



Changes to Laser Names in TopYacht.

As you are probably aware, the International Laser Class Association has decreed name changes for the various Laser classes. This is being enacted by Australian Sailing and TopYacht is doing the same.

In essence changes are.

Previous Name	New Name
Laser (Standard)	ILCA 7
Laser Radial	ILCA 6
Laser 4.7	ILCA 4
Laser Standard Masters	ILCA 7 Masters
Laser Radial Masters	ILCA 6 Masters

It is expected that all clubs transition to the new class labels for the start of the new season.

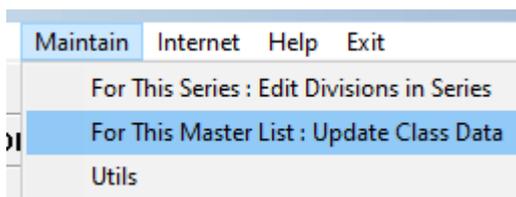
To that end, the Laser class names have updated in TES and for the class lists in the TopYacht virgin database. However, Clubs will need to update the Laser class names (as above) in the TopYacht database **if the club creates a new database from an existing one at the start of a new season.**

WARNING: ONLY DO THIS FOR A NEW DATABASE FOR THE NEW SEASON OR YOU WILL NEED TO CHANGE THE CLASSNAME FOR EVERY LASER TYPE BOAT IN EACH EXISTING SERIES.

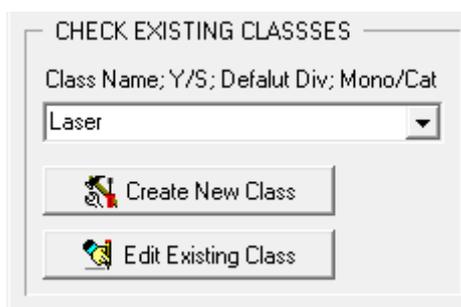
To update the class names in a **NEWLY** created TopYacht DATABASE from an existing one:

From the main screen

1. Go into the relevant TopYacht database i.e. **Admin | Database | Select**
2. Select any Series
3. **Maintain | For This Master List | Update Class Data**



4. Select each of the laser classes (one by one)
5. Press the "Edit Existing Class" button



6. Click OK in the pop up message.

7. Change the name to the new name

CHECK EXISTING CLASSES

Class Name: Y/S: Defalut Div; Mono/Cat

Laser

Create New Class

Edit Existing Class

Print

Close

ADD / EDIT NEW CLASS

Class Name ILCA 7

Has Crew

Yardstick / Class mark 114

Default Division (optional) 7

Monohull / Cat M/C? M

Class ID 244

Save New / Edited Class

8. Press the Save New/Edited Class button at the bottom of the page.