



XMAS REGATTA



2018

Wexford Harbour Boat and Tennis Club, Redmond Road, Wexford

NOTICE OF RACE Sun 30th December 2018

- 1. Rules**
 - 1.1 The regatta will be governed by rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020*, and the prescriptions of the Irish Sailing Association (ISA)
 - 1.2 The Rules of the relevant Class Associations shall apply.
 - 1.3 The Rules of Wexford Harbour Boat & Tennis Club (WHBTC) shall apply.
- 2. Advertising**
 - 2.1 Advertising is allowed under Regulation 20 Appendix 1 of the ISAF Advertising Code.
- 3. Eligibility and Entry**
 - 3.1 The regatta is open to all classes of dinghy, at the discretion of the Race Committee.
 - 3.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the entry form and submitting it, together with the required fee, at registration
 - 3.3 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Race Committee.
- 4. Fees.**
 - 4.1 €20.00 for all dinghies save for Junior-helmed Dinghies €10.00 for all Junior-helmed Dinghies
- 5. Schedule. (Please note; No 16 Further Information)**

- 5.1 Registration Sunday 30th December 2018 from 09.30hrs to 10.00hrs
- 5.2 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Race Committee.
- 5.3 Briefing: 10.00hrs on the Sunday 30th December 2018.
- 5.4 Three races are scheduled.
- 5.5 The warning signal will be at 11.00 subsequent races will follow as soon as is practicable after the first race but no race will start after 10hrs

- 6. **Measurement.**
 - 6.1 A boat or equipment may be measured at any time for compliance with the class rules and the sailing instructions.
 - 6.2 Before launching all competing boats must have a painter of adequate strength for their craft, of not less than 3 metres in length and secured and ready for use.

- 7. **Sailing Instructions.**
 - 7.1 The sailing instructions will be available at Registration and on the Club Website.

- 8. **The Venue.**
 - 8.1 Slaney River and or Wexford Harbour.

- 9. **The Courses.**
 - 9.1 The courses to be sailed will be as described in the Sailing Instructions or at the briefing.

- 10. **Scoring.**
 - 10.1 The Low Point System of Appendix A will apply.
 - 10.2 When 2 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
 - 10.3 When 3 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score, except as specified by RRS 90.3(b)

- 11. **Prizes.**
 - 11.1 Prizes will be given as follows: 1st 2nd and 3rd overall in each class with 3 or more entrants.
 - 11.2 Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Race Committee.
 - 11.3 The prize-giving will be held as soon as practicable after the final results are known.

- 12. **Disclaimer of Liability**
 - 12.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organising authority will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the regatta.

- 13. **Insurance**
 - 13.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance (minimum cover of €3,000,000) for the duration of the event.

- Further Information**
 - 14.1 **Competitors are advised to check the club notice boards and the club website, www.whbtc.ie for up to date information on the dates that racing will take place, in addition to other Winter Series information.**
 - 14.2 For further information, please check the WHBTC website or contact the Race Committee on any Race Day.