



Notice of Race
Auckland Blokart Club Championships

14, 15, September, 2019

Ardmore Airport
Auckland

Saturday:

8.30 - Set up
8.30 – 9.15 - Weigh in and transponder allocation and checking
9.45 – Briefing
10.00 - Racing
5.30 approx. – Finish racing

Saturday night: 5.30 – drinks and something to eat at the conference centre

Sunday:

9.30 - Briefing
9.45 am – 3.30 pm (approx.) Racing
4.00 pm – prize giving

All times subject to change

You must attend all briefings in order to race

Entry: Entries Close: Thursday 12, September, 2018, 6 pm

Entry fee: \$65, Youth (at school) \$45

Early entry: up to 5 pm, 10 September, \$45, Youth (at school) \$35

Sailors must belong to the NZBAI

Event Format:

Auckland Champs class and divisions

- Open, under 82.5 kg
- Open, 82.5kg and over
- Production Class
- Cruiser Class, for new or inexperienced sailors

A youth trophy will be presented to best performing youth (at school) sailor

- Sailors may only enter one class
- 5 entries minimum needed for a division or class to go ahead. If there are not 5 entries then sailors have the option of joining another class
- Two classes may be run together
- All Open and production sailors must weigh in between 8.30 and 9.15 on Saturday
- Depending on entries in each class or division, the races may be in heats or two divisions together
- After 8 races a competitor can drop their worst performance, 15 races 2 worst performances, 21 races 3 worst performances
- Electronic timing may be used and therefore everyone must have a transponder. They can be hired at \$5 per day
- Scrutineering will be on the grid for the first race and randomly throughout the event
- Protest fee, \$10, returnable if you win the protest

Race Format:

- A minimum of three rounds of racing must be completed for a class and/or division for a series to occur. There will be no maximum number of rounds or races for the series.
- The sailing course, race duration, dial-up instructions, and start sequence will be explained at the briefing and may be changed during the day.
- Races will be for a designated time
- Competitors will be advised of any changes to the sailing course or start sequence in a briefing.
- Prior to each division or class's first race all karts in that division or class will go over the timing loop when requested to check transponders.
- Race officials will make the decision whether to start a race or not.
- The race officials may shorten or abandon a race after it has started (including abandoning the race after the designated time for the race has passed).
- Provisional results will be posted as quickly as possible after each race and the posting time will be noted on the results sheet. Competitors have 60 minutes after provisional results have been posted to advise a race officer in writing of any observed discrepancy. A Results Discrepancy Advice form will be available.
- Protest panels will be made up of race officers and experienced sailors as needed.
- Competitors may be called upon to do marshalling duty. A schedule will be advised prior to marshals being required.

Rules:

Racing will be in accordance with the [IBRA Rule Book Edition 6](#) (Published September 2017) plus the ABC venue specific rules on the [ABC website](#), with the following amendments;

- The zone area for overlap for a continuous obstruction is 1.5 metres. The zone for marks of the course remains at 20m
- Sails and equipment must not be changed once in the designated pre-start area and blokarts may not leave it until called to the start line. At the discretion of the race officials, sail or equipment changes may be permitted for safety or other reasons.
- If applicable, other changes will be advised during a briefing.