

# NOTICE OF RACE

For the  
**Club Marine 20<sup>th</sup> South Pacific/ 36<sup>th</sup> National Javelin Titles**

## 1. DATE, VENUE & ORGANISING AUTHORITY

The Club Marine 2006/07 20<sup>th</sup> South Pacific/36<sup>th</sup> National Javelin Titles will be held from 28<sup>th</sup> Dec 2006 to 5<sup>th</sup> Jan 2007. The organizing Authority for this Regatta is Chelsea Yacht Club Inc. in conjunction with the Javelin Association of Victoria Inc. The 20<sup>th</sup> South Pacific/36<sup>th</sup> National Javelin Titles will be conducted by Chelsea Yacht Club Inc. on behalf of the Javelin Association of Australia.

## 2. RULES

The 20<sup>th</sup> South Pacific/36<sup>th</sup> National Javelin Titles will be governed by the "rules" as defined in the ISAF 2005-2008 Racing Rules of Sailing.

The Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Yachting Australia (YA) Addendum "A", Part 2 (Off the Beach Boats), shall apply to all entrants.

### Alterations of Class Rules

The rules of the Javelin Association of Australia will be altered as follows:

- 2.1 Part II – By Laws, Rule 3 "Heats, Scoring and Courses for Australian Championships" of the Javelin Association of Australia Constitution will be altered by:

'Courses shall have no minimum distance requirement.'

## 3. ADVERTISING

All Competitors may be required to display Series or Event sponsor's name(s)/logo(s). If required, the Sail Melbourne International Regatta will supply these items and they shall be affixed and/or worn as prescribed in the Sailing Instructions.

## 4. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRIES

Entries, together with the entry fee shall be made to the Organizing Authority on the official entry form. The fully completed entry form shall be received at the entry address no later than Sun 10<sup>th</sup> Dec 2006 1700hrs. Entries may be accepted after the closing date at the discretion of the Organizing Authority, but will be subject to late entry supplements. Refer Fees.

## 5. FEES

The entry fee is \$100 per boat for entries received prior to 1700hrs on Sun 10<sup>th</sup> Dec 2006. The fee for entries that arrive after 1700hrs on the Sun 10<sup>th</sup> Dec 2006 will be \$150 per boat. Entry fees are stated in Australian AUD\$ and include GST.

## 6. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### 6.1 Registration and Sailing Instructions

All competitors shall complete registration at Chelsea Yacht Club on Sat 28<sup>th</sup> Dec 2006 Between 1000hrs and 1300 hrs

Sailing Instructions will be issued to each competitor on completion of registration at the host venue.

### 6.2 Event Schedule

#### Registration and Measurement:

Thursday 28 December 2006 from 1000 hours to 1300 hours

#### Registration and Measurement:

Friday 29 December 2006 From.0900 hours to 1200 hours

#### Races:

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> Dec 2006 Invitation Races Warning Signal 1430 hrs

Saturday 30 Dec 2006 Heat 1 Warning Signal 1000 hrs

Saturday 30 Dec 2006	Heats 2 & 3	Warning Signal 1430 hrs
Sunday 31 Dec 2006	Resail if required	Warning Signal 1000 hrs
Sunday 31 Dec 2006	Heat 4	Warning Signal 1430 hrs
Monday 1 Jan 2007	Lay Day	No Racing Scheduled
Tuesday 2 Jan 2007	Resail if required	Warning Signal 1000 hrs
Tuesday 2 Jan 2007	Heat 5	Warning Signal 1430 hrs
Wednesday 3 Jan 2007	Resail if required	Warning Signal 1000 hrs
Wednesday 3 Jan 2007	Heats 6 & 7	Warning Signal 1430 hrs
Thursday 4 Jan 2007	Resail if Required	Warning Signal 1000 hrs
Thursday 4 Jan 2007	Heat 8	Warning Signal 1430 hrs
Friday 5 January 2007	Heat 9	Warning Signal 1200 hrs

## **7. MEASUREMENT**

Measurement in accordance with the class rules will be carried out as per the event schedule. Measurement checks and inspections may be carried out at any time. A Boat notified of inspection shall follow the instructions of the Race Committee.

## **8. RACING AREA**

The regatta site and course area will be as shown in the sailing instructions. Chelsea Yacht Club is located on the foreshore via Kelvin Grove Chelsea Melway Map 93 A12

## **9. COURSES**

The course shall be a Windward – Leeward style course with down wind finishes as described in the sailing instructions. Races will be a mixture of short and long courses. Short course races will be approximately .7 of a nautical mile legs and long courses will be approximately 1 nautical mile legs. The Invitation race and the back to back heats will be short courses; all other heats will be long courses. Any resails of a heat will be of the same length as originally specified.

## **10. SCORING SYSTEM**

RRS Appendix A, Low Point Scoring System, will apply

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

- (a) When fewer than five (5) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- (b) When from five (5) to seven (7) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- (c) When from eight (8) to nine (9) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst two (2) scores.

## **11. BUOYANCY**

All competitors shall wear personal flotation devices which are in good condition and are in accordance with the specifications issued or approved by a national authority affiliated to the International Sailing Federation, or a standards organization, or certification authority, recognized for the purpose by its respective government. Attention is drawn to Fundamental Rule 1.2

## **12. SUPPORT BOATS / COACHES**

Team Managers, Coaches, and other support Personnel shall keep to leeward and more than 100 metres clear of any competitor or mark of the course between the preparatory signal and expiration of race time, except when asked to assist by the Race Committee.

## **13. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS**

A boat shall neither make radio transmission whilst racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats for the purpose of obtaining outside assistance. This requirement also applies to mobile telephone communications.

## **14. PRIZES**

Prizes will be awarded to the following competitors:

- 14.1 The Javelin Association of Australia Perpetual trophies will be awarded to the winning Australian skipper and crew of the Australian Championships.
- 14.2 Trophies and medallions will be awarded to the skipper and crew of the first four Australian boats based on overall placing in the Australian Championships.
- 14.3 1<sup>st</sup> Veteran skipper perpetual trophy – Australian Championship.
- 14.4 1<sup>st</sup> Junior skipper perpetual trophy – Australian Championship.
- 14.5 1<sup>st</sup> Female skipper (otherwise first Female crew) perpetual trophy – Australian Championship.
- 14.6 The South Pacific Champion Perpetual trophy will be awarded to the winning skipper and crew of the Javelin South Pacific Championship.
- 14.7 Trophies and medallions will be awarded to the first four competing boats based on overall placing in the South Pacific Championships.
- 14.8 1<sup>st</sup> Skipper and Crew on aggregated handicap – South Pacific Championship.

#### **15. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS**

In participating in this Event, a competitor automatically grants to the Organising Authorities and the sponsors of this Event, the right in perpetuity, to make, use and show, from time to time and at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or film television and other reproductions of him/her during the period of the competition for the said Event in which the competitor participates and in all material related to the said Event without compensation.

#### **16. ENTRY DISCLAIMER**

It is the competitor's decision to enter the Event or to start and continue in any race. Competitors shall accept that their participation in the Event is at their exclusive risk in every respect. The Organizing Authorities, and the Host Sailing Club, their officers, members, servants and agents 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 Event or howsoever arising in connection with the Event.

#### **17. INSURANCE**

All competing boats competing in the **20<sup>th</sup> South Pacific/36<sup>th</sup> National Javelin Titles** shall have third party insurance cover of not less than AUD\$1,000,000 (recommended AUD\$10,000,000) or equivalent thereof in any other currency for any accident.

All owners/competitors who sign the Entry Form are deemed to have made a declaration that they hold such cover. Competitors may be asked to produce evidence of such insurance at registration.

#### **18. INFORMATION & ENTRY ADDRESS**

For further information, please contact: Colin Williams 1/163 Balcombe Rd Mentone, 3194, Victoria, AH (03) 9583 1267, email [colin.williams@optusnet.com.au](mailto:colin.williams@optusnet.com.au)  
Enter online at [www.sailmelbourne.com.au](http://www.sailmelbourne.com.au)

# Club Marine 20<sup>th</sup> South Pacific/ 36<sup>th</sup> National Javelin Titles Form of Entry

Please enter Javelin Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

From: \_\_\_\_\_ Yacht Club in the 2006/07 National Championships.

## SKIPPER details:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

AYF Membership No.: \_\_\_\_\_

## CREW details:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

AYF Membership No.: \_\_\_\_\_

**Send completed form and required fee to: Sail Melbourne, 2/77 Beach Road, Sandringham Vic 3191**

Online entry also available at [www.sailmelbourne.com.au](http://www.sailmelbourne.com.au)

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## ENTRY DECLARATION

'I agree to be bound by the racing rules of the International Sailing Federation (ISAF) and all other rules that govern the Event with which I make myself clear. I acknowledge that Rule 4 – Decision to Race, places me solely responsible for deciding whether or not to continue racing on the boat. I further acknowledge and agree that in consideration of the 20<sup>th</sup> South Pacific/36<sup>th</sup> National Javelin Championships it is the competitor's decision to enter the Event or to start and continue in any race. Competitors shall accept that their participation in the Event is at their exclusive risk in every respect.

The Organizing Authorities, and the Host Sailing Club, their officers, members, servants and agents 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 Event or howsoever arising in connection with the Event.

"Entry Disclaimer" that subject to my entry into this Event being accepted (without any obligation on your part to accept it), my participation is at my own risk.'

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## If entrant is under 18 years of age:

I, \_\_\_\_\_, being the parent/guardian/custodian of the above named consent to their participation in the 2006/07 Javelin South Pacific/National Championships upon the terms and conditions of the events and do likewise indemnify the organisers and officers of the above mentioned organisations.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_