



The OKI OPTI 6 Hour Race

**Saturday 3rd March 2018
Organised by Murrays Bay Sailing Club
Sailed on Lake Pupuke**

Notice of Race

1. RULES

- 1.1 The race will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 For the Optimist Green Fleet the regatta will be governed by the “New Zealand International Optimist Dinghy Association Green Fleet Rules for Racing version 2010-01 – May 2010” available from <https://sites.google.com/site/nzcentreboardstandardsis/>.
- 1.3 The YNZ Safety Regulations Part 1 shall apply.

2. CHANGES TO RACING RULES

The Racing Rules will be modified in accordance with rule 86 as follows:

- 2.1 Two skippers will comprise a team for Opti Open Fleet.
- 2.2 Three skippers will comprise a team for Learn to Race, Blue or Green Fleets.
- 2.3 Skippers to sail for no longer than two hours at one time and must have a compulsory one hour rest before sailing again.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Optimist Class.
- 3.2 There will be two divisions, one for Blue/Green Fleet (3 sailors per team) and one for Open Fleet (two sailors per team).
- 3.3 Entry Fee \$10 per sailor payable on the day.
- 3.4 Online entry form from our website (<https://www.murraysbay.org/events/24-hour-race/>)
- 3.5 Entries close Wednesday 28th Feb 2018.

4. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 4.1 Registrations and payment of entry fee 0630 to 0700 hours on Sat 3rd Mar 2018.
- 4.2 Briefing will be at 0700 hours.
- 4.3 The scheduled time of warning signal for the Race will be 0725 hours.
- 4.4 The Race will start at 0730 hours.
- 4.5 The Race will finish at 1330 hours.

5. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

5.1 Sailing Instructions will be provided at the briefing.

6. **RACING AREA**

6.1 The racing will be held in the waters of Lake Pupuke. The start will be at Sylvan Park.

7. **COURSE TO BE SAILED**

7.1 The course will be advised on race day.

8. **SCORING**

8.1 The winning team will be the team with the highest number of completed laps at the sounding of the finish signal.

9. **PRIZE GIVING**

9.1 Prize giving will be held as soon as possible after the start of the OKI 24 hour race.

Green/Blue/LTS fleet guidance will be available on the day from members.

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