

St Catherines Sailing Club 61st Annual Regatta



18th – 20th July 2014

Notice of Race

Organising Authority: St Catherines Sailing Club

All times Local Time (UTC+1)

Date	High Water St. Helier	Height (m)
Friday 19 th July	23:56	9.84
Saturday 20 th July	12:21	9.35
Sunday 21 st July	13:16	8.75

Location:

The event will be held in St Catherines Bay, Jersey.

Regatta website and enquiries:

Periodic updates and the very latest information on the Regatta are on www.scsc.org.je. Enquiries should be addressed to the Sailing Secretary ian_moisan@hotmail.com

1. Rules

- 1.1 The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016* and any applicable class rules;
- 1.2 The Prescriptions of the Royal Yachting association will apply;
- 1.3 Racing rules 35 and A2 will be changed. These changes will be shown in full in the St Catherines Sailing Club 2014 Sailing Instructions. Those Sailing Instructions may also change other rules.
- 1.4 Personal flotation devices shall be worn. This changes rule 40.

2. Advertising

- 2.1 ISAF Regulation 20.3 shall apply.

3. Eligibility and Entry

- 3.1 The Regatta is open to boats in the following classes:

- Open Dinghies with a 2014 Portsmouth Yardstick Number
- Open Dinghies with an allocated SCSC Trial Number

Dinghies without a 2014 PY handicap can apply for a Club Trial Number and submitting their entry to the sailing secretary. The entry must be submitted at least 1 day before the Regatta.

Entries must be from those who are members of either St Catherines Sailing Club or a recognised yacht club. Application forms for membership of St Catherines Sailing Club are on www.scsc.org.je ;

- 3.2 Eligible boats shall enter by completing the attached entry form and delivering it with the appropriate entry fee to the SCSC Regatta Office by **1800 Friday 18th July**;
- 3.3 Late entries may be accepted at the sole discretion of the Organising Authority;
- 3.4 The following restrictions on the number of boats apply:
 - 3.4.1 There shall be a minimum of 2 boats starting to constitute any race, and a minimum of 2 starters in each class to constitute a race for that class.

4. Fees

- 4.1 A £10 race fee will be charged for entry into the sailing events except for the Trophy de Paris, for the duration of the Regatta;
- 4.2 Separate charges will be made by the House Committee for produce sold at the Club canteen;
- 4.3 The organised barbecue and catering will be charged separately as follows;
 - Friday – Evening – Bacon Rolls (£2)
 - Saturday - Lunch – (£5)
 - Saturday - BBQ - (£8)
 - Sunday - Lunch – (£5)

Anyone wishing to sign up for food for the whole weekend in advance will receive a discount - the all-in price is £15.

It is recommended that you advise the House Committee members of your numbers for catering purposes.

Please settle any such charges before the end of the regatta direct with the House Committee;

5. Schedule of Races:

- 5.1 **Friday 18th July – First warning signal not before 18:55**
 - 5.1.1 **19:00** - Swan Verner – **Class Flag O**. Race for singlehanded dinghies only;
 - 5.1.2 **19:05** - The Crews Challenge – **Class Flag C**. For two-handed boats helmed crews that normally do not helm the boat;
- 5.2 **Saturday 19th July – First warning signal not before 09:55**
 - 5.2.1 **10:00** - Moisan Keg of Ale Pursuit Race;
 - 5.2.2 Mini Moisan Pursuit – Start refer to published staggered starting sequence
 - 5.2.3 **11:30** - Peace Cup - **Class Flag O**. For helms under 13 in Optimists;
 - 5.2.4 **11:35** - Under 21's Muhleman mug – **Class Flag M**;
 - 5.2.5 **11:40** – Veterans Race (over 45's) – **Class Flag V**;
 - 5.2.6 **Prize giving – Keg of Ale and Mini Moisan Pursuit races**
 - 5.2.7 **LUNCH**
 - 5.2.8 **14:00** – RNLI Pennant(s) – **Class Flag O**. Open handicap (Club Championship qualifier)
 - 5.2.9 **15:15** – Bolitho Cup – **Class Flag B**. Open handicap (Club Championship qualifier)
 - 5.2.10 **BBQ** – Please book with House Committee;
- 5.3 **Sunday 20th July – First warning signal not before 09:55**
 - 5.3.1 **10:00** – Marrett Trophy – **Class Flag M**. Race for two-handed dinghies sailed singlehanded (Club Pico's are not considered to be two-handed dinghies for this event)
 - 5.3.2 **10:30** – Trophy de Paris – **Class Flag O**. 3 short races for Club Oppies (Level 3/4 Helms)
 - 5.3.3 **11:00** – The P and T Cup. His & Hers race – **Class Flag M**. Two laps, one helmed by him and the other by her (any order);
 - 5.3.4 **11:45** – Thyra's Bowl – **Class Flag T**. Race for female helms only;
 - 5.3.5 **LUNCH**
 - 5.3.6 **Prize giving – Trophy de Paris**
 - 5.3.7 **14:00** – Ann Port Trophy – **Class Flag O**. Open handicap 2 races to count (Club Championship qualifier) with overall results to include Class Prizes
 - 5.3.8 **Results & Prize giving – Bolitho Cup, RNLI Pennants, Ann Port Trophy and the Commodores Prize**
- 5.4 For each class, subsequent race start times following the first race each day are provisional and may vary (but no earlier) subject to the discretion of the Race Officer

6. Measurements

- 6.1 Open dinghies shall have a valid Portsmouth Yardstick or SCSC Trial Number;

- 6.2 The Regatta Race Committee reserve the right to inspect any dinghy without notice to ensure each boat meets its class criteria.

7. Sailing Instructions

- 7.1 Published Sailing Instructions for the Regatta are available from the Organising Authority and on the website for download;

8. The Courses – To be described in full in the Sailing Instructions

- 8.1 Courses will be set in St Catherines Bay, extending south toward Gorey, and will comprise one or more laid marks and/or one or more fixed marks as shown on the SCSC Course Card which is provided with the 2014 Sailing Instructions.

9. Scoring

- 9.1 The Low Points System will apply;
9.2 No discards are allowed except in the Trophy de Paris for Club Oppies, where 1 discard is allowed.

10. Radio Communication

- 10.1 During racing, a boat shall neither seek nor receive information with regard to the race itself, or other competing boats in the race, if this information could be construed in any way under Rule 41 as receiving outside assistance which is not available to all boats. Communication via VHF, mobile or any other means of communication that does not relate to the race, or other competing boats in the race, is permitted.

11. Prizes

- 11.1 Unless stated the schedule of races, trophies and prizes plus place prizes will be presented at the Annual Dinner in November.
- 11.2 The following prizes will be awarded;
- 11.2.1 Swan Verner Cup – singlehanded trophy
 - 11.2.2 Crews Challenge - For two-handed boats helmed crews that normally do not helm the boat;
 - 11.2.3 Moisan Keg of Ale – winner of the fast pursuit plus additional prizes
 - 11.2.4 Mini Moisan –winner of the slow pursuit plus additional prizes
 - 11.2.5 Peace Cup – winner of the 13 and under race
 - 11.2.6 Muhleman Mug – winner of U21 race
 - 11.2.7 Veterans – winner of over 45 race
 - 11.2.8 RNLI Pennants – 1st Overall & 1st Junior
 - 11.2.9 Bolitho Cup – overall winner of Bolitho Cup
 - 11.2.10 Bolitho Plate – 1st junior of Bolitho Cup (if not the overall winner)
 - 11.2.11 Bolitho Shield – 1st Optimist of Bolitho Cup (if not overall winner or 1st Junior)
 - 11.2.12 Marrett Cup – winner of the singlehanded race in double-handed boats
 - 11.2.13 Thrya's Bowl - winner of the race for female helms
 - 11.2.14 The P & T Cup – winner of His & Hers race
 - 11.2.15 Trophy de Paris – Overall winner of Club Oppie Class races (Level 4 helms)
 - 11.2.16 Ann Port Trophy – Overall winner of Ann Port Trophy Open handicap races
 - 11.2.17 Streaker Cup – 1st Streaker overall in Ann Port Trophy Open handicap
 - 11.2.18 Pippamarie Trophy – 1st Remnant overall in Ann Port Trophy Open handicap
 - 11.2.19 Plaything Bowl – 1st Laser 4.7 overall in Ann Port Trophy Open handicap
 - 11.2.20 CIYS Laser Trophy – 1st Laser Standard overall in Ann Port Trophy Open handicap
 - 11.2.21 The Millenium Cup – 1st Optimist overall in Ann Port Trophy Open handicap
 - 11.2.22 Carter Clipper – 1st Laser Radial overall in Ann Port Trophy Open handicap
 - 11.2.23 RS 200 – 1st overall in Ann Port Trophy Open handicap
 - 11.2.24 Pico – 1st overall in Ann Port Trophy Open handicap
 - 11.2.25 Taz – 1st overall in Ann Port Trophy Open handicap
 - 11.2.26 Feva – 1st overall in Ann Port Trophy Open handicap
- 11.3 Perpetual Trophies shall not be taken out of Jersey.
- 11.4 Commodores Prize – winner at the sole discretion of the Commodore

12. Risk Statement

Rule 4 of the Racing Rules of Sailing 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:

- 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;
- They are responsible for the safety of themselves. Their crew, their boat and their property whether afloat or ashore;
- They accept responsibility for any injury, damage or loss to the extent caused by their own actions or omissions;
- Their boat is in good order, equipped top sail in the event and they are fit to participate;
- The provision of a race management team, patrol boats and other officials and volunteers by the event organiser does not relieve them of their own responsibilities;
- The provision of patrol boat cover is limited to such assistance, particularly in extreme weather conditions, as can practically be provided in the circumstances.

13. Insurance

Each participating boat shall, for the duration of the event, have in force a valid third party liability insurance cover, including racing, to a minimum of £2,000,000.

14. Further Information

For further information please contact the St Catherines Sailing Club by visiting the website www.scsc.org.je or a sailing committee member or by emailing: ian_moisan@hotmail.com

Please note that there will be a skippers' briefing provided each day at least 30 minutes before the first warning signal.



ENTRY FORM

(Closing Date Friday 18th July 2014)

Please reply to: Ian Moisan, Les Landes House, La Rue des Landes, St Peter, Jersey JE3 7BG
or via email to ian_moisan@hotmail.com

Please remember to include your handicap. Any boat starting without a handicap being previously allocated will not count as a finisher and be scored Did Not Compete (DNC).

Name of Vessel Class

Sail Number Handicap

Owner / Helm

Address..... Telephone.....

..... Email

Events Entered (Please enter events below) – Fee £10:00 per boat

Friday 18 th July	
Saturday 19 th July	
Sunday 20 th July	

DECLARATION

I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and all other rules that govern this event. In particular, I confirm that I have read the Notice of Race and accept its provisions and agree that my boat will conform to the requirements set out in the Notice of Race throughout the event.

Signed _____ **Dated** _____

Parental Consent

I confirm that:

1. I agree to my son/daughter’s participation in the above mentioned event.
2. My son/daughter is in good health and is fit to participate.
3. I accept that an element of risk is inherent in the activity

Parent or guardian if applicable: _____