

Notice of Race 2018 August Bank Holiday Regatta

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing, the RYA prescriptions and the rules of the individual competitor's Class Association.
- 1.2. The Grafham Water Sailing Club Sailing Instructions (S.I.) will apply except as stated in any supplementary Sailing Instructions.
- 2. ADVERTISING shall comply with ISAF Regulation 20 and the relevant rules of the individual competitor's Class Association. Grafham Water Sailing Club may require the display of advertising material.

ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1. The ISAF Sailor Classification Code shall not apply to this event.
- 3.2. Entry to the Regattas is open to the members of Grafham Water Sailing Club.
- 3.3. Entry is by helm. Helms may sail different boats on each day and different helm/crew combinations are permitted.

4. SCHEDULE and RACING FORMAT

The Regatta is a six "race" series over three days: Sat 25th Aug, Sun 26th Aug and Mon 27th Aug. There will be two "races" each day as follows:

Sat 25th - in conjunction with the usual "Sociable Saturday" Race programme - 2 races starting at 15:00 with a briefing at 14:30

Sun 26^{th} Aug – in conjunction with the usual Sunday pm programme – 2 races starting at 14:00

Mon 27th Aug – in conjunction with the Long Distance Race. Boat must enter times for two laps during the course of the day. It follows that boats sailing the whole of the Long Distance Race may enter their two best laps. Boats not entering the whole of the Long Distance Race may choose during the day when to sail their two laps (which need not be sailed sequentially)

Results will be calculated on the basis of handicap adjusted times

5. RESULTS AND PRIZES

- 5.1. Prizes for the series will be awarded depending on the number of boats, the number of prizes approximately equating to the square root of the number of boats entering at least four races.
- 5.2. The prize giving for the Regatta will be as soon as practical after the conclusion of the Long Distance Race on Mon 27th August

5.3. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS AND SCORING

- 5.3.1. Sailing Instructions will be available in the Club House on Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th August
- 5.3.2. Results will be calculated on the basis of handicap corrected times
- 5.3.3. Four races are required to constitute a Series. Each entrants series score shall be the total of his/her best four "race" scores



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5.3.4. The RYA Scoring System set out in Appendix A of the Racing Rules will apply except as set out above

6. SOCIAL

The Club bar will be open from mid-afternoon on all three days of the regatta.

There will be a barbeque on Mon 27th August