



2016 – 2017
NSW AND ACT DISTRICT LASER
ASSOCIATION

LASER, LASER RADIAL AND LASER 4.7
NSW COAST CHAMPIONSHIP

22nd and 23rd October 2016
South Lake Macquarie Amateur Sailing
Club

NOTICE OF RACE

The Organising Authority is the South Lake Macquarie Amateur Sailing Club in association with the NSW & ACT District Laser Association

1. RULES

The Championship will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing, and the Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Australian Sailing.

2. ELIGIBILITY

All competitors shall be financial members of a District of the ILCA and of a Yacht or Sailing Club affiliated with a National Authority. Eligibility for age groups shall be the age on 22nd October 2016.

3. ENTRIES

- 3.1 Entries on the attached entry form, or on-line at www.laser.asn.au, together with the entry fee should reach the Regatta Secretary by 22nd October 2016.
- 3.2 Beach entries may be accepted up until 1130 hours Saturday 22nd October 2016.

4. FEES

Entry fee schedule:

- \$60.00 per boat for sailors aged over 21
- \$30.00 per boat for sailors aged under 21

5. SCHEDULE

- 5.1 A maximum of six races are scheduled for the Championship.
- 5.2 No Warning Signal shall be hoisted after 1530 hrs on the Sunday 23rd October 2016.

5.3 Championship Schedule:

Day	Date	Event	Time
Sat	22 Oct	Registration	0930 – 1130 hrs
Sat	22 Oct	Briefing	1130 hrs
Sat	22 Oct	Racing	First Warning Signal 1330 hrs. Subsequent starts shall be made ASAP after the preceding race
Sun	23 Oct	Racing	First Warning Signal 1100 hrs. Subsequent starts shall be made ASAP after the preceding race

6. MEASUREMENT

Each skipper shall be responsible for ensuring that their yacht and equipment comply with the ILCA rules and the Yachting Australia Special Regulations. The Organising Authority reserves the right to inspect any yacht at any time during the Regatta.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Will be available on the regatta website www.laser.asn.au and at registration.

8. REGATTA VENUE

The Regatta venue is shown in Illustration A. South Lake Macquarie Amateur Sailing Club (<http://www.slmasc.org>) is located at 1A Sunshine Parade, Sunshine, NSW, 2264.

9. RACING AREA

The racing area will be the waters of Lake Macquarie in the vicinity of South Lake Macquarie Amateur Sailing Club.

10. CLASSES AND DIVISIONS

- 10.1 Classes and Divisions are as described in the Entry Form.
- 10.2 There will be a separate start for each of Standard, Radial and 4.7 Classes, providing there is a minimum of eight entries to the Class.

Class starts may be further split depending on the number of competitors.

11. COURSES

The courses shall be inner and outer loop trapezoids as described in the Sailing Instructions.

12. SCORING

Six races are scheduled, of which three shall be completed to constitute a series. When four or more races are completed, the worst will be discarded. All Division prizes will be awarded based on the ranking of competitors in the overall results of the applicable Class.

13. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to the winners of each Division. Other prizes may also be awarded at the discretion of the Organising Authority.

14. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with a valid third party liability insurance with cover of not less than \$AUS 10,000,000.

15. DISCLAIMER AND RISK WARNING

All those taking part in this Regatta do so at their own risk and responsibility. By entering competitors acknowledge the accompanying NSW/ACT District Laser Association Risk Warning. Attention is drawn to Fundamental Rule 4 Decision to Race "A boat is solely responsible for deciding whether or not to start or to continue racing". The NSW and ACT District Laser Association, South Lake Macquarie Amateur Sailing Club, their officers, and the Regatta officials, volunteers and sponsors do not accept any liability for the material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior, during or after the regatta. The Organising Authority reserves the right to refuse an entry.

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ENTRY FORM
(Please print clearly in Block Letters)

Sail No. _____

Boat Name _____

Skipper _____

Club _____

Skipper's Age _____ (For Championship. See NoR 2)

Classes / Divisions (please circle applicable category):

STANDARD	RADIAL	4.7
Open	Open	Open
U21	U19	U18
Apprentice	Apprentice	U16
Master	Master	Women
Grand Master	Grand Master	
Great Grand Master	Great Grand Master	
	Women	

Address _____

Phone _____ (w) _____ (h)

Mob _____ email _____

I agree to be bound by The Racing Rules of Sailing and all other rules that govern this event

Signed _____ Date _____

For sailors under 18 on 22nd October 2016, parent of guardian to sign below:

Parent or Guardian _____ Date _____

Please return, with appropriate fee by 11.30am on 21st October 2016 to:

Regatta Secretary NSW & ACT District Laser Association
PO Box 5242,
Greenwich NSW 2065

Entry Fees:

\$60.00 for sailors aged over 21

\$30 for sailors aged under 21

Entry Fee by Funds Transfer

Please transfer funds to;

Account Name: NSW & ACT District Laser Association

BSB: 032021 Account Number: 681489. Please quote your name and sail number as references

Entry Fee by Cheque

Please make cheque payable to;

NSW & ACT District Laser Association

Entry on line

Please go to www.laser.asn.au and follow the Enter link

Illustration A Regatta Venue



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Sunshine, NSW, 2264
02 4970 5118
<http://www.slmasc.org>

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