

TYNEMOUTH SAILING CLUB

INTERNATIONAL 14 CLASS CHAMPIONSHIPS & PRINCE OF WALES CUP WEEK

Monday 2nd August to Friday 6th August 2021 ((incl)

NOTICE OF RACE

<u>VENUE:</u> Racing to be held at sea off Tynemouth / South Shields. Access to the water from Priors Haven, Tynemouth, located on the north bank of the Tyne Estuary adjacent to Tynemouth Castle & Priory. Changing and refreshment facilities available in the Clubhouse. Bar & Galley in TSC Clubhouse

TRAVEL: Train from London King's X to Newcastle (<3hrs) then Metro to Tynemouth Station (5min walk from TSC) Fly to Newcastle Airport & Metro - Airport to Tynemouth

PROGRAMME:	Monday 2 nd August:	Race 1 Start: 13.00	Race 2 to follow	High Tide: 11.14
•	Tuesday 3 rd August:	Race 3 Start: 13.00	Race 4 to follow	High Tide: 12.26
	Wednesday 4 th August:	Race 5: Start: 13.00	Race 6 to follow	High Tide: 13.33
	Thursday 5 th August:	Prince of Wales Cup Race	Start at 13.00	High Tide: 14.29
	Friday 6 th August:	Race 7: Start: 11.00	Race 8 to follow	High Tide: 15.15

No warning signal shall be made after 14.00 on Friday 6th August

REGISTRATION & BRIEFING: Registration in TSC Clubhouse from 12 noon on Saturday 31st July & from 10.00 on Sunday 1st Aug

Briefing in the clubhouse at 18.30 on Sunday 1st August

RACING AREA AND COURSES: The racing area shall be either in the North Bay off Tynemouth to the north of the North Pier; or in the South Bay off South Shields to the south of the South Pier. Courses shall either be 'windward-leeward' or 'triangle-sausage'.

ELIGABILITY: The regatta is open to all boats of the international 14 class with a current measurement certificate. All boats must be adequately insured with cover of at least £5million against third party claims.

MEASUREMENT AND INSPECTION: A valid measurement certificate must be presented at registration. Measurement spot checks may be made at any time during the event.

ENTRY FEE: £300 per boat to include 2 tickets for POW Dinner on Friday 6th August at The Grand Hotel, Tynemouth and post sailing pasta after racing each day. **Reduced Entry Fee:** £280.00 per boat for entries received before July 1st 2021 Online entry found at http://tynemouthsc.co.uk/ Sailing Instructions will be provided on receipt of entry.

INSURANCE: Each participating boat shall be insured with a valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £2,000,000 per incident or equivalent.

RACING RULES: All races to be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024 and the Sailing Instructions (SI's)

<u>ADVERTISING:</u> In accordance with RRS 6.1 boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority

SCORING: For the UK Championships, 8 races are scheduled & 3 races must be completed to constitute a series. When fewer than 5 races have been completed, each boat's series score will be the total of her scores. When 5 or more races are completed a boats series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score

TROPHIES & PRIZES:

PRINCE OF WALES CUP RACE: OPEN TROPHIES

Prince of Wales Cup Helm of the winner of the PoW Cup Race
Torpoint Mosquito Trophy Crew of the winner of the PoW Cup Race

Morgan Giles Challenge Bowl First woman in the PoW Cup Race
Nora Chichester Smith Trophy First helmswoman in the PoW Cup Race

Veterans Trophy First helm over 50 yrs of age (on date of race) to finish in PoW Cup Race

Develin 1938 replica First crew over 50 yrrs of age (on date of race) to finish in PoW Cup Race

Marlow Trophy First foreign competitor in POW Cup Race

Bruce Banks 1947 replica First competitor under 25 in POW Cup Race

PRINCE OF WALES CUP RACE: 'CLASSIC 14s'

Buccaneer Trophy First 'Classic 14' in the PoW Cup Race

Doll Perpetual Trophy First woman in the 'Classic 14' in the PoW Cup Race

PRINCE OF WALES CUP WEEK: OPEN TROPHIES

Lowestoft Bowl Winner of Points Races 1 & 2
Hunstanton Plate Winner of Points Race 3
Weymouth Town Trophy Winner of Points Race 4
Island Commemorative Trophy Winner of Points Race 5 & 6
Llandudno Trophy Winner of Points Race 7 & 8

Wind Whisper Trophy
Lowest points in Wind Whisper series (Points Races excl. PoW Cup Race).

Windmaster Trophy
Helm or crew over 50 yrs on 19th May 2021 with best score in Wind Whisper

Grapple Trophy
Helm or crew over 60 yrs on 19th May 2021 with best score in Wind Whisper

SOCIAL/Refreshments (Covid allowing):

Club open daily from 9am for breakfast. Bar open after sailing each day

Commodores Reception Monday 2nd August 6pm Tynemouth Sailing Club

TSC club Social Fish and Chips – Wednesday 4th August 6.30pm - tickets available separately

POW Dinner Friday 6th August 7.00 pm for 7.30 at the Grand Hotel, Tynemouth (Ticket included)

RISK STATEMENT: Rule 3 of the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS 3) states, 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone'. Sailing is by its nature an unpredictable sport and therefore inherently involves an element of risk. By taking part in the event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that:

- (a) They are aware of the inherent element of risk involved in the sport and accept responsibility for the exposure of themselves their crew and their boat to such inherent risk whilst taking part in the event;
- (b) They are responsible for the safety of themselves, their crew, their boat and other property whether afloat or ashore;
- (c) They accept responsibility for any injury, damage or loss to the extent caused by their own actions or omissions
- (d) Their boat is in good order, equipped to sail in the event and they are fit to participate;
- (e) The provision of a race management team, safety ribs and other officials and volunteers by the event organiser does not relieve them of their own responsibilities;
- (f) The provision of safety boat cover is limited to such assistance, particularly in extreme weather conditions, as can practicably be provided in the circumstances
- (g) It is their responsibility to familiarise themselves with any risks specific to this venue or this event drawn to their attention in any rules and information produced for the venue or event and to attend any safety briefing held for the event;

The fact that race officials may conduct inspections of a boat does not reduce the responsibilities of each competitor set out in this Notice of Race