



FALSE BAY YACHT CLUB

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INTASURE SPRING REGATTA 2025

Incorporating the third round of the SASWC Inshore Championships 2025 and a Coastal Class. The Event will be sailed in False Bay, on Friday 19th, Saturday 20th and Sunday 21st September 2025.

Organising Authority: False Bay Yacht Club

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- a. The event will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing.
- b. **The SA Sailing prescriptions for National and Regional Championships will apply.**
- c. The latest version of the following rules will also apply:
 - (1) IMS Rules
 - (2) ORC Rating Systems Rules
- d. RRS 52 is changed to allow the use of powered winches, provided this is declared and taken into account by the boat's handicap.
- e. Rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

2. ADVERTISING

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

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- a. All competitors shall be members of SA Sailing and of a yacht club affiliated to and in good standing with SA Sailing (or their equivalent in case of non-South Africans) and legally permitted to compete.
- b. Proof of such membership shall be presented at registration.
- c. The regatta is open to all Monohull Keelboats and Ocean-going Multihulls.
- d. For the racing and SASWC Inshore Championships, Class A, B, and C, all competitors are required to have a valid ORC Club Spinnaker Rating.
- e. For Coastal Class, all competitors are required to have a valid ORC Club Spinnaker or Non-Spinnaker Rating.
- f. Additional classes such as, SAS National, Provincial Championships, Individual Classes, and Multihull Classes, will be accommodated should sufficient numbers warrant it.
- g. A Double Handed Division will be catered for in the Coastal Division.
- h. Eligible boats may enter by completing the entry form available from the FBYC Bridge (Sailing Office) or by downloading and completing the entry form which is available on the FBYC website www.fbyc.co.za and sending it, together with POP for the required entry fee, to: sailing@fbyc.co.za
- i. In cases of electronic entries, confirmation of payment as outlined below in paragraph 5 shall clearly bear the following reference details [SR2025, boat name and sail number] and be e-mailed, together with the Entry Fee, to the Regatta Secretary.

- j. **The closing date for entry is 17h00 on Friday 12th September 2025**, however **late entries** will be accepted up until 16h00 on Thursday 18th September 2025.

4. CLASS SPLIT

The fleet will be divided into classes to ORC Club Class Division Length (CDL), as follows:

- a. Racing Division Class A: CDL greater than 10.150 and Cape 31's – Numeral Pennant 1.
- b. Racing Division Class B: CDL of 8.000 up to and including 10.150 – Numeral Pennant 2.
- c. Racing Division A & B may be combined depending on entries – Code Flag TBA.
- d. Racing Division Class C: CDL up to 8.000 – Numeral Pennant 3.
- e. Coastal Division Class D: CDL up to and including 8.800 – Code Flag "W".
- f. Coastal Division Class E: CDL greater than 8.800 – Code Flag "T".
- g. Coastal Division Class D & E may be combined depending on entries – Code Flag TBA.

5. ENTRY FEES

- a. **The Entry Fee is R300.00 per boat and R300.00 PER person on board. A 50% discount will apply for entries received and paid before the closing time for entries i.e., 17h00 on Friday 12th September 2025.**
- b. Other Fees: All Entry and other Fees shall be paid prior to the close of Late Entries i.e., 16h00 on Thursday 18th September 2025. Failure to meet this requirement will result in the affected yacht being recorded as Did Not Compete until the required payments are made. This changes rule A10 (DNC).
- c. Entry fees are not refundable.

6. MEASUREMENTS

- a. For Racing Classes, A, B, and C, each boat shall submit a valid ORC Club Spinnaker Rating Certificate, to the Race Secretary by latest 16h00 on Thursday 18th September 2025.
- b. Spinnaker Rating Certificate, to the Race Secretary by latest 16h00 on Thursday 18th September 2025.
- c. Other Class yachts shall produce a valid Measurement Certificate to the Race Secretary by latest 16h00 on Thursday 18th September 2025 and shall comply with Class Rules where appropriate.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- a. Sailing Instructions will be available on Saturday 13th September 2025 from the Regatta Secretary and from the FBYC website.

8. NATIONAL/PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIP REQUIREMENTS

- a. The South African Sailing prescriptions for National and Regional Championships will apply.

9. SAFETY

- a. Yachts shall hold and comply with SAS Category 'C' COF requirements as a minimum or relevant Club COF.

10. HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

- a. Boats shall not be hauled out during the regatta except with and according to the terms of prior written permission of the Race Committee.

11. RADIO COMMUNICATION

- a. All race committee radio communication will be carried out on VHF Channel 06. All competing yachts shall always maintain a listening watch on Channel 06.
- b. While racing, 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.

12. PRIZES

- a. Prizes may be awarded as follows:
 - i. National/Provincial Classes – SAS medals as appropriate, trophies and prizes as decided on by SAS or the Class Association.
 - ii. All other classes - trophies and sponsors prizes, dependent on number of entries in individual classes.

13. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- a. Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3 Decision to Race.
- b. Neither the Organizing 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.

14. INSURANCE

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

15. MOORINGS

- a. As in the past, entrants in the Spring Regatta from visiting clubs will be accommodated, where possible on the walk on marina on a first come/first served basis.
- b. The marina facility is only available from Saturday 13th September to Sunday 28th September 2025.
- c. **Any vessel arriving before or staying on or after the dates as per 18.b. above will be liable for the standard STMC marina visitor rates. Competitors are urged to vacate their mooring on or before Sunday 28th 2025.**
- d. Walk on marinas will only be allocated by the Simon's Town Marina Office **once the official regatta entry fee has been paid.**

For further information, please contact the FBYC Sailing Office:
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