

Hollowell Sailing Club Ice Tankard open meeting

Sunday 25th Oct 6mm2015

Hollowell Sailing Club

Hollowell Reservoir

Hollowell

Northamptonshire

NN6 8RN

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 Fleet starts if numbers require.
- 1.3 The event entry form will act as the registration document and will apply.
- 1.4 Racing rule(s) will not be changed. The sailing instructions may change other racing rules.

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all single and multi-hulled boats in all formats of rig.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the registration form on the day of the regatta. Forms can be pre-completed. An entry form is downloadable on the HSC website
- 2.3 Late entries will be accepted unconditionally:
- 2.4 The following restrictions on the number of boats apply: If the Duty Officer determines that there are excessive boats for any classes there will be separate starts by fleet (slow and fast).
- 2.5 All competitors must comply with biohazard containment regulations in force by Anglian Water Authority. This requires that each competitor must present a certificate that evidences that their craft has been thoroughly washed and dried since it was last sailed. Where such a certificate is not available, competitors may use the wash-down facility at Hollowell SC under the supervision of the designated club official.

3 FEES

- 3.1 Required fees are as follows: Note onsite camping is free but please let us know if you require camping prior to the event.

Class	Fee	
Single hand	£10	(£5 discount to Hollowell members)
Double-hand	£12	(£5 discount to Hollowell members)

- 3.2 Other fees:
Lunch (Optional) £3.50 (ticket will be issued on payment).

4 SCHEDULE

- 4.1 Registration:
Day and date Sunday 25th Sept 2015
0800 – 9.30
- 4.2 Dates of racing:
Date
25th Sept 2015

- 4.3 Number of races over the day
3 Number (see below race program)

Sunday 25th September. Races 1,2,3. first warning signal 10.55am, Lunch 12.30 warning signal for race 2, 1.15pm warning signal for race 3 asap.

- 4.4 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 10.55. Fast fleet will go first and The slow fleets 5 minute warning will be the fast fleets start. Note: if number don't warrant slow and fast fleets they will be run together

5 **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The sailing instructions will be available after 0900 on 25th Sept 2015 at Hollowell SC.

6 **VENUE**

- 6.1 Attachment A (position 1) shows the location of the regatta 'harbour' and rigging area.

- 6.2 Attachment A (position 2) shows the location of the racing areas.

7 **THE COURSES**

The courses to be sailed will be determined on the day and reflect prevailing conditions.

8 **PENALTY SYSTEM and PROTESTS**

- 8.1 Penalties will be in accordance with rules 44.1 and 44.2, rule 44.3, will not apply.

- 8.2 Any protests will be made no longer than 30mins after completing the race, Protests will be dealt with under the normal RYA rules.

9 **SCORING**

- 9.1 The scoring system is Appendix A:

- 9.2 2 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

- 9.3 (a) 3 races (2 to count).

10 **RADIO COMMUNICATION**

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

11 **PRIZES**

Prizes will be issued to the top 4 boats, first and second lady and first and second junior

12 **DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

13 **INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £2million per incident or the equivalent.

14 **FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information please contact Rob Dunkley dunkley_robert@yahoo.co.uk

Attachments

- A. Location of Hollowell Sailing Club
- B. Entry Form