

INTERNATIONAL OPTIMIST CLASS ASSOCIATION



The following amendments to the Class Rules have been approved to be effective 31st December 2009.

Rule 3.2.3.2 (a)

Amendment: Add extra section to (a) bottom laminate to read as follows:
“A patch or patches of non-slip paint are permitted forward of the mid-ship frame but not in front of the aft side of the mast or bulkhead and not closer than 250mm to the sides.”

Rule 3.2.6.1 (c)

Amendment: Add the following to the end of the rule:
“Up to three pieces of cord or elastic cord may be used to lift the toe-straps off the hull shell floor.”

Rule 3.5.2.1

Amendment: Delete “At any cross section the diameter shall not vary by more than 3 mm. The diameter above 50 mm from the heel shall nowhere be less than 44 mm.” and replace with “The diameter shall be 45mm \pm 0.5mm.”

Rule 3.5.3.1

Amendment: Delete “The diameter shall be not less than 25 mm and at any section it shall not vary by more than 3 mm” and replace with “The diameter shall be not less than 29.5mm and not more than 55.5mm and at any section it shall not vary by more than 1mm.”

Rule 3.5.4.1

Amendment: Delete “Its diameter shall be not less than 24 mm and at any section it shall not vary by more than 3 mm” and replace with “Its diameter shall be 27.5mm \pm 2mm.”

Rule 4.2 (a)

Amendment: Delete “personal buoyancy” and replace with “**personal floatation device**”.
