

Appleton Estate Rum
2007 Elliott 5.9 National Championship
Sunday 28th January to Thursday 1st February 2007
Evans Bay, Wellington

NOTICE OF RACE

The Organising Authority is:
EVANS BAY YACHT & MOTOR BOAT CLUB INC (EBYMBBC)
In association with the ELLIOTT 5.9 CLASS ASSOCIATION

1.0 Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing, 2005- 2008*.
- 1.2 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part V, (Category C) shall apply.
- 1.3 The Organising Authority may require boats to display event sponsors advertising in accordance with ISAF regulation 20.3.

2.0 Changes to the Racing Rules

The rules will be modified in accordance with Rule 86 as follows:-

- 2.1 For any protests where only a rule of Part 2 is alleged to have been broken, an arbitration hearing will be offered prior to any formal hearing.
- 2.2 Rule 44.2 is changed so that a boat shall take a One-Turn Penalty instead of a Two-Turns Penalty. The turn shall include one tack and one gybe.

3.0 Eligibility and Entry

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Elliott 5.9 (E 5.9) class that have been measured and comply with the E 5.9 Class Rules.
- 3.2 To be eligible to compete in this event each entrant and crew member shall be a financial member of a club recognised by the entrant and crew member's national authority.
- 3.3 Each entrant shall be a currently paid up financial member of the E 5.9 Class Association.
- 3.4 Advance entries will be accepted until the normal closing date of 20th January 2007 by completing the attached entry form accompanied by a fee of \$100 and mailing it to:

E 5.9 Regatta EBYMBC, P.O. Box, 14-496 Kilbirnie, Wellington.
- 3.5 Late entries, accompanied by an additional late entry fee of \$40-00 may be accepted at the discretion of the Organising Authority until 1600 hours on Sunday 28th January 2007.

4.0 Measurement Requirements

- 4.1 All boats shall submit a valid measurement form or measurement certificate at registration.
- 4.2 A boat and or its equipment may be inspected at any time for compliance with the E 5.9 Class Rules.
- 4.3 On the water, a yacht can be instructed by a Race Committee measurer to proceed immediately to a designated area for inspection.

5.0 Schedule of Events

- 5.1 Measurement and weigh in will take place at EBYMBC between 0900hrs and 1500hrs at EBYMBC on Sunday 28th January 2007.
- 5.2 Registration will take place at EBYMBC in the clubhouse between 1200hrs and 1600hrs on Sunday 28th January 2006.
- 5.3 A briefing will take place at EBYMBC in the clubhouse at 0900hrs on Monday 29th January 2007.

6.0 Racing Schedule:

- 6.1 The racing schedule shall be as follows:-

Date	Day	Time of first warning signal	No. of Races
29 th January 2007	Monday	1055hrs	4
30 th January 2007	Tuesday	0930hrs	4
31 st January 2007	Wednesday	Reserve Day	
1 st February 2007	Thursday	0930hrs	3

- 6.2 A total of 11 races are scheduled. Races may be sailed back to back.
- 6.3 No race shall be started after 1530hrs on Thursday 1st February 2007.

7.0 Sailing Instructions

The Sailing Instructions will be available at registration.

8.0 Race Area:

The races will be sailed on the waters of Wellington Harbour.

9.0 Course to be Sailed:

The course will be windward / leeward.

10.0 Scoring

- 10.1 The Low-Points Scoring System of Appendix A will apply.
- 10.2 Five races will be required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 10.3 When from seven to nine races have been completed a boats series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score. When ten or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

11.0 Team Support Boats

- 11.1 Support boats will be allowed.
- 11.2 Support boats must be registered with the Organising Authority at registration (clause 5.2 above).

12.0 Prizes

The following prizes shall be awarded:

- 12.1 The E 5.9 National Trophy
- 12.2 The Owners Trophy
- 12.3 The One Ton Cup
- 12.4 The Forty Stone Trophy

**EVANS BAY YACHT & MOTOR BOAT CLUB
ENTRY FORM
APPLETON ESTATE RUM
ELLIOTT 5.9 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP
28TH JANUARY – 1ST FEBRUARY 2007**

Entries posted to: E 5.9 Regatta, P.O. Box 14-496, Kilbirnie, Wellington

Boat Name			Sail No.
	Helmsperson	Crew	Crew
First Name			
Surname			
Gender M/F			
Date of Birth			
Yacht Club			
Address			
Phone Contact			

I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and all other rules that govern this event. I understand that yacht racing has inherent risks and dangers that are beyond the control of the organizing authority. I understand that neither the organising authority and its officers, members and servants nor other persons assisting with the conduct of the regatta accept any responsibility in respect of any injury or loss to person or property that may be sustained by reason of participation in the regatta or howsoever arising in connection with the regatta.

I agree to the use of my photograph(s) and other relevant information in any event publicity and in the ongoing promotion of New Zealand yachting. I agree to the Organising Authority and Yachting New Zealand holding the above information for the general administration and well-being of the sport, and for them to retain, use and disclose the information to affiliated organisations and any other persons or organisations that Yachting New Zealand believes will further the interests and objectives of Yachting New Zealand. I acknowledge my right to access to and correction of this information. The consent is given in accordance with the Privacy Act 1993.

	Helmsperson	Crew	Crew
Signature			
Date			
Proof of Club Membership			
Proof of Date of Birth			
Proof of Class Assn Membership		Measurement Certificate No.	
Entry Fee Paid		Receipt Issued	