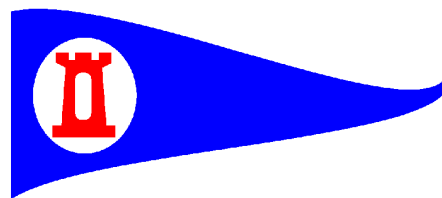


SAUNDERSFOOT SAILING CLUB



NOTICE OF RACE FOR COPPET WEEK

3rd to 8th June 2012

Rules and organisation

Racing will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the prescriptions of the RYA, the RYA Racing Charter, the appropriate class rules except as varied by the Sailing Instructions, this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions themselves which are published on the Club website and will be available at the event. This Event is designated Category A event for advertising. The Sailing Committee of Saundersfoot Sailing Club consisting of Commodore, Dinghy Captain and Sailing Secretary shall be the Race Committee.

Conditions of entry

- a. The appropriate entry fee must be paid and competitors must sign on no later than one hour before the start of their first intended race, late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Race Officer. Registration is from 2000 to 2100 on Saturday and from 1000 to 1100 on Sunday.
- b. A boat is entirely responsible for its own safety, whether afloat or ashore, and nothing whether in the Notice of Race, Sailing Instructions, or anywhere else, reduces this responsibility.
- c. It is for the boat to decide whether it is fit to sail in the conditions in which it finds itself. By launching or going to sea the boat confirms that it is fit for those conditions and that its crew is competent to sail and compete in them.
- d. The boat is required to hold adequate insurance and in particular to hold insurance against third party claims in the sum of at least £2m.
- e. Nothing done by the organisers can reduce the responsibility of the boat nor will it make the organisers responsible for any loss, damage, death or personal injury, however it may have occurred, as a result of the boat taking part in the racing. The organisers encompass everyone helping to run the race and the event, and include the organising authority, the race committee, the race officer, patrol boats and beach masters.
- f. The provision of patrol boats does not relieve the boat of its responsibilities.

Handicaps

All boats will be handicapped according to their current Portsmouth Number unless a local Club Handicap is set by the Race Committee, these Club handicaps are generally based on results at previous Coppet Weeks, a full list of handicaps will be posted on the Clubs website prior to the event and any boat not having a handicap must apply to the Race Committee prior to racing, for a trial handicap number. The results will be worked out by calculation.

Schedule of races

			HW	Start
Sunday	Race 1	RNLI	1756	1600
Monday	Race 2		1847	1700
Tuesday	Race 3		0713	1030
Wednesday	Race 4		0803	1030
Thursday	Race 5		0851	1030
Friday	Race 6		0938	1000

Entry Forms and Sailing Instructions

Can be downloaded from the Clubs website, copies of the sailing Instructions will be posted on the notice boards in the Clubhouse and on or near the Tally Board during the event, we are trying to do our bit to save a few trees! Any queries then use the contact details on the website.

Dinghy parking

All boats must be kept on the beach and must not enter the harbour car park for the duration of the event. Please observe the advice regarding boat parking in the "Welcome To Saundersfoot Sailing Club" note posted on the website and the Clubhouse notice board.

Tally Board

The tally board will be located on the beach with the Beach Master for the duration of the event.