



Subic Bay Yacht Club **Standard Insurance**

## **FE28R Open and National Championship Regatta**

# **Notice of Race**

Friday 7 - Sunday 9 March 2025

The Organizing Authority is the Philippine Sailing Association. The race is supported by the Subic Bay Yacht Club, Philippine Coast Guard, Philippine Coast Guard Auxiliary, SBMA Tourism Department and sponsored by Standard Insurance Inc.

### **1. Rules:**

1.1 The event will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing 2025-2028.

1.2 The following will apply

- World Sailing Offshore Special Regulations Appendix B for Inshore Racing.

- w class rules will apply, except all boats may race with a maximum number of 6 crew for all male and mix, and 7 crew for all female) with a maximum weight limit of up to 425kg.

- The Notice of Race
- The Sailing Instructions

1.3 Competitors are advised to bring and wear their personal buoyancy aid during racing (Though lifejackets will also be provided by the organizing committee.

1.4 Engine should be fully secured in the provided rack inside the boat while racing.

1.5 Protest Committee will be appointed.



1.6 On-Water Judges will be used to provide an advisory information service.

1.7 In the case of conflict between any of the above the succeeding items take precedence.

## **2. Advertising**

- 2.1 Boats may not carry advertising, unless supplied and attached by the Organizing Authority.
- 2.2 Crew wishing to carry sponsors names or logos should seek approval from the Organizing Authority in order to prevent conflicts with the Event Sponsor.
- 2.3 Teams wishing to wear their team uniform should seek approval from the Organizing Authority.

## **3. Eligibility**

- 3.1 The regatta will be using the one design FE28R boats. Boats and sails will be provided.
- 3.2 The event is open to all keelboat sailors including foreign teams.
- 3.3 Teams wishing to enter the event must complete the Entry Form and return it to the PSA through email not later than 1700H 03 March 2025 to [ridgelyballadares62@gmail.com](mailto:ridgelyballadares62@gmail.com).
- 3.4 Boats will be allotted by the drawing on lots during skippers briefing.

## **4. Classification**

World Sailing Regulation 20 Classification Code shall not apply.

## **5. Fees**

- 5.1 No entry fees shall be collected from the competitors.
- 5.2 If in case a damage of a boat arises during the event, damaged will be assessed by a technician and can be settled after the event. Assessed amount shall be paid to the organizing authority in cash basis.
- 5.3 If the damaged boat cannot continue to race after the incident, she may use the spare boat on the next race.

## **6. Practice**



6.1 Teams wishing to practice before the event should contact the Philippine National Sailing Center (Allan Balladares 09352123137).

## 7 Schedule

7.1 The following is the schedule:

Date	Time	Schedule
Monday 03 March	1700H	Deadline for submission of entry
Wednesday 05 - Thursday 06 March	0800H – 1600H	Teams Practice
Thursday 06 March	1400H	Practice Race/Crew Weighing
Friday 07 March	0900H	Crew weighing/Skippers briefing/Drawing of boats
	1055H	Warning signal
Saturday 08 March	0900H	Skippers briefing/Drawing of boats
	1055H	Warning signal
Sunday 09 March	0900H	Skippers briefing/Drawing of boats
	1055H	Warning signal

No warning signal will be made after 1500H on the last day of racing.  
Awarding ceremony will follow immediately after the race.

## 8. Sailing Instructions

The Sailing Instructions will be available at the skippers briefing but before that it will be sent out through email to teams that completed and returned the Entry Form.

## 9. Venue

For skippers briefing/debriefing:	FE28R boat house
For racing:	Vicinity waters of Subic Bay



For awarding ceremony:	To be announced at the skippers briefing on the last day.
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## **10. The Courses**

Courses to be sailing will be Windward/Leeward Courses

## **11. Scoring**

11.1 The low point scoring system will apply.

11.2 2 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.3 (a) When fewer than 6 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

(b) When from 6 to 7 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

(c) When 8 to 9 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

## **12. Radio Communication**

12.1 Communication between the Race Committee and the competitors will be on Marine VHF Channel 69 (vhf radio will be supplied by the organizing committee).

12.2 Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile phone.

## **13. Prizes**

13.1 There will be trophies for the top 3 local teams for the National Championship as the National Champion.

13.2 There will be trophies for the top 3 overall (combined result for national and international teams)

13.3 There will be free limited snacks and beverages during the awarding.



#### **14. Disclaimer of Liability**

Competitors participate in this event entirely at their own risk (See RRS 3, Decision to Race). The Organizing 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 event.

#### **15. Further Information**

For further information please contact Allan Balladares at 09352123137 or [ridgelyballadares62@gmail.com](mailto:ridgelyballadares62@gmail.com).

For room reservation please contact Subic Bay Yacht Club at 09176268149 or [frontoffice@subicbayyachtclub.ph](mailto:frontoffice@subicbayyachtclub.ph).