**Ullswater Regatta 2015**

**Saturday , Sunday 15th & 16th August 2015**

1. **RULES**
   1. The racing will be governed by the rules as defined in ‘The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013 - 2016’ (RRS), the Prescriptions of the RYA, the relevant Class Rules, this NOR and the UYC Sailing Instructions in ascending order.
   2. The organising authority will be UYC in conjunction with the relevant Class Association(s) and / or Governing Body (ies).
   3. Competitors should note that UYC operate the RYA Racing Charter and they will be expected to sail in compliance with the Charter.
2. **ADVERTISING**
   1. Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority .
3. **ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**
   1. The regatta is open to any boat with a Portsmouth Yardstick Rating.
   2. Class measurement certificates may be required to be produced.
   3. Entries should be made using the UYC Regatta entry form, which should be posted to the Sailing Secretary (see address below) by 14st August, or on the first day up to 11.30am. The Sailing Committee reserve the right to refuse entries after this time.
   4. Competitors, including support teams, coaches, instructors, rescue crews and accompanying friends and families etc, shall consider themselves visitors / temporary members of UYC for the duration of the event.
4. **FEES**
   1. Required racing fees are as follows:-

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| **Class etc** | **Fee** |
| Single hander | £25 |
| Double hander | £35 |

* 1. Entries from UYC members will be granted a 50% discount.
  2. Entries from competitors under 18 years will be granted a£5.00 discount.
  3. Other fees are as follows:-

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| **Accommodation etc** | **Fee** |
| Small tent (2) per night  Medium tent (3-4) per night  Large tent (4+) per night  Motorhome (2 axle) per night  Motorhome (3 axle) per night | £10.00  £15.00  £20.00  £20.00  £25.00 |

* 1. Cheques shall be made payable to ‘Ullswater Yacht Club’, UYC also accepts Debit/Credit card payments. Refunds will be at the discretion of UYC.

1. **SCHEDULE**
   1. Registration will be in the Race Office from 18:00 to 19:30 on Friday 14th August and in Clubhouse on 15th August from 09:30 to 11:30
   2. Competitors briefing will be held at the Race Office on 15th August at 12:15
   3. The race starting times each day are intended to be as follows:-

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| **Day / Date** | **Race** | **Earliest Time(s)** |
| Saturday 15th August  Sunday16th August | Race 1  Race 2  Race 3  Race 4  Race 5 | Not before 13:00  TBA  Not before11:00  TBA  TBA |

* 1. Classes with more than 6 entries may have their own start.
  2. The duration of each race will be approximately 50 minutes
  3. In Series 1the number of races completed to constitute a series will be 2. If 3 or 4 more races are sailed, there will be 1 discard, if all 5 races are sailed, there will be 2 discards.

5.11. Scoring will be the low points scoring system of Appendix ‘A’.

1. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**
   1. The UYC Sailing Instructions will be available at Registration.
2. **VENUE**
   1. UYC is situated on the north east shore of the lake approximately two miles from Pooley Bridge on the Howtown Road.
3. **PRIZES AND TROPHIES**
   1. Prizes and trophies will be awarded in proportion to the number of entries.
   2. Prizes may also be awarded to specific competitor categories.
   3. The prizegiving will be held at the UYC Clubhouse on the final day of each series, approximately one hour after the last boat finishes, subject to protests.
4. **DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**
   1. UYC will accept no liability for loss, material damage, injury or death sustained prior to, or during, or after racing. The safety of a boat and her entire management shall be the sole responsibility of the owner/person in charge who must ensure that the boat and crew are adequate to face the conditions that may arise in the course of the racing.
   2. Competitors’ attention is drawn to RRS 4.
5. **INSURANCE**
   1. All competitors shall warrant that they are covered by adequate third party insurance cover or £2m.
6. **FURTHER INFORMATION**
   1. Refreshments will be available during the day.
   2. Breakfasts will be available from 0830 approximately each day.
   3. Camping is available in the club grounds. Direction will be given on arrival.
   4. All visitor camping must be paid for in addition to the entry fee.
   5. Evening meals will be available on Saturday & Sunday 15th & 16th August.

Meals must be booked at registration.

11.6 For further information please visit the UYC website at

www.ullswateryachtclub.org

Further information contact:-

**UYC Sailing Secretary-**

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