Nottinghamshire County Sailing Club

Solo, RS600 & Aero Open meeting

Date: Saturday 30th Sept 2023

NOTICE OF RACE

1. Rules

1.1. Racing will be held under the Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024, the Open Meeting Sailing Instructions of NCSC, and the principals and practices of the RYA Racing Charter.

2. Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1. Registration and credit card fee payment online via the NCSC website. Enter by selecting appropriate "ticket" on the web page <u>https://members.ncsc.org.uk//event/759135</u> Six Ticket types are available; Seniors and under 19's in all 3 classes
- 2.2. Note you will be prompted to Login. Please create a "guest" account to facilitate this. Your details will be deleted after the event.
- 2.3. Online entries will close at 5pm, Friday 29th Sept 2023. Late entries will be accepted at the club on the race day using the NCSC Open meeting entry form. Credit card payment may be possible via the club's credit card reader.

3. Fees

3.1. Entry fees: Adults £15 per boat, Junior (under 19 as at 31st Dec 2023) £8 per boat

4. Schedule

- 4.1. A briefing will take place on the Club House balcony at 10.30am.
- 4.2. The 1st warning signal shall not be before 10.55am Saturday 30th Sept 2023.
- 4.3. Maximum of up to 3 races to be sailed.
- 4.4. The last start will be no later than 1600 hours
- 4.5. One discard will be allowed if three races are sailed. If less than three races sailed overall, results of all sailed races will count.

5. Eligibility and Starts

- 5.1. The event is open to Solos, Rs600 and Aero's with 9, 7, 6 & 5 rigs
- 5.2. All classes will share the same course but will have separate starts in the sequence RS600, Aero, Solo.
- 5.3. The Aero's will be timed and average lap handicaps applied for each rig size to determine

their finishing positions.

5.4 Under 19's include anyone who is under 19 on 31st December 2023

6. Sailing Instructions

- 6.1. NCSC Open Meeting Sailing Instructions can be viewed on the club website <u>www.ncsc.org.uk</u>
- 6.2. Amendments to the Sailing Instructions will posted no later than 1 hour before the start of scheduled racing in a notice posted on the noticeboard.
- 6.3. The Notice Board is adjacent to the Race Office inside the conservatory.

7. Prizes

7.1. Prizes will be awarded for the winners of each class overall. The race committee may award prizes for other places & categories subject to entry numbers.

8. Disclaimer of Liability

8.1. Competitors participate in the event entirely at their own risk. See rule 4 RRS. The organising 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.

9. Insurance

8.1. All participants shall be listed on an entry form. They or their representative shall pay the entry fee and sign the entry form to confirm that their craft is insured for third party liability to a minimum of £3 million.

10. Further information

- 9.1 Food will be available during the event, served in the clubhouse.
- 9.2 Free camping will be available from the night before the event until it finishes.

If you require any further information, please contact Ian Firth by email <u>iandfirth@gmail.com</u>

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