**ROADFORD LAKE SAILING CLUB**

**in conjunction with**

**ROADFORD LAKE WATERSPORTS CENTRE (SW LAKES TRUST)**

**THE GOODACRE SHIELD AND ANDY PARSON’S CUP**

 **Saturday 25 — Monday 27 August 2018**

**NOTICE OF RACE**

**Location:** Roadford Lake, Goodacre Farm, Broadwoodwidger. Lifton, Devon. PL16 0JL

1. **Organising Authority:** The Organising Authority is Roadford Lake Watersports Centre in conjunction with Roadford Lake Sailing Club.
2. **Rules:** The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules Sailing 2017-2020, the RLSC Sailing Instructions, and this NOR. The event will use the RYA 2018 PY list. Where a class is not listed, the race committee reserves the right to assign an appropriate handicap.
3. **Eligibility and Entry:** The regatta is open to current RLSC members, sailing members and invited guests of the South West Lakes Trust, and all local clubs. Entry form and sailing instructions will be available on the RLSC website, but please pay on arrival.
4. **Entry fee:** The entry fee for the weekend Open Event for RLSC & SWLT members will be £20, for non-members £30, and for Under 18 £10.
5. **Advertising: n/a**
6. **Registration: I**n the Race Office from 0900-1245 hrs Saturday 25 August.
7. **Briefing:** This will take place at 1300 in the area of the lakeside hut on Saturday 25 August.
8. **Schedule of Races:**

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|  | Time of First Warning Signal |  Start time |
| Sat pm: 2 Races (back/back) | 1355 |  1400 (1st race) |
| Sunday am: 2 races BTB | 1025 |  1030 (1st race) |
| Sun pm: Pursuit race |  1355 |  1400 |
| Monday am: 2 races BTB |  1025 |  1030 (1st race) |

The Warning signal will be Flag R. The Race Committee may bring forward a race or races but there will be no more than 4 races per day. No more than two races will be sailed on Monday 27th. Any change to the schedule of races will be made at least 1 hour before the warning signal on that day, unless it intended to bring forward the first start of a day, in which case the decision will be made by 1900 the previous day. There will be no warning signal after 13:00 hrs on the last day except for a general recall.

1. **Sailing area and courses:** The sailing area will be on Roadford Lake. Courses sailed will be as decided by the Race Committee, using shore based starts and a mix of standard RLSC marks and temporary marks.
2. **Certificates: N**ot required
3. **Sailing Instructions:** These will be available from the Race Office on completion of registration or from the RLSC website.
4. **Scoring and Prizes:** The Goodacre Shield will be based on a 6 race series of which 3 completed races are required to constitute the series. One discard will apply if over 3 races are completed. The Goodacre Shield will be awarded to the first SWLT competitor. The Andy Parson’s Cup to the first visitor. Prizes will be awarded to the first four boats overall, first lady helm and juniors under 18, depending on entries. There will be separate prizes for the Sunday afternoon Pursuit Race which will not count as part of the Goodacre series.
5. **Support Boats: n/a**
6. **Safety and Disclaimer of Liability:**

**14.1** A competitor is responsible for their own safety, whether afloat or ashore and nothing, whether in the Notice of Race or Sailing instructions or anywhere else reduces this responsibility.

**14.2** It is for the competitor to decide whether they are fit to sail in the conditions. By going afloat the competitor confirms they are fit and competent to sail and compete in those conditions.

**14.3** Nothing done by the organisers can reduce the liability of the competitor nor will it make the organisers responsible for any loss, damage, death or injury, however it may occur, as a result of the boat taking part in the series. The organisers encompass everyone helping to run the race and include the organising authority, the race committee, the race officer, patrol boats and beach masters.

**14.4** The provision of patrol boats does not relieve the competitor of his/her responsibilities.

**14.5** Each boat is required to hold adequate insurance and in particular against third party claims of at least £2,000,000.

1. **Boat Parking:** Boats should he left in the boat park, or as directed by a member of the event organising team.
2. **Car Parking:** Cars should be parked in the car park as directed. No cars in the boat park please.
3. **Social:** Roadford Lake Activity Centre has a large campsite but limited electrical pitches. You are advised to book camping early, online to guarantee a pitch as the site is in high demand <https://www.southwestlakes.co.uk/camping/roadford-lake/#book-now>. The Club will provide a communal BBQ Saturday and Sunday night. Bring your own food.
4. **Prize giving:** This will be in as soon as possible after completion of racing on Monday, (weather permitting at 1400 hrs). As in previous years, Ambrosia will sponsor the event.
5. **Changes to Sailing instructions:** All changes will be posted at least two hours before the start of the race(s) affected.

Further information can be found on the Club website at [www.rlsc.btck.co.uk](http://www.rlsc.btck.co.uk).

**ROADFORD LAKE WATERSPORTS CENTRE & SAILING CLUB**

**THE GOODACRE SHIELD EVENT 2018**

**ENTRY FORM**

Helm:................................................................

Crew…………………………………………………

Boat type ………………………….. Sail No:........................... PY No:...........................

Member SW Lakes Trust / RLSC? Yes / No

Other Club……………………………………

Home Address .................................................................................................

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E-Mail :...................................................................... Tel No:.................................

Emergency Tel Number (Compulsory) ........................................................................

Entry fee: SWLT/RLSC members £20, Non-members £30.00 for the 3 day event per boat

Youth (under 18's) £10 per boat.

Amount Paid £………………….

The declaration below must be completed in order to register a valid entry

DISCLAIMERS OF LIABILITY LIMITATION OF THE SWLT/CLUB’S GENERAL LIABILITY: Members of SWLT/Club, their guests and visitors use the premises and any other facilities entirely at their own risk and implicitly accept that:

1) The SWLT/Club will not accept any liability for damage to, or loss of, property belonging to members, their guests or visitors to the SWLT/Club.

2) The SWLT/Club will not accept any liability for personal injury arising out of the use of the premises, and any other facilities of the SWLT/Club, or out of participation in any race.

 RACING DISCLAIMER :I declare that I have read the disclaimer and I agree to be bound by its contents. I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020 and accept the conditions of entry in the Notice of Race. I declare that I hold a valid and current certificate of insurance, which covers me whilst racing (including third party insurance over or up to at least £2 million) and that I will continue to do so whilst engaged in racing during this event.

Signature:………………………………………………….Date:……………………

If under 18, the signature of a responsible adult is required

I declare that I have read and accept the disclaimers of liability and sign on behalf of the competitor named above.

Name................................................

Signature..........................................................................Date..................................

**PLEASE RETURN by email to** **c.greensted@plymouth.ac.uk** **or by post to Chris Greensted, Harewood Gardens, Calstock, Cornwall, PL18 9SQ. Please pay on arrival at registration.**