



Chichester Yacht Club

WHAT'S ON in the DINGHY SECTION in 2012

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A Volvo RYA Championship Club



CLUB RACING

Dinghy racing is organised for Club members most weekends from mid March to late October. Racing is organised into a number of Race Series, each over several weekends, with two or three races a day. The majority of races are on Sunday. Racing is in Handicap Fleets. All classes of dinghy sailed in the Club are welcome to join in the racing.



OPEN MEETINGS

Open meetings are held throughout the year for a number of classes. In 2012 these are: Merlin Rocket, Laser, RS Feva, Solo, Laser 2000, Topper & Optimist. There is also a Chichester Yacht Club Regatta and Youth Turbo Regatta.

JACK HOLT CENTENNIAL OPEN RACE

This year we are holding an Open Race on Sunday 22 April as part of our Centenary Celebrations for Jack Holt.

DINGHY WEEK

Dinghy Week incorporates Family and Junior Week and is a relaxed week of racing with 2 races a day. There is also casual sailing and a full social programme. All sailors are welcome to this open meeting with an additional focus on families and juniors.



WINTER SERIES

Chichester runs winter Frozen Toe and Snowflake series. These popular Open Events regularly attract over 80 boats and are normally every other Sunday from November to March.

SAILING INSTRUCTION

CYC is a RYA Recognised Training Centre. There are regular RYA/RTC courses for beginners and improvers, both adults and juniors. These courses are offered to members and non-members.

DINGHY COACHING & TRAINING

There are regular and popular training courses for Club members for both adults and juniors. CYC have a small fleet of boats: Optibats, Toppers, Fevas & Laser 2000 which can be hired by Club members.

RACE MANAGEMENT TRAINING

CYC also offers RYA courses for Club race officer training. The Club also have a number of fully trained rules mediators. CYC are fully committed to the RYA Racing Charter.

RYA HONDA RIB JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

CYC offer training and Club competition for this national challenge for members aged 8-16. Chichester members have had some excellent results in the last few years.

DINGHY CRUISING

CYC is also well placed for leisure sailing in the fabulous Chichester Harbour. Popular trips are to local villages and beaches. The Club is open on weekdays as well as at weekends and all facilities are available to cruising Club members.





OPEN MEETINGS 2012

MERLIN	Saturday March 24
LASER	Saturday April 21
JACK HOLT	Sunday April 22
RS FEVA	Sunday May 6
SOLO	Saturday May 19
CYC REGATTA	Saturday June 23
LASER 2000	Sunday July 22
DINGHY WEEK	Friday to Tuesday August 3 – 7
OPTIMIST	Sunday September 2
YOUTH TURBO REGATTA – TOPPERS & FEVAS	Saturday September 29
TOPPER	Sunday October 2
CHICHESTER HARBOUR FEDERATION WEEK	Monday to Friday August 20 - 24