



Mozzafiato Round Taal Volcano Regatta

November 22nd 2025

Organizing Authority: Taal Lake Yacht Club

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.

1.2 No national authority prescriptions will apply.

1.3 Hobie 16 Class rules will apply except for the Hobie Getaway Division.

1.4 This Notice of Race will apply

1.5 The TLYC Hobie 16 Club Championship sailing instructions (with amendment 1) will apply

1.4 If there is a conflict between a rule in the Hobie 16 class rules, the Notice of Race or a rule in the TLYC Hobie 16 Club Championship Sailing Instructions, succeeding items will take precedence.

2 ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority which may require other advertising to be removed at any time. Competitors may check with organizers before racing.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Hobie 16 Class conforming to class rules and Hobie Getaways in the Cruising Division. Inspections may be carried out at any time during the regatta.

3.2 Eligible boats shall enter by completing the pre-registration entry form by 25th February 2025 to guarantee full benefits such as t-shirts and food. Final registration and payment will be accepted at the race office at TLYC or via a deposit into a Gcash Account, details are below and [on the registration form](#).

3.3 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the organizing authority, under terms and conditions given by the organizing authority at that time.

3.4 Hobie 16s must be sailed with two crew but Hobie Getaways may have more crew.

3.5 A minimum of 3 starters are required to constitute a Division race.

3.6 Other Divisions may be created at the discretion of the Race Committee.

4 DIVISIONS and CLASSES

4.1 There will be a Hobie 16 CLASS

4.2 There will be a Division for Hobie Getaways

5 DATE

The Mozzafiato Round Taal Volcano Regatta is on Saturday 22nd November

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions are available on the TLYC website, Facebook group and pages, and Viber groups

7 SCHEDULE

7.1 Registration: Saturday 22 November from 0800 – 0930

7.2 Dates of racing and events:

22nd November Briefing 0900
 Leg 1 Warning Signal 0955
 Finish at Mozzafiato
 Leg 2 Warning Signal 1400
 Finish at TLYC
 Awards 1600

8 FEES

8.1 P 2900 per boat

8.2 Pre Registration DISCOUNT: ₱1000 discount by completing the registration form by November 1 by email or at the club, and pre-paying cash, gcash or bank transfer.

Entry Fee Includes:

Race fee for one Hobie 16 or Getaway and two crew, additional crew or guests are ₱500 per head.

Lunch will be at Mozzafiato.

8.3 Pay as you go: The TLYC bar will be open on a limited basis.

8.4 Boat Rental fees:

₱4200 for anyone registered for the event. Reservations are accepted in advance

8.5 Damage deposit: A refundable 9500 peso deposit will be required at registration. Personal cheques are accepted as deposits. They will not be cashed unless there is damage.

8.6 Fees can be paid by Gcash: 09175363491 Account Name: Lyndon San Pedro (but do send screenshot showing payment) or cash at the TLYC Race Office.

9 MOZZAFIATO CUP AND THE ROUND TAAL VOLCANO RACE

The Mozzafiato Round Taal Volcano Regatta will consist of one race around the west side of Taal Volcano Island ending at Mozzafiato. A second race will be from Mozzafiato to TLYC. The first race may have its own “Mozzafiato Cup”. The Mozzafiato RTV Race will be the combined time of the 2 races.

10 VENUE

10.1 The Start and Finish Venue is Taal Lake Yacht Club

10.2 The racing area will be Taal Lake.

10.3 Mozzafiato Boat Club: Lunch stop and the start of Leg 2

11 THE COURSES

The courses will be in the appendices to the Sailing Instructions and described at the Skippers' Briefing

12 SAFETY GEAR

12.1 Competitors are required to carry:

two bottles of water totaling at least one litre, a waterproof cellphone or a cellphone in a waterproof case from which it can be operated, tow rope, at least 10m in length and a minimum of 5mm diameter, consisting of a nylon/polyester rope and a paddle.

(The cellphone should be pre-loaded with 09178383726 and 09171231403 and it will be tested, in its case, at or prior to registration.)

12.2 Proof that competitors can right their boat may be requested by the race committee.

13 PENALTY SYSTEM

13.1 The Scoring Penalty, rule 44.3, will not apply.

13.2 Rules 44.2 and 44.1, “One-Turn or Two-Turns Penalty” will replace by “one-turn penalty”

13.3 A Protest committee will be selected

14 PRIZES

14.1 Prizes will be given as follows:

Hobie 16 class will be awarded 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize

The Getaway Division will be awarded 1st prize, if there are 3 entries or less. Additionally 2nd prize will be awarded if there are 4 or more boats in the division.

14.2 Other prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Organizing Committee

14.3 Unless otherwise excused in writing by the organizer, competitors winning prizes must be at the awarding ceremony or their place, or their prize may be forfeited.

15 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 and other communication devices.

16 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

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

17 RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

By participating in this event, a competitor automatically grants the Organizing Authority and the sponsors of the event the right to, in perpetuity, make, use and show, from time to time and at their discretion, any still or motion pictures, live, taped or filmed television and other reproductions of the competitor in this competition without any compensation.

18 FURTHER INFORMATION

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