



## **2026 Hobie 14 Langebaan Regatta**

**Dates:** 21<sup>st</sup> February to 22<sup>nd</sup> February

**Venue:** WCHCA – Langebaan Lagoon

**Organising Authority:** WCHCA in conjunction with LYC.

### **NOTICE OF RACE**

#### **1 RULES**

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules Of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The SA Sailing Regulations for National and Regional Championships will apply.
- 1.3 To correct an error in RRS 60.4(a)(2), this rule is changed to read: "A protest is invalid if it alleges a breach of a rule of Part 2 or RRS 31 and is from a boat that neither saw the incident nor was involved in it."

#### **2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The sailing instructions will be posted on the event WhatsApp Group '**Hobie 14 2026 Regatta**' no later than on the 17<sup>th</sup> of February 2026. Supplementary Sailing Instructions may be posted on the WhatsApp Group during the course of the event.

#### **3 COMMUNICATION**

- 3.1 From the time this NOR is published until the start of the event any notices will be posted on the online official notice board on WhatsApp Group '**Hobie 14 2026 Regatta**'.

#### **4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 4.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the **HOBIE 14 Class** that meet **IHCA requirements**.
- 4.2 Eligible boats may enter by registering online at <https://www.hobiesa.co.za/>
- 4.3 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.
- 4.4 There is no late entry penalty fee.
- 4.5 All competitors shall be members in good standing of SA Sailing and of a yacht club affiliated to and in good standing with SA Sailing (or their equivalent in the case of non-South Africans) and legally permitted to compete.
- 4.6 Proof of such membership shall be presented at registration.

## 5 FEES

Entry fees are as follows: R750 per boat

Banking Details	
Account in the name of:	Western Province Hobie Class Assoc
Bank	ABSA – Current Account
Branch Code	632 005
Account No.	40-4767-8078
Beneficiary Ref:	Your Name

## 6 ADVERTISING

[DP] Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority.

## 7 SCHEDULE

- 7.1 Registration: [21<sup>st</sup> February 2026](#), from [09.00](#) to [11.00](#).
- 7.2 Skippers Meeting at the Hobie Shop at [11.00 on the 21<sup>st</sup> of February](#).
- 7.3 Dates of racing: [21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> of February 2026](#)
- 7.4 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is not before [12.00 on the 21<sup>st</sup> of February 2026](#).
- 7.5 The start time for the first race on the [22<sup>nd</sup> of February](#) will be posted on the WhatsApp group before 9am on the [22<sup>nd</sup>](#).
- 7.6 A maximum of [12](#) races are scheduled.
- 7.7 On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after [15.00hrs](#).

## 8 MEASUREMENT

- 8.1 Boats shall be available for equipment inspection throughout the Regatta.

## 9 SUPPORT PERSON VESSELS

[DP] Support person vessels shall be marked with [a white flag](#).

## 10 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows: [Medals for First, Second and Third Place plus other prizes](#).

## 11 RISK STATEMENT

RRS 3 states: "The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone." Competitors participate in this event entirely at their own risk. The organising 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 regatta.

## 12 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of [R1million](#) per incident or the equivalent.

## 13 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact [John Ryall on 0832652036](#).