

2020 Singapore Foil Grand Prix (SG Foil GP)

Organised by:



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1 RULES

- 1.1 The series will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing for 2017-2020, Appendix B Windsurfing Competition Rules (WCR) and Appendix F Kiteboard Racing Rules (KRR).
- 1.2 The respective Class Rules will apply.
- 1.3 No national prescriptions will apply.
- 1.4 If there is conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions (SI's), the SI's will take precedence.
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.
- 1.6 **Due to the COVID-19 situation, participants must adhere to Singapore government prevailing regulations and guidelines on safe management measures, e.g. safe distancing (minimum of 1 metre apart) and wearing of face masks while ashore, temperature recording and declaration of COVID-19 symptoms etc. Participants are also not allowed to share equipment or personal items like personal floatation devices, helmets, harnesses, water bottles etc.**

2 ADVERTISING

Boards may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. World Sailing 'Advertising Code' shall apply.

3 CLASSES and DIVISIONS

- 3.1 The participating classes shall be WindFoil and KiteFoil.
- 3.2 The participating divisions shall be:
 - 3.2.1 For WindFoil Class – Open, Female, Youth* (Open), Youth* (Female)
 - 3.2.2 For KiteFoil Class – Open, Female, Youth* (Open), Youth* (Female)
**Born after 31 December 2001*
- 3.2 A minimum of 3 competitors across the Grand Prix is required to constitute a class and/or division.

4 VENUES AND DATES

- 4.1 All rounds are of two-day duration.

	Date	Location
Round 1	8,9 Aug 2020	<u>KiteFoil</u> : Beach in front of ECP Xtreme Skatepark/ West of Bedok Jetty, East Coast Park <u>Windfoil</u> : Aloha Sea Sports Centre
Round 2	29,30 August 2020	<u>KiteFoil</u> : Beach in front of ECP Xtreme Skatepark/ West of Bedok Jetty, East Coast Park <u>Windfoil</u> : Aloha Sea Sports Centre
Round 3	12,13 September 2020	TBC
Round 4	19,20 September 2020	TBC

5 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 5.1 All entries shall meet the requirements of World Sailing Regulation 19-Eligibility Code.
- 5.2 Competitors shall be members of a National Class Association which is a paid up member of the relevant international class association, or a SSF affiliate club.
- 5.3 Eligible competitors may enter by completing the entry forms available at the registration area (at Aloha Sea Sports Centre) on the first day of competition (8 August 2020).

6 FEES

- 6.1 The required fees are as follows: Open/Female: \$80 and Youth: \$40 for the Grand Prix; otherwise \$40 per round for all divisions.
- 6.2 Grand Prix entry fees are paid as part of the registration process.
- 6.3 Round only entry is paid on the first day of the round in cash only.

7 RACE FORMAT

- 7.1 The Grand Prix shall consist of single discipline “open entry” events.
- 7.2 Racing formats include course racing, slalom racing and marathon racing.
- 7.3 WindFoil and KiteFoil classes will sail as separate fleets.
- 7.4 All divisions in each class shall race together.
- 7.5 There shall be a maximum 8 races per day.

8 SCHEDULE

- 8.1 The first possible warning signal will not be made before the scheduled Racing time.
 - Day 1
 - 1200h – 1245h Registration
 - 1300h – 1845h Racing (No warning signal after 1845h)
 - Day 2
 - 1200h – 1245h Registration
 - 1300h – 1800h Racing (No warning signal after 1800h)

9 EQUIPMENT & EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- 9.1 Windfoil Class. Any board, any sails, any foil mast and any foils can be used.
- 9.2 Kitefoil Class. Any board, any kite, any foil mast and any foils can be used.

10 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions (SI's) will be available online and at each event. Any changes to the SI's shall be approved by the Organiser.

11 COURSES

Courses will be as described in the sailing instructions.

12 SCORING

- 12.1 Scoring will be according to the WCR B8, and using the Low Points Scoring System for Windfoil and according to the KRR F8 using the Low Point Scoring System for Kitefoil.
- 12.2 The SG Foil GP consists of 64 races (maximum), with the results of each race counting equally to the final rankings.
- 12.3 Scoring for each Windfoil and Kitefoil classes will be conducted separately.
- 12.4 A competitor who attends a round but does not start, does not finish, retires or is disqualified from a race shall be scored points equal to ONE more than the number of competitors attending that round for that race.

- 12.5 A competitor who DOES NOT attend a round shall be scored points equal to TWO more than the number of competitors attending that round for each race in that round, (alters RRS A9).
- 12.6 An eligible competitor's total score for the SG Foil GP shall be the sum of his/her scores in each race, less race discards.
- 12.7 Each Round requires 3 races to constitute a result.
- 12.8 SG Foil GP requires 9 races to constitute a result.
- 12.9 Finishing positions for competitors in each division will be determined by their respective finishing position in the overall class ranking.
- 12.10 For the total number of races completed each Round and over the SG Foil GP, the race discards are as follows (alters WCR Appendix A2):
- 1-4 races, 0 discards
 - 5-8 races, 1 discard
 - 9-12 races, 2 discards
 - 13-16 races, 3 discards
 - 17-20 races, 4 discards
 - 20-25 races, 5 discards
 - 26-64 races, 6 discards

13 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall be registered at the race site for each event.

14 SAFETY

- 14.1 Every competitor shall wear, whilst afloat, a personal flotation device (PFD).
- 14.2 Every competitor shall wear a helmet whilst racing. Ideally the helmet should comply with EN 1385.

15 TROPHIES/PRIZES

- 15.1 The winner in each class will be awarded 2020 SG Foil GP class Champion.
- 15.2 The winner in each division will be awarded 2020 SG Foil GP class - Division Champion.

16 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the event entirely at their own risk, see RRS Part 1 - Decision to Race. The organising authority or any of their officials or representatives or the sponsors or their officials or representatives will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the event.

17 INSURANCE

Each competitor shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance.

18 RIGHT TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

In registering for the event, competitors automatically grant to the Organising Authority the right in perpetuity to make, use and show from time to time at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproduction of them, taken during the period of the event, for the said Grand Prix as defined in the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions in which he/she participates without compensation.

19 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

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