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## 18 & 19 February 2017

Davey's Bay YC (Mt Eliza) invites junior sailors to two days of fun, encouragement & inspiration on- & off-water. An **inspirational junior coaching weekend**, the *'iSail Lidgett Trophy'* offers coaching & racing for "advanced", "intermediate", "novice blue" & "novice green" sailors in Minnows, Sabots & Optimists.

*The event is not a beginner / introductory 'learn-to-sail' activity. Novices should have sailed previously. All entrants receive an event participation memento.*

## NOTICE OF RACE

*V2.0 (Entries Open) - prepared 31 January 2017*

Organising Authority Davey's Bay Yacht Club, with support of Victorian Sabot Sailing, Minnow and Int'l Optimist Dinghy Associations and Royal Brighton and Mornington Yacht Clubs  
Hosted by: Davey's Bay Yacht Club (**DBYC**).

**Saturday 18 February 2017** - Registration, Coaching, Racing & Dinner  
**Sunday 19 February 2017** - Coaching, Racing & Presentation



## 1. RULES

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *World Sailing Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020 (RRS)*. The Novice (Blue & Green) fleets will race under the World Sailing Introductory Racing Rules as attached to the Sailing Instructions.

The regatta is a training event for the purpose of coaching junior sailors and will be conducted with official coaches who will run on- and off-water coaching with the aim of improving sailing and racing skills.

Each class association and club may be asked to assist with the allocation of entrants into 'Advanced', 'Intermediate', 'Novice Blue' and 'Novice Green' fleets prior to event to make use of coaching time available. DBYC reserves the right to change an entrant in a fleet to a different fleet.

**Entries are strictly limited. DBYC reserves the right to refuse any entry for any reason. The iSail Lidgett Trophy is a coaching/training regatta, not a beginner learn-to-sail program.**

## 2. ALTERATIONS OF CLASS RULES & RACING RULES

Class Rules referred to in this Notice of Race are the rules in effect after the class' last AGM prior to 1st Feb 2016. The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) may be modified.

## 3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 Eligibility - *This regatta is **not** a beginner / introductory learn-to-sail program.*

The iSail Lidgett Trophy and Junior Training Weekend (**iSail Lidgett Trophy**) is open to:

- Minnows helms who are 16 or under on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the event.
- Optimist helms who are 15 or under on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the event.
- Sabot helms (*single handed only*) that meet requirements for competitors of National Sabot Council Constitution and who's 16<sup>th</sup> birthday will fall on or after 1<sup>st</sup> July prior to event.
- OziOpti training boats ONLY by invitation in Novice Green fleet. Invitations issued solely by DBYC in its discretion by Kate Harper [kate@klhagencies.com.au](mailto:kate@klhagencies.com.au) or 0402 339 266. Max 10 entries. Sail must carry full size sail number & club initials. Crew shall be 14 or under on 1<sup>st</sup> day of event.

A minimum of five entries required in each class, except Ozi-Opti which shall be at DBYC's discretion.

Every Sabot, Minnow & Optimist shall:

- Be entered and crewed by financial members of a Yacht Club recognised by its state or territory yachting authority (**Yacht Club**) and the relevant Member Association (**MA**);
- Complete and have a parent or guardian sign the 'Conditions of Entry & Safety Self-Check'; and
- Hold & have available for inspection a valid measurement certificate issued by the relevant MA.

3.2 Entry - Eligible yachts may only enter & pay at [www.dbyc.com.au/isail-lidgett-trophy.html](http://www.dbyc.com.au/isail-lidgett-trophy.html) using official online entry system. Entries shall be subject to this Notice of Race and the Conditions of Entry. An entry shall only be complete upon receipt by DBYC at registration of an 'Conditions of Entry & Safety Self-check' signed by a parent or guardian. Crew shall not change without prior written permission from Race Committee. Online entry and payment should be made by Mon 6 Feb 2016. Please note a limit on entry numbers applies and entries will close when limit is reached. Entries lodged after Mon 6 Feb shall pay an additional fee. Entries not accepted after 0930hrs Sat 18/2/17.

3.3 Entry Disclaimer - It is the Competitor's decision to enter the Regatta or to start in any race. Competitors shall accept that their participation in the Regatta is at their sole exclusive risk in every respect. By way of entry to the Regatta competitors shall indemnify Davey's Bay Yacht Club Inc. A0027135D ABN 17 245 667 668 of Davey's Bay, Mount Eliza, Victoria, 3930 (**DBYC**); Yachting Victoria, the various Yacht Clubs assisting with Race Management (Yacht Clubs), Class Associations and event sponsors and each of their officers, members, volunteers and agents (together '**Organisers**') in respect of all claims and demands of whatever nature which may be made upon them in connection with or howsoever arising from their participation or intended participation in the Regatta. Competitors shall acknowledge that whilst safety checks may be carried out from time to time during the regatta that sole responsibility for the suitability of the boat and equipment lies with the competitor and that the Organisers accept no responsibility in respect of loss of life, personal injury or loss or damage to property which may be sustained by reason of their participation or intended participation in the Regatta or howsoever arising in connection with this event. The competitor's attention is drawn to RRS Fundamental Rule 4.

3.4 Insurance - All boats shall have third party insurance cover of not less than \$AUD 1,000,000 (recommend \$AUD 10,000,000, or the equivalent thereof in any other convertible currency) for any accident. All owners / competitors who sign the entry forms are deemed to have made a declaration that they hold such cover. Owners/competitors not holding this cover shall withdraw their entry. The skipper of each boat must be able to display proof of cover if requested to do so.

## 4. ENTRY FEES

- \$65 incl GST per sailor for registrations on or before 1700 hrs Monday 6 February 2017.  
(NOTE: Due to a strict limit on entry numbers for safety reasons, in past years entries have closed prior to the 'early entry' deadline)
- \$90 incl GST per sailor for registrations after Monday 6 February 2017.

## 5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

<i>Date 2017</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Time (Warning Signal)</i>
Fri 17 Feb	<b>Competitor</b> Registration	Junior Club House	1600 – 1900 hrs
Sat 18 Feb	<b>Competitor</b> Registration & Inspections	Junior Club House	0800 - 0930 hrs
	Coach & Power Boat Driver Registration	Under Club <i>West end</i>	0815 – 0900 hrs
	Coach & Power Boat Driver Briefing	Under Club <i>West end</i>	0900 – 0930 hrs
	<b>Competitor</b> Briefing	Rear Lawn	1000 hrs
	<b>Competitor</b> Coaching Session	On-water	1015 – 1230 hrs
	Race Management Briefing	DBYC Tower Mtg Rm	1230 hrs
	<b>Competitor</b> Racing Information Session	Rear Lawn	1300 hrs
	<b>Races</b> back to back (target 3 – 5 races)	On-Water	1355 hrs
	BBQ	Rear Lawn	After Racing /1800 hrs
Sun 19 Feb	Coach & Power Boat Driver Briefing	Under Club <i>West end</i>	0830 hrs
	<b>Competitor</b> Coaching Session	On-water	0900 - 1230 hrs
	Race Management Briefing	DBYC Tower Mtg Rm	1100 hrs
	<b>Competitor</b> Racing Information Session	Rear Lawn	1300 hrs
	<b>Races</b> back to back (target 2 – 4 races)	On-Water	1355 hrs
	Presentation	Rear Lawn	After Racing

## 6. MEASUREMENT & SAFETY SELF-CHECK

Random measurement checks may be carried out at Race Committee's discretion. All boats must:

- Complete a 'Safety Self-check' that is signed by the skipper's parent or guardian; and
- Have available a current measurement certificate for inspection if requested (except OziOpti training boats).

## 7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be posted on [www.dbyc.com.au](http://www.dbyc.com.au). A copy may be posted on the official notice board.

## 8. REGATTA SITE, REGISTRATION, RACING AREA & COURSE

The regatta site will be at the Davey's Bay Yacht Club. Registration will be in the junior club house. The racing area will be on Port Phillip off Davey's Bay. The courses will be set on Port Phillip off Davey's Bay using a windward/leeward configuration. Courses will be kept short to allow as many races as possible to be completed. This will be defined in detail in the Sailing Instructions.

## 9. SCORING & PRIZES

The iSail Lidgett Trophy training regatta will consist of up to **eight** races of which **three** races shall be completed to constitute a series. Each boat's series score will be the total of her race scores, except if **four** or more races are completed she may discard her worst score and if **eight** races are completed she may discard her worst two scores, except when prohibited in **A4.2**. The lowest series score wins.

Trophies will be awarded based on the number of entries in a category (e.g. Nov Blue Optimist), as follows:

- Five (5) or more entries in a category = 1st (*incl. Perpetual Trophy for Advanced fleets*), 2nd & 3rd place.
- Three (3) or four (4) entries in a category = 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Less than three (3) entries in a category = No trophies will be awarded.

Other encouragement trophies will be awarded at the discretion of the race committee.

## 10. SUPPORT BOATS & ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION

All power boats must register with Organising Authority (*by emailing Peter Danks [peter@efg.com.au](mailto:peter@efg.com.au) prior to event*), assist the organising authority with coaching and safety matters and at all times when afloat use a 'kill switch', carry a VHS Radio and display prominently / carry the numbered identification flag and safety buoys issued by DBYC. All drivers must have a current power boat operators license, attend Power Boat Driver briefings (refer item 5 Schedule) and monitor Channel 72 (unless advised otherwise by DBYC).

Unless directed by the race committee, team leaders, coaches and other support personnel whilst afloat shall not enter the course area, starting area, finishing area or go closer than 100 metres to any boat racing between the first Preparatory signal for the first class to start and when the last boat finishes inclusive or the race committee signals a postponement or abandonment, except for accredited regatta coach boats or in boats provided by the organising authority or when requested by the Race Committee. The penalty for failing to comply with this requirement may, after protest, be the disqualification of all boats associated with the infringing support personnel.

A boat, whilst racing, shall neither make nor receive Electronic Communications (incl. mobile phones), unless the communication is for safety purposes.

## 11. BOAT ACCESS TO DBYC: ENTRANTS ENCOURAGED TO DELIVER BOATS SUN12 & FRI 17 FEB

Access via Davey's Bay Rd, turn right into Marathon Dve & through stone gates into Brookwood Drive, on:

- Sun 12 Feb 2017 b/n 0900hrs and 1800hrs, subject to tidal conditions (low @ 1125 hrs / high 1625 hrs).
- Fri 17 Feb 2017 b/n 1600hrs and 1900hrs, subject to tidal conditions (low @ 1425 hrs / high 2032 hrs).
- Sat 18 Feb 2017 from 0800hrs, subject to tidal conditions (high @ 0835 hrs / low @ 1511 hrs).

Boats may be left at DBYC after the regatta and picked up the following weekend by arrangement.