

“BACK TO SAILING” Regatta
All Dinghies with a PY of less than 1300
(including Flying 15s)
Saturday 25th July, 2020



NOTICE OF RACE

The organising authority is Bray Sailing Club (BSC), The Harbour, Bray, Co. Wicklow.

Rules

The event will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the prescriptions of Irish Sailing, the Sailing Instructions (SIs) and this notice of race. World Sailing Regulation 20 will apply.

Conditions of Entry

Boats shall be entered by a member of a club, or other organisation, affiliated to a member national authority of World Sailing. Entries are accepted on the basis that in no circumstances will any liability for injury to person(s) or property, or loss of property, attach to the Trustees, Officers, Committee, Race Committee, or Members of Bray Sailing Club.

The boat's owner or representative must confirm that his/her boat is covered by adequate Third Party Indemnity Insurance.

All competitors and race officials who are not members of Bray Sailing Club will be automatically members of the Club for the duration of the event and will be subject to the rules of the Club.

Classes

Racing will be provided for all Dinghies with a PY of 1300 or less, including Flying 15s, sailing as a PY Handicap fleet. Classes may be given separate starts. The composition of fleets will be at the entire discretion of the organising authority, and will be notified shortly after the close of registration.

Payment, Registration and Entry Fee

Registration will take place online via the “Payments” link on www.braysailingclub.ie only. Registration will close at 1100 on Saturday 25th July. The entry fee for all competitors will be €10 for double handed boats and €5 for single handed boats. There is no admin fee for online bookings. **For those sailing who are under 18 years of age on the day of the event, a parent's or guardian's consent is required. An entry limit may be imposed by the Race Committee in order to provide adequate safety boat cover. Entries will be accepted in the order in which they are received with full payment.**

Schedule of Races

Up to 6 races are scheduled. The warning signal for the first race will be at 1400 on Saturday 25th July.

Courses

Details of the courses to be sailed will be contained in the Sailing Instructions.

Scoring System

The Low Point scoring system, RRS Appendix A shall apply, except that when fewer than 4 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

Sustainability

In keeping with Bray Sailing Club's sustainability policy, Sailing Instructions will only be made available in digital format. We encourage competitors to consider their impact on the environment by only printing if necessary, and to consider ways to reduce or eliminate their use of single use plastics (such as disposable water bottles) during this event.

Prizes

Prizes will be awarded at the discretion of the organising authority.

COVID-19 Precautions

Competitors should note that the club kitchen and changing rooms will not be open for the event, except in the case of emergency. It is planned to hold the prizegiving, accompanied by a light snack, immediately after sailing, and it is expected that competitors will attend in their sailing gear before going home.

Tides

Bray Harbour dries out at low water. There is enough water at the slip for launching and retrieving boats for more than 2 hours each side of high water. HW Saturday 25th July is at 1610hrs

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