



Chichester Regatta 2016

Sunday 5 June 2016

Organising Authority: Chichester Yacht Club

Notice of Race

1 Rules

- 1.1 The event will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013 – 2016. (RRS)
- 1.2 Boats participating in this event shall conform to the ISAF Equipment Rules of Sailing 2013-16, (ERS)
- 1.3 Boats competing shall comply with their Class Rules as maintained by the ISAF Technical Department, the RYA Technical Department or the Relevant Class Association.
- 1.4 Competitors shall sail in accordance with the RYA Racing Charter.
- 1.5 Competitors are reminded that Chichester YC races in accordance with the provisions of the Chichester Harbour Federation Code of Conduct
- 1.6 Classes 1-3 Shall race in accordance with Itchenor Sailing Club's Sailing Instructions for Keelboat classes

2 Advertising

- 2.1 Competitor advertising shall be in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20
- 2.2 Competitors may be required to display advertising supplied by the organising authority.

3 Eligibility and Entry

3.1 Boat Eligibility:

- 3.1.1 The CYC Regatta is open to Swallow, Sunbeam and XOD class yachts.
- 3.1.2 The CYC Regatta is open to all boats with a Portsmouth Number listed in the CYC Regatta Portsmouth Number List. Those wishing to enter the event but do not have a listed CYC Regatta Portsmouth Number shall contact the event organisers to agree an acceptable Portsmouth Number before they enter the event.
- 3.1.3 Boats entering the Regatta shall confirm to their specific class rules, except that Lasers may use replica sails.
- 3.1.4 Boats entering the Regatta handicap races are expected to conform to their class rules, however a boat not meeting its class rules may still race if an appropriate Portsmouth Number can be agreed with the event organisers before they enter the event.
- 3.1.6 The event is not open to sailboards or multihull dinghies, except the Challenger trimaran.

- 3.2 Eligible competitors may enter before the event at the Office at CYC, on the day at the



entry desk in the Sloop at CYC, at any entry desk arranged by their own club or, at the last resort, on the water at any race committee vessel that is not involved in urgent race duties. Those entering on the water need to hand over a completed entry form with the appropriate fee in a waterproof package.

- 3.3 Clubs arranging their own entry desks must inform CYC of competitor's details before **10:00hrs** on the 5th June 2016. Competitor's details must include the class, the sail number used and the names of all crew members. Competitor's details may be communicated by telephone, fax or email using the contact details in section 20 of this NOR.

Notes :

Junior competitors are those under the age of 16 on the day of the event. During the event the parents or guardians of junior competitors shall either be in or around CYC or afloat participating in the event, or will inform the event organisers in writing who is acting in loco parentis on their behalf; then those acting in loco parentis shall either be in or around CYC or afloat participating in the event. Parents, guardians or persons acting in loco parentis of junior competitors shall sign the entry form accepting the "Parents or guardians declaration".

Young competitors are those over the age of 16, but under the age of 18, on the day of the event. A young competitor, whose parent or guardian has had a Young Person Consent form accepted by CYC's General Committee, may participate in this event without a parent, guardian or person acting in loco parentis being present at CYC during the event.

However during the event the parents or guardians of all other young competitors shall either be in or around CYC or afloat participating in the event, or will inform the event organisers in writing who is acting in loco parentis on their behalf; then those acting in loco parentis shall either be in or around CYC or afloat participating in the event. Parents, guardians or persons acting in loco parentis of these other young competitors shall sign the entry form accepting the "Parents or guardians declaration".

Boats wishing to sail with sail numbers differing from those under which they have entered must seek approval from the race committee via the entry desk prior to the first race in which they sail with the changed numbers.

4 Classes

- Class 1 Swallows
- Class 2 Sunbeams
- Class 3 XOD
- Class 4 Fast Handicap (PN of 1059 and below)
- Class 5 2000 class
- Class 6 Laser Handicap (for Standard and Radial Lasers)
- Class 7 Solo class
- Class 8 Medium Handicap (PN between 1060 and 1199 inclusive)
- Class 9 Slow Handicap (PN of 1160 and above including Laser 4.7)

5 Entry Fees

- 5.1 Classes 1-3 Entry fee per boat: £15
- 5.2 Two handed dinghies £15
- 5.3 Singlehanded dinghies £10

- 5.4 Harbour dues £2 (if not already paid)



6 Event Schedule:

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TBA	Registration for Classes 0-3	Itchenor Sailing Club
0930	Registration for Classes 4-9	Sloop CYC
TBA	Briefing for Classes 0-3	Itchenor Sailing Club
1000	Briefing for Classes 4-9	Sloop CYC
TBA	First warning signal Classes 1-3	C/B "Betivuka" Line
1055	First warning signal Classes 4-9	C/B "Cyclone" Line

Classes 1-3 A single long distance race is planned.

Start times will be controlled by Itchenor Sailing club, who will advise CYC of their schedule.

Classes 4-8 A single down Harbour long distance race is planned

Class 9 There are three races planned and subsequent races will be timed at the organising authorities discretion, however it is expected that the races will follow immediately and back to back.

Prize giving will be held in the CYC Sloop as soon as possible after the conclusion of racing.

7. Measurement

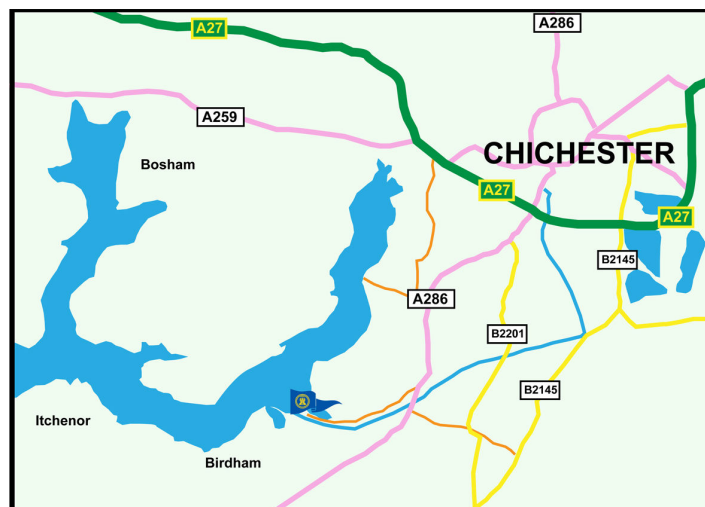
All boats competing in the regatta are subject to measurement by the race committee at anytime during the event.

8 Sailing Instructions

Sailing Instructions for Classes 1-3 are available from Itchenor Sailing Club. Sailing Instructions for Classes 4-9 will be available electronically on www.cyc.co.uk from the 31st May 2015 at the latest; Hard copies will also be available from the registration desk during the event.

9 Venue:

Chichester Yacht club is located approximately three miles south of Chichester off the A286



10 Courses



10.1 Classes 1-3

Swallows, Sunbeams and XODs will be set a single race starting from the ISC Committee Boat in the vicinity of the Gallon Line and may finish either at the same point or the CYC Committee Boat in Chichester Lake

10.2 Classes 4-8

A single down harbour race starting and finishing at the Committee boat Line in Chichester Lake

10.3 Class 9

Three races are planned around course within the Chichester Lake.

11 Penalty System

Only one turn including one tack and one gybe is required this changes RRS 44.1 & 44.2.

12 Scoring Class 9

12.1 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

12.2 When fewer than three races have been completed all results will count.

12.3 When three races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her scores for the races sailed excluding her worst score.

13 Support Boats

Support boats attending this event shall register at the entry desk during any registration period.

14 Berthing

Competitor's boats should be moved from the Car Park to the dinghy park as soon as possible after arrival. Competitors should also park their road trailer minimise disruption to the car park.

15 Radio Communication

Except in an emergency a boat shall not make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

16 Prizes

Prizes will be awarded as described in the Sailing Instructions.

17 Disclaimer of Liability

Competitors are entirely responsible for their own safety, whether afloat or ashore, and nothing reduces this responsibility. It is for the competitors to decide whether their boat and those that will sail it during the event are fit to sail in the conditions they might find. Each competitor is solely responsible for deciding whether or not to start or to continue racing and is also responsible for wearing adequate clothing for the conditions. By launching competitors confirm that their boat and those sailing it are competent to sail and compete in the event and are adequately clothed for the conditions.

The event organisers shall not be liable for any loss, damage, death or personal injury howsoever caused to the competitors or accompanying persons as a result of attending or taking part in this event and those attending this event indemnifies the event organisers against all and any costs, claims, demands and liabilities in respect of the same.

The provision of patrol boats does not relieve persons in charge, competitors and those accompanying competitors of their responsibilities.



18 Insurance

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third party insurance with a minimum cover of £2,000,000 that is valid for this event and those sailing the boat.

19 Supporting Information

19.1 Results will be posted on CYC's web site - www.cyc.co.uk

19.2 The Exoneration Penalty, Advisory Hearing and RYA Arbitration of the RYA Rules Disputes Procedures will be available during this event.

19.3 Competitors shall accept that photographs of their boat and its crew could be taken while attending this event.

19.4 In entering this event, competitors automatically grant the organising authority and Class Association 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 any other reproduction of them taken during the event, without compensation.

19.5 The event organisers encompass the organising authority, the race committee and the event support team. The race committee encompasses the principal race officer, the committee boat crew, the patrol boat personnel and the beach master, while the event support team encompasses all others that help run this event.

20 Contact Details

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