

Notice of Race



48th Hamble Warming Pan Dinghy Classic Hamble River Sailing Club



Merlin-Rocket, National 12, Firefly, Foxer

Saturday / Sunday 13th/14th March 2010

1 - Organising Authority

- 1.1 - The event will be held under the burgee of Hamble River Sailing Club on the above dates.
The organising authority is the Hamble River Sailing Club.

2 - Rules

- 2.1 - Racing will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing
2.2 - A Painter of minimum length 6.00m suitable for towing must be carried by all boats attached to the bow.

3 - Classes & Eligibility

- 3.1 - Racing will be provided for the above Classes only.
3.2 - The regatta is open to all members of the respective class associations.

4 - Conditions of Entry

- 4.1 - A boat is entirely responsible for its own safety, whether afloat or ashore, and nothing, whether in the Notice of Race or Sailing Instructions or anywhere else, reduces that responsibility.
4.2 - It is for the boat to decide whether it is fit to sail in the conditions in which it finds itself. By launching and 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.
4.3 - The boat is required to hold adequate insurance and in particular to hold insurance against third party claims in the sum of at least £2,000,000
4.4 - 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 beachmasters.
4.5 - The provision of patrol boats does not relieve the boat of its responsibilities.
4.6 - A tally system will be in operation throughout the championship for safety purposes only.
4.7 - Entries from competitors under the age of 18 require parental/guardian authority and a declaration to this effect must be completed on registration.

5 - Entries & Registration

- 5.1 - Entry on the day only.
5.2 - Entry Fee for 2-handers is £25.00, or £15.00 per day.
5.3 - Entry Fee for single-handers (i.e. Foxers) is £12, or £7.00 per day.
5.4 - Registration will take place at the Hamble River Sailing Club from 09:00 on each day of racing

6 - Racing schedule

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Date	Time	Event
Sat 13 th	10:15	Competitor Briefing
	11:00	First Race 1 st Start <i>(come ashore between races)</i>
	14:00	2 nd Race 1 st Start (approx)
Sun 14 th	10:30	3 rd Race 1 st Start <i>(come ashore between races)</i>
	13:15	4 th Race 1 st Start (approx)

7 - Prizes

7.1 - Prizes will be awarded for the overall series, and for each days racing. There will be a Saturday prize giving after racing on the Saturday of the event, and the Sunday and overall series prize giving after racing on the Sunday of the event.

8 - Sailing Instructions

8.1 - These will be issued at registration, and can be obtained from the Club Web Site: <http://www.hamblerversc.org.uk/> at least one week before the event.

9 - Directions to Venue

9.1 - These can be obtained from the Club Web Site: <http://www.hamblerversc.org.uk/> or by ringing the Club Secretary on 02380 452070.