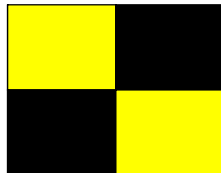




# Hong Kong IRC Nationals 2020

## Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> March and Weekend of 14<sup>th</sup> / 15<sup>th</sup> March 2020

### NOTICE TO COMPETITORS #1



#### CHANGES TO NOTICE OF RACE

##### ORGANISING AUTHORITY

Section 1.1 is deleted and replaced by the following:

1.1 The Organising Authority for Day 1 Racing will be Hebe Haven Yacht Club.

##### RULES

Section 2.1 is deleted and replaced by the following:

2.1 The Hong Kong IRC Nationals 2020 will be governed by:

- The rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) including the Hong Kong Sailing Federation Prescriptions.
- The 2019 IRC Rules Parts A, B and C.
- The HKPN handicap system, including the HKPN Performance Increase Penalty Scheme (PIPS).
- The PFD Policies of HHYC, RHKYC and ABC.
- The relevant NoRs & SIs of the constituent events.

##### ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

Section 3.2 is deleted and replaced by the following:

3.2 Subject to entries, racing is currently anticipated to be held in the following indicative classes as follows:

- IRC 1: 1.145 and above
- IRC 2: 1.080 to 1.144
- IRC 3 1.079 and below

Section 3.3 is deleted and replaced by the following:

3.3 The IRC Nationals is a race series held over two consecutive weekends comprising of races organised by Hebe Haven Yacht Club, Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club, Aberdeen Boat Club. Boats shall be required to enter the Day 1, 2 and 3 races individually via the organising club websites, as follows:

- Day 1 [https://www.hhyc.org.hk/page.php?page=page4\\_0.php](https://www.hhyc.org.hk/page.php?page=page4_0.php) (Monsoon Spring Series)
- Day 2 <https://www.rhkyc.org.hk/BBHarbourSeries.aspx> (Big Boat Class Spring Series)
- Day 3 <http://www.abclubhk.com/Waglan19-20.aspx> (Waglan Series)

## VENUE AND SCHEDULE:

Section 5.2 is deleted and replaced with:

5.2 Day 1 racing (7<sup>th</sup> March 2020) will take place in the vicinity of Port Shelter and will be organised by HHYC. - Monsoon Spring Series Race(s)

Section 5.5 is deleted in its entirety and subsequent items renumbered.

Section 5.6 is deleted and replaced with:

5.5 For easy reference, a race summary is shown in the table below:

Date	Race	Venue
Saturday 7 March	HHYC Monsoon Spring Series 2020 Race(s)	Port Shelter
Saturday 14 March	RHKYC Big Boat Class Spring Series Races 4 & 5 (geometric races)	HK Harbour
Sunday 15 March	ABC Waglan Series 2019 – 2020 Race 11 (island race)	Start – Round Island/Lamma, then eastern, southern & western HK waters

## SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Section 7.4 is deleted in its entirety

## SCORING

Section 10.2 is deleted in its entirety and subsequent items renumbered

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