht Club Inc.
BSB:- 063220
Account No :- 00102627
In payment "description" type :- Your Name and Boat Name/Sail Number

4.0 PROPOSED REGATTA SCHEDULE

Sunday 6 th January 2008	Registration & Measurement 0900 - 1330 Practice Race 1425 Warning Signal Welcome night
Monday 7 th January	Race 1 1325 Warning signal Race 2 ASAP after previous race.
Tuesday 8 th January	Race 3 1200 Warning signal. Race 4 ASAP after previous race
Wednesday 9 th January	Lay day Riverboat cruise on the Yarra refer web site.
Thursday 10 th January	Race 5 1200 Warning signal. Race 6 ASAP after previous race
Friday 11 January	Resail if required. Race 7 1200 Warning signal No Race to be started after 3.00pm Presentation of prizes.

5.0 MEASUREMENT

Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate at registration. All boats are to be made available for a measurement check during measurement time. Measurement checks and inspections may be made at any time.

6.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available at registration.

7.0 VENUE

On the waters of Port Phillip off Black Rock Yacht Club.

8.0 COURSES

The course shall be Windward / Leeward and/or triangles, as described in the sailing instructions for a duration of approximately 60 – 80 minutes.

9.0 SCORING

9.1 **Four (4)** races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

9.2 When **four (4)** or **five (5)** races have been completed, a boats series score will be the total of her race scores.

9.3 When **six (6)** or more races have been completed, a boats series score will be the total of her race scores, excluding her worst score.

9.4 The teams to compete for the Interdominion Teams Championship will be the top scoring 5 boats from each competing country. If either country enters less than five boats, the size of the teams will be the number of entries from that country, except if either country enters less than three boats there will be no Interdominion Team contest. The winner of the Interdominion Teams Championship shall be the team who has the lowest total series score, calculated as the aggregate of the final series scores for all members of the team. The final series score for each team member shall be the series score after discards.

10.0 PRIZES

National Champion

Interdominion Champion

Junior National Champion

Veteran Champion over 40 as the 1st Jan 2008 (40-54)

Masters Champion over 55 as at 1st Jan 2008

Interdominion Team Champion (Australia vs New Zealand)

11.0 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organising 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.

12.0 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of **A\$5,000,000**.

13.0 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please event website

<http://www.bryc.yachting.org.au/OK>

14.0 AMENDMENTS

Any amendments to this Notice of Race will be posted on the following Web Site before the 30th October 2007.

<http://www.bryc.yachting.org.au/OK>