



Nottinghamshire County Sailing Club

Regatta 2022

Saturday 16th July & Sunday 17th July 2022

Racing for NCSC Commodore's Cup & the Regatta Novice Championship

NOTICE OF RACE

1. Rules

- 1.1. Racing will be held under the Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024, The Event Sailing Instructions of Nottinghamshire County Sailing Club, and the principals and practices of the RYA Racing Charter.
- 1.2. The Organising Authority is Nottinghamshire County Sailing Club.

2. Sailing Instructions

- 2.1 The Event Sailing Instructions will be posted on the club website www.ncsc.org.uk and no later than 24:00 1st July 2021

3. Communication

- 3.1 The Official Notice Board is located in the club conservatory outside the race office.

4. Eligibility and Entry

- 4.1 The events are open to monohull sailing dinghies under 22ft in overall length (including any bowsprit or similar contrivance when fully extended) and/or with a PYN not lower than a 505 which is currently 903 or higher than 1409. Non-foiling Windsurfers are welcome.
- 4.2 The Commodores Cup will be divided into 4 divisions with 4 separate starts:
Dinghy – Fast
Dinghy – Slow
Dinghy – Junior
Windsurfer

The split between dinghy fast and dinghy slow will be announced on the day

Each division will compete for separate trophies

Competitors in the junior category shall be under 19 on the 31st December 2022. Junior competitors may race with the fast or slow fleets but the Junior Commodore's cup will be awarded to a competitor starting with the Junior start.

4.3 Regatta Novice Championship

This event will comprise a single fleet/single start

The event is restricted to competitors who have never finished 5th or better in any club series in a previous year.

4.2 All competitors shall be deemed temporary members of Nottinghamshire County Sailing Club and must comply with the rules defined by The Club. In particular, competitors must comply with any regulations or recommendations the club may have in place at the time of the event which relate to Covid 19.

4.3 Entry is in advance through the NCSC website or on paper entry forms available at the bar. No entries shall be accepted on the day.

4.4 The entry closing date is 22:00:00 on 14th July 2022

4.5 Where a class permits multiple rigs, the rig chosen shall be specified with the entry and may not be amended for the duration of the event.

4 Fees

5.1 Commodores Cup NCSC Members No Charge

Double Handed: Adult Visitors £30:00, under 19 on 31st Dec 2022 £15.00

Single Handed: Adult Visitors £20:00, under 19 on 31st Dec 2022 £10.00

Regatta Novice Championship No Charge

5 Advertising

6.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and approved by the event coordinators and approved by the Organising Authority

6 Schedule

- 7.1 A briefing will be held at 10.00 am on the Saturday on the verandah outside the clubhouse
- 7.2 Commodore's Cup 4 Races are scheduled , two on each day
- On Saturday the first Warning Signal shall not be before 11:30
- On Saturday the second Warning Signal shall not be before 13:45
- On Sunday the first Warning Signal shall not be before 11:00
- On Sunday the second Warning Signal shall not be before 13:15
- 7.3 Novice Championship On Saturday the first Warning Signal shall not be before 15:00
- On Sunday the first Warning Signal shall not be before 14:30
- 7.4 Maximum of four races to be sailed for the Commodore's Cup
- Maximum of two races to be sailed for the Novice Championship
- 7.5 The last warning signal be no later than 16:30 on each day.
- 7.6 Race times are subject to change and any variation will be posted on the Official Notice Board.

7 Venue

- 8.1 The venue is Nottinghamshire County Sailing Club at Hoveringham Nottinghamshire NG14 7JS

8 Courses

- 9.1 Courses will be defined in the Sailing Instructions

9 Scoring

- 10.1 At least 1 race is required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 10.2 Commodores Cup - When fewer than four races are completed the boats score will be the total of her race scores. When four races are completed the boats score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worse score.
- 10.3 Novice Championship - A boats score will be the total of her race scores.

11 Risk Statement

- 11.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury.
- 11.2 The provision of safety patrol boat cover does not relieve the competitors of their responsibilities.

12 Disclaimer of Liability

- 12.1 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.

13 Insurance

- 13.1 All participants shall be listed on the 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.

14 Prizes

- 14.1 10.1 Prizes will be awarded at the discretion of the organising authority (Nottinghamshire County Sailing Club) and shall be a minimum of 1st, 2nd, 3rd place overall for each event.

15 Covid Statement

- 15.1 The Club requests that visitors familiarise themselves with the latest Covid 19 guidance on the website www.ncsc.org.uk and comply with that guidance when on site.

16 Further information

16.1 A social event will be held on the Saturday Evening. Tickets for the social event must be booked separately from the sailing entry. Brief Details are as follows:

BBQ: to include a mixture of Lamb Burgers, Angus Beef Burgers, Pork Sausages, Marinated chicken pieces (Hickory smoked & Peri Peri Flavoured}

Vegetarian/Vegan options available – please state when booking

Ticket Prices: Adult £15.00 , Age 13 and under £8:00

Music and Dancing ‘Stargazy’