



2024 ILCA THAILAND DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIPS The organizing authority is the Royal Varuna Yacht Club, Pattaya, Thailand 1st to 3rd November 2024 Pattaya, Thailand

Notice of Race (NOR)

The notation '[NP]' in a rule means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that rule. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

1 RULES

- **1.1** The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- **1.2** No national prescriptions apply.
- **1.3** If there is a conflict between languages, the English text takes precedence.
- **1.4** If there is a conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions will take precedence. This changes RRS 63.7.

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 The sailing instructions will be available on 25th October 2024 on the online Office Notice Board (ONB).

3 COMMUNICATION

- **3.1** The online Official Notice Board (ONB) is located at: <u>https://www.racingrulesofsailing.org/documents/8799/event</u>
- **3.2** [DP] While racing, from the first warning signal until the end of the last race of the day, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- **4.1** The event is open to all boats of the ILCA 7, ILCA 6 and ILCA 4 classes.
- **4.2** Eligible boats may enter the event by registering online at: <u>https://forms.fillout.com/t/5az7Z7tXzPus</u>
- **4.3** To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees by 23:59 on 27 October 2024.
- 4.4 Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the organizing authority.





5 FEES

5.1 The entry fee is 1,500 THB for each applicant. Late entry is 2,000 THB.

6 ADVERTISING

6.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

7 SCHEDULE

7.1 Dates of racing:

Date	Classes	First Warning	Race per day
		Signal	
1 st November	All	12.00	Maximum of 4
2 nd November	All	10.30	Maximum of 4
3 rd November	All	10.30	Maximum of 4

7.2 On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after 14.30.

8 VENUE

8.1 Racing will take place in the waters immediately off the Royal Varuna Yacht Club.

9 COURSES

9.1 The Trapezoid course will be used.

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

10.1 Rule 42 shall be enforced and Appendix P will apply.

11 SCORING

- **11.1** Appendix A will apply.
- **11.2** 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- **11.3** A boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores as below:

(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 9 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.





12. RISK STATEMENT

12.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform, and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia, or other causes.

13 PRIZES

13.1 Prizes will be given as follows:

ILCA 7

- Overall 1st 3rd
- Master $1^{st} 3^{rd}$
- U21 1st

ILCA 6

- Overall $1^{st} 3^{rd}$
- Master (Age 45+) 1st 3rd
- Female $1^{st} 3^{rd}$
- U19 1st Boy, 1st Girl

ILCA4

- Overall U18 boy $1^{st} 3^{rd}$
- Overall U18 girl 1st 3rd
- U16 1st Boy, 1st Girl

14 **PRIVACY INFORMATION**

14.1 By registering for the race, you allow RVYC to use your personal information, including photographs, for administrative, instructional and safety purposes. You also agree that RVYC may share photographs of you with you and the other participants of your course and also within the RVYC community, including on our social media.

15 FURTHER INFORMATION

15.1 For further information, please contact: <u>sailcoach@varuna.org</u> and <u>sailing@varuna.org</u>