



Flying Fifteen FROSTBITE SERIES 2018

Commencing on 6th October 2018
Organising Authority, the National Yacht Club

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES.

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*. The prescriptions of the Irish Sailing Association. The class rules of the Flying Fifteen and International Moth class in so far as they do not conflict with the sailing instructions.

2 ADVERTISING

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

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Flying Fifteen Class.

3.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing the online entry form on www.nyc.ie

4 FEES

Required fees are as follows:

Class	Fee
FF	€80.00

5 SCHEDULE

5.1

Date	Warning Gun	No of races
Sat 6 th October	14.00	2
Sat 13 th October	No Racing	Lough Derg Regatta
Sat 20 th October	14.00	6 (counting as 2 - see 5.3)
Sat 28 th October	No Racing	Bank Holiday Week-end
Sat 3 rd November	13.00	2
Sat 10 th November	13:00	2
Sat 17 th November	13:00	2

5.2 If there have been races postponed, additional races may be run as required

5.3 6 short races are scheduled as a 2 race mini-series. The combined results for the first 3 consecutive short races on the day will score as 1 race in the overall series. The combined results for the next 1-3 consecutive short races on the day will score as 1 race in the overall series. All races to count within each mini-series.

6 MEASUREMENTS

6.1 Each boat shall have a valid measurement certificate.

6.2 Comply with local class safety equipment list.



6.3 The Race Committee, or an official appointed by it, may inspect competing boats at any time during the series.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available for download on www.nyc.ie prior to the first race.

8 VENUE

NYC and the waters of Dublin Bay

9 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be as follows: Windward Leeward and Windward Leeward Triangle.

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

For the Flying Fifteen class rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

13 SCORING

13.1 The scoring system is as follows: Appendix A Low Points System Long Series

13.2 2 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

- 13.3**
- (a) When fewer than 3 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
 - (b) When from 4 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 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

14 RADIO COMMUNICATION

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 telephones.

15 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place for Bronze, Silver and Gold Fleet.

16 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, 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 regatta.

17 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of €2,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.

18 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact sailing@nyc.ie