

# 2021 HKSF Selection Regatta

**4 & 5 August**

**Organised by the Hong Kong Sailing Federation (HKSF)**

**Little Palm Beach Sailing Centre, Hong Kong**

***(Revised on 22 July 2021)***

## NOTICE OF RACE

The notation [DP] in a rule in the Notice of Race (NoR) means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

### 1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) including the HKSF Prescriptions.
- 1.2 Personal Flotation Devices (PFDs) in good serviceable condition shall be worn at all times whilst on the water except briefly while adjusting clothing or personal equipment. [DP]

### 2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Boats may be required to display bow numbers and advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies. [DP]
- 2.2 Boats intending to display advertising on their hulls, sails and/or spars shall supply a copy of their national authority license to the race committee prior to the first race sailed.

### 3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to **29er**, **Laser 4.7** and **Laser Radial dinghy** sailors with an affiliation to a Hong Kong association or club recognized by HKSF.
- 3.2 Competitors shall be under the age of 19 years on 31 December 2021.
- 3.3 Eligible sailors may enter by completing the online form on the event page on the HKSF website ([www.sailing.org.hk](http://www.sailing.org.hk)) accompanied by the entry fee, no later than Friday **30 July 2021**.
- 3.4 Late entries may be accepted at the sole discretion of the organizing authority up **until Monday 2 August 2021**.
- 3.5 No entries will be accepted at the regatta venue.

Organizer:



## 4 FEES

4.1 Required fees are as follows:

<i>Class</i>	<i>Entry Fee</i>
29er	HK\$300
Laser 4.7 & Radial	HK\$200

4.2 If a late entry is accepted, there will be a 100% additional premium on the entry fee.

## 5 SCHEDULE

5.1 The schedule is as follows:

<b>Wednesday 4 August</b>	Registration:	08:00 – 09:00
	Briefing:	09:15
	Racing, first warning signal:	10:55
<b>Thursday 5 August</b>	Racing, first warning signal:	10:55

5.2 Four races are scheduled for each day. The starts for each day's subsequent races will follow as soon as possible after completion of the previous race. A maximum of 8 races will be sailed. Boats should not leave the racing area until they have been advised by the race committee that there will be no further races on the day.

## 6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions (SIs) will be available by **Monday 2 August 2021** at [www.sailing.org.hk](http://www.sailing.org.hk).

## 7 VENUE

7.1 The regatta venue will be the HKSF Little Palm Beach Sailing Centre, Sai Kung, Hong Kong.

7.2 Racing will take place in Port Shelter (Ngau Mei Hoi) waters, normally to the north and west of Shelter Island (Ngau Mei Chau). If necessary to ensure good and fair racing, the race area may be transferred to the south and east of Shelter Island.

## 8 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be windward/leeward and/or trapezoid courses.

## 9 PENALTY SYSTEM

For the 29er class, RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

Organizer:



## **10 SCORING**

10.1 Three races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

10.2 (a) When fewer than five races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

(b) When from five or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

## **11 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]

## **12 PRIZES**

Prizes will be presented to the first boat in each class.

## **13 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. The organizing 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.

## **14 INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance of at least the minimum cover required by HKSAR law.

## **15 FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information please contact the HKSF Secretariat by tel. no. 2504 8159 or at email address: [admin@sailing.org.hk](mailto:admin@sailing.org.hk).

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