4th Pan-Pacific University Invitational Regatta

1st –4th August, 2017 7-Star Marina, Dapeng, Shenzhen China

Organizing Authority:

2017 4th Pan-Pacific University Invitational Regatta are organized by the Xiamen University(XMU), hosted by Sea-sport Subsidiary of China College Students' Sports Association.

The Organizing Authority is accompanied by 7-Star Marina, Dapeng, Shenzhen, China.

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- **1.1** The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and including:
- 1.2 The ISAF Offshore Special Regulations(OSR, Category 5);
- 1.3 No National Prescription applies;
- 1.4 No Class Rule applies;
- 1.5 Addendum Q will apply;
- **1.6** If there is a conflict between languages of rules, the English will prevail.

2. ADVERTISING

Competitors' advertising displayed on hulls,sails, masts during the event shall be entirely in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20. All the advertising shall be in accordance with local legislation and shall not conflict with the interest of sponsors of event. Organizing Authority may deny the entry of any boat which violates the legislation. Boats shall be required to display advertising on the hulls and sails chosen and supplied by the organizing authority under ISAF Regulation 20.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- **3.1** The regatta is open to students' teams, graduate or under graduated, of universities from Pan-Pacific, including Asia, America, and Oceania which are invited by organizer. The regatta is for student sailors only, so that only the non-professional(without any professional sailing experience) sailors who are studing in universities aged from 16 to 25(born between 1992 and 2001) are elligible. The Organizing Authority has the right to have the elligibility compliance material of competitors.
- **3.2** The Organizing Authority will provide the racing boats for all teams, of totally 20 DC22, 22 feet keelboat with asymatric spinnaker.
- 3.3 Each team shall enroll no more than 6 sailors and can register with 1 team leader.
- **3.4** While racing, there shall be no fewer than 3 sailors but not more than 6 on board of each team. The weight of all sailors on board shall not exceed 420kg. Each team shall carry handheld VHF onboard.

4. CLASSES OF ENTRY AND RACES

- **4.1** Pan-Pacific University division, including oversea teams and China mainland university teams.
- 4.2 Race Committee may change the class based on entries at the discretion of it.

5. REGISTRATION

- **5.1** Registration time: until July 1, 2017.
- **5.2** Eligible teams may register by completing Appendix C: the Entry Form, and sending it to Organizing Authority through FAX or email.
- **5.3** The registration will be only valid once confirmed by Organizing Authority.
- **5.4** The contact information of registration

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6. FEES

- **6.1** Entry fee: No entry fee for invited oversea teams.
- **6.2** Damage deposit: RMB3,000(USD500) in cash for each team while entering the regatta. It will be refunded after race while there is no damage on boat. When there is damage, the charge of repairment will be based on dedicated boat factory's quotation and need to be fully covered by team on the part that exceeds the insurance coverage. The boats are FREE chartered.
- **6.3** Other fees: all the accommodation on site including hotel rooms, meals and transportation between harbour and hotel for registered teams and passengers within the regatta will be supplied by Organizing Authority dated as below:

Meals for oversea teams: July 31st- August 5th are all included;

Hotel rooms for oversea teams: from July 31st- August 5th.

6.4 Please bring your university's flag to organizer as a souvonir and displayed on flag pole.

7. SCHEDULE

7.1 Dates of racing and scheduled time:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	Event			
Aug. 1st	0830-2200h	Register in, weigh, boats draw, trail sailing			
	1600-1630h	Skipper's briefing			
	1700-1900h	Practice race			
Aug. 2nd	1000h	Opening Ceremony			
	1130h	Warning signal of first race of the day			
	1900h	Welcome dinner			
Aug. 3rd	1030h	Warning signal of first race of the day			
Aug. 4th	1030h	Warning signal of first race of the day			
	1930h	Prize Giving and party			
Aug. 5th		Social activity for oversea teams, departure of other teams.			

7.2 Number of races:

Totally 12 fleet races is planned. The top 10 teams of overall will have one medal race.

7.3 Any schedule ammendment will be noticed by Organizing Authority to all teams.

8. MEASUREMENTS AND BOATS

Teams can only use the boats with standing rigging, running rigging, sails supplied by Organizing Authority.

9. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available prior the regatta at Race Office.

10. VENUE

- **10.1** The location of the regatta harbour: see appendix A.
- **10.2** The location of the in-port and coastal racing area: see appendix B.

11. THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be as Sailing Instructions states.

12. PENALTY SYSTEM

- **12.1** The Scoring Penalty, rule 44.3, will not apply to breach of RRS Part II.
- **12.2** For all divisions rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.
- **12.3** The Jury will be constituted according to the App.N of the RRS. Decisions of it will be final as provided in rule 70.5.

13. SCORING

- 13.1 The Low Point System of RRS Appendix A will apply.
- **13.2** The series will be constituted by in-port races and coastal races. 2 races are required to be completed to constitue a series.
- 13.3 When there are fewer than 6 races sailed, each team's series score will be the her total score of all races. If there are 6-10 races sailed, then each team's series score will be her total score excluding her worst score. If there are 11-12 races sailed, then each team's series score will be her total score excluding her worst 2 scores. The score of coastal races is not excludable. This changes RRS A2.
- 13.4 The top 10 teams' medal race will be double scored.

14. SUPPORT BOATS

Each team's support boat need to put identification on its cover of engine.

15. BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the harbour.

16. HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

Boats shall not be hauled out during the regatta except with and according to the terms of prior written permission of the race committee.

17. DIVING EQUIPMENT AND PLASTIC POOLS

Underwater breathing apparatus and plastic pools or their equivalent shall not be used around boats between the preparatory signal of the first race and the end of the regatta.

18. RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communication not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones and satellite phones. The VHF Channel 72 will be official contact to Race Committee for open information and safety issues. For any issues related with safety, boats can contact RC and Organizing Authority by this channel. And all boats need to standby on it. Each team shall carry a handheld VHF by herself. It's not grounds for redress for not receiving information of RC by VHF or having not brought the handheld VHF onboard.

19. PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows:

Trophies to the top 8 teams.

Coastal race top 8 teams.

Excellence award

Organizing Authority may award other prize at its discretion.

20. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. RRS Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority and all its related members, including sponsors, race officials and

staffs 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.

21. INSURANCE

Each participating team shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of USD150,000 per event or the equivalent. Every sailor and passenger shall have personal accidental insurance with a minimum cover of USD100,000 per event or the equivalent. All the insurance of each team, and sailor/passenger shall be fully effective during the regatta and its area, and should be available to the Organizing Authority with original and hard copy when entering the regatta.

22. CORRESPONDENCE:

for further information, please contact

Organizing Authority Office: Sports Department of Xiamen University

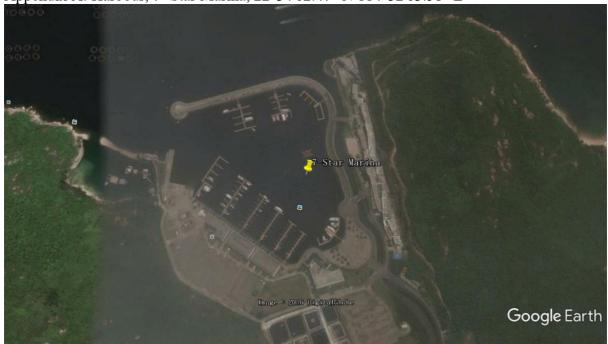
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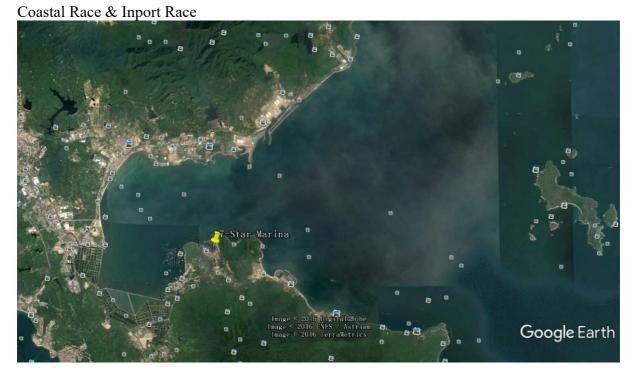
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Appendix B: Racing Area



Appendix C: Entry	Form				
Name of Team: Nation: Name of Universit Address:	y:				
Main Contact:					
Skipper:					
Crew List:					
Name	Gender	Date of Birth	Nationality	Passport Number	Email
Team Leader and/o	or Coacl	h:			
Email:					