



# South African International Dart Association



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## DART 18 SAS KZN REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2017

Will be sailed at

### *OFFSHORE DURBAN*

From

*Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2017*

## NOTICE OF RACE

The Regatta is organized by the Dart 18 Class in conjunction with the Royal Natal Yacht Club (RNYC) under the auspices of South African Sailing (SAS).

### 1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the **Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2017 - 2020**.
- 1.2 The **SASKZN Requirements for Regional Championships** will apply.
- 1.3 Boats participating in this regatta shall conform to the **Equipment Rules of Sailing (ERS) 2017 - 2020**, the **Class Rules of the Dart 18 class**, this **Notice of Race**, and the **Sailing Instructions**.
- 1.4 The sailing instructions may also change other rules.

### 2 ADVERTISING

Advertising is permitted subject to the limitations of World Sailing Regulation 20. Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority.

### 3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 In accordance with the World Sailing Regulation 19 (Eligibility Code), all competitors (Helmsperson and crew) shall be members in good standing of a Yacht Club affiliated to and in good standing with South African Sailing, or their Member National Authority in the case of non-South Africans. The Yacht Club name and membership details shall be stated on the entry form or crew list. Current valid South African Sailing Membership Cards or similar proof of MNA Membership in cases of non-South Africans shall be presented at Registration.



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- 3.2 The regatta is open to all boats of the above listed class
- 3.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and sending it, together with the required fee, to:

The Regatta Secretary,  
P O Box 2946 Durban, 4000, South Africa  
Phone number: 072 8478466  
Fax number: 031 307 2590  
E-mail: [sails@wol.co.za](mailto:sails@wol.co.za)  
By **10<sup>th</sup> November 2017**

- 3.4 In cases of electronic or faxed entry, confirmation of payment as outlined in 3.3 above shall clearly bear the following reference number Helmsman's name and be faxed or e- mailed, together with the Entry, to the Regatta Secretary.
- 3.5 Late entries will be accepted under the following conditions:  
Until the beginning of the first race.

## 4 FEES

- 4.1 Required fees are as follows:

Dart 18.....	Fee R 550 per boat
Dart 18 All Youth .....	Fee R 450 per boat

- 4.2 Late Entry fees are as follows:

Dart 18.....R650 and R550 (youth)

- 4.3 Other Fees:

All Entry Fees and Class subscriptions shall be paid prior to the close of Registration. Failure to meet this requirement will result in the affected yacht being recorded as Did Not Compete until such time as the required payment/s is/are made. This changes rule A11 (DNC)

## 5 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 Registration:

18<sup>th</sup> November 2017 From 08H00 To 10H00

- 5.2 Measurement and inspection:

18<sup>th</sup> November 2017 From 08H00 To 10H00



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## 5.3 Dates of racing:

*Date*

**18/11/2017** Warning signal for the first race of the day will be at 11H00

**19/11/2017** Warning signal for the first race of the day will be at 10H00

## 5.4 Number of races:

A maximum of 8 races are scheduled for the event.

**5.5** No warning signal will be made after **13H30** on the last day of racing, **19<sup>th</sup> November 2017**, unless 4 races have not been sailed for the event. In this instance, racing will continue until 4 races have been sailed for the event, with the cut off time for the warning signal for the last/fourth race now extended to 16:00.

**5.6** A voluntary skippers briefing will be held at **10:00 on 18<sup>th</sup> November 2017** on the beach in front of the DSB Clubhouse.

## 6 MEASUREMENTS

Each boat shall produce a valid measurement / rating certificate. In addition spot measurements may be taken at any stage during the regatta.

## 7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available from the Regatta Secretary on completion of registration formalities.

## 8 VENUE

Racing will take place offshore Durban between Durban Harbour North Pier and Virginia Airport.

## 9 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be a windward-leeward Course.

## 10 PENALTY SYSTEM

Racing rule(s) 44.1 will be changed as follows the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty. The changes will appear in full in the sailing instructions

## 11 SCORING

**11.1** Low Point System of Appendix A4 will apply.

**11.2** Four races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

**11.3 (a)** When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

**(b)** When from 5 to 8 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.



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## 12 REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP REQUIREMENTS

In order to qualify as a Regional Class Championship the following criteria shall be satisfied:

- \* A minimum of ten valid entries have been received no later than the closing time for entries, no later than one hour before the scheduled starting time of the first race
- \* At least ten finishers in any ONE race of the series.
- \* At least four races completed.

## 13 SAFETY

13.1 Yachts shall comply with their class buoyancy and safety requirements.

13.2 All competitors shall wear a personal buoyancy aid capable of supporting a 5 kg steel weight at all times while afloat in a yacht.

13.3 Wet or dry suits do not constitute adequate buoyancy!

13.4 Additional safety requirements may be set out in the Sailing Instructions.

## 14 RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

## 15 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows:

**SASKZN Medals** will be awarded in accordance with the Requirements for Regional Championships, as follows:

10 – 14 boats	Gold
15 – 19 boats	Gold & Silver
20 or more boats	Gold, Silver and Bronze

## 16 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. Neither the Organising Authority nor its officials or other persons associated with the organization of the event will accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.



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## 17 INSURANCE

Each participating boat is encouraged to carry sufficient valid third-party liability insurance to cover any liability arising during the event..

## 18 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

- Regatta Secretary, Sandy Samways, [sails@wol.co.za](mailto:sails@wol.co.za)
- Sharmaine Levin, SAIDA Secretary, 071 673 2997, [levinsharmaine@gmail.com](mailto:levinsharmaine@gmail.com)
- Vernon Brown, Chairman SAIDA, 082 4579849, [vernon@venme.co.za](mailto:vernon@venme.co.za)

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (NOT FORMING PART OF THE NOTICE OF REGATTA)

All competitors will be issued with a gate access disk on payment of a deposit. This will permit access to Food and Beverage facilities and ablutions.