



NOTICE OF RACE

2020 WALLER CUP INCORPORATING THE NEW ZEALAND HANSA CLASS ASSOCIATION LIBERTY NORTH ISLAND CHAMPIONSHIP

Liberty and 303 Single:

Saturday, 28 March, 2020. (Reserve day 29 March)
Sailability Auckland Compound Westhaven Marina

303 Doubles

Saturday, 4 April 2020
Royal Akarana Yacht Club, Okahu Bay

The Organising Authority

Sailability Auckland
Sailabilityauckland@xtra.co.nz
PO Box 45 233
Te Atatu Peninsula
Auckland 0651

1.0 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing* 2017 - 2020.
- 1.2 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part 1, shall apply.
- 1.3 For protests where only a Rule of Part 2, or Rule 31 is alleged to have been broken an arbitration hearing may be offered prior to any formal hearing.

- 1.4 The Hansa 303 and Liberty Class rules will apply. For the Liberty, Class Rule C5 Sailor Weight Equalisation will apply.

2.0 BOATS

- 2.1 The regatta is open to the Hansa Liberty and Hansa 303.
- 2.2 To be sailed under the Hansa Liberty and 303 Class Rules.

4.0 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 Entry fees are as follows:

Class	Fee
Liberty (To qualify for the Liberty, North Island Championship you must be a member of the New Zealand Hansa Class Association, senior \$30, Junior \$10 email paul.webber@wedgewoodwhite.com for membership forms)	\$25
303 (Single person and two person)	\$25

- 4.2 Eligible boats may enter by filling in the attached entry form and returning to the Sailability Auckland Sailing Coordinator by email sailabilityauckland@xtra.co.nz no later than 12pm Friday 27 March for Liberty's and 303 singles and 12pm Friday 3 April for the 303 doubles. Your entry will only be confirmed once the entry fee is paid to Sailability Auckland's Bank account, ASB Bank 12 3019 0608212 00 (Put "Waller Cup" and your name as the reference)
- 4.3 Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the Organising Authority and will incur an additional \$20 fee
- 4.4 Each competitor in the liberty Class and at least one competitor per boat in the Hansa 303 double class shall be a current financial member of a Yacht Club Affiliated to Yachting New Zealand. (Note: The Royal Akarana Yacht Club has a heavily discounted membership rate for Sailability Auckland members. Sailability Auckland is not a Yacht Club.)
- ## 5.0 FORMAT
- 5.1 The format will be fleet racing.

6.0 SCHEDULE:

6.1 Schedule of Events

Date	Event	Time / Warning signal	No. Of races
Saturday 28 March	Briefing	0930 hours	
	Liberty and 303 singles Racing	1100 hours	Up to 5 races
	Prize Giving	ASAP after the last race at or near the Sailability Auckland Compound	
Saturday 4 April	Briefing	1030 hours	
	303 Doubles Racing	1145 hours	Up to 5 races
	Prize Giving	ASAP after the last race at The Royal Akarana Yacht Club	

7.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

7.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available on Wednesday 25 March or earlier.

7.0 RACING AREA

7.1 For Liberty's and 303 Singles the races will be held in the waters of Shoal Bay, Waitamata Harbour. For the 303 Doubles races will be held in the waters of Okahu Bay.

9.0 THE COURSE

9.1 The course will be windward/leeward.

10.0 PENALTY SYSTEM

- 10.1 Rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty including one tack and one gybe.

11.0 SCORING

- 11.1 The Low Point scoring system of Appendix A will apply.
- 11.2 Two races are required to constitute a series.

12.0 PRIZES

- 12.1 The winning Sailability Auckland member in the Liberty fleet will be awarded the Waller Cup, the overall Liberty winner will be awarded the Liberty Hansa North Island trophy.
- 12.2 The winning 303 Two person will be awarded the 303 Two person Waller Trophy, regardless of where they reside.
- 12.3 The winning 303 Single person will be awarded the 303 Single person Waller Trophy, regardless of where they reside.
- 12.4 Other prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organising authority.

13.0 SUPPORT BOATS

- 13.1 Support boats are to stay clear of the racing area during racing.

14.0 BOAT ALLOCATION

- 14.1 Competitors may bring their own boat or, Sailability Auckland boats will be allocated to competitors on an "as is, where is" basis.
- 14.2 Failure of supplied equipment will not constitute grounds for redress however best endeavours will be made to repair or replace faulty or damaged equipment.
- 14.3 Competitors are liable for the first \$250 of any damage caused to the boat they are allocated from Sailability Auckland while they are using the boat regardless of who is at fault. This includes loss of equipment associated with the boat.

15.0 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

15.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organising 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

For further information please contact:

Tim Dempsey
Sailing Coordinator
Sailability Auckland
sailabilityauckland@xtra.co.nz
Mobile: 027 484 4716