



PARKSTONE YACHT CLUB

62ND POOLE WEEK

23RD –28TH AUGUST 2009



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All Classes of Dinghy plus Flying Fifteen,
Dart, Dolphin, Redwing, Shrimper & XOD

Notice of Race & Entry Form

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NOTICE OF RACE

1. Invitation

Parkstone Yacht Club invites competitors in monohull dinghy classes with a Portsmouth Yardstick, listed on the RYA list for 2009, together with Shrimper, XOD, Dolphin, Redwing, Flying Fifteen, Moth, & Dart 18 classes to Poole Week 2009 to be held from 23 August – 28 August 2009.

The racing includes the Enterprise Blue Jib a on 23 and 24 August, see section 9 of this NoR.

2. Organising Authority

The Organising Authority will be Parkstone Yacht Club.

3. Rules

Racing will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing, the prescriptions of the RYA, the appropriate class association rules, this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions. In the event of any conflict, the Sailing Instructions will prevail. The Sailing Instructions will be available at time of registration. The event is designated Category C for all classes not restricted to category A by their class rules.

4. Classes

If 6 or more entries are received for an individual class by Mon 17 August 2009, a start may be provided for that class.

If a catamaran class has less than 6 entries by Mon 17 August, that class will not race, all entry fees will be refunded. Catamarans cannot sail in the handicap class.

5. Entries

a. The completed entry form must be submitted to Parkstone Yacht Club, Pearce Avenue, Poole, Dorset BH14 8EH, with the entry fee.

b. The entry fee for the series will be £75, except that:

For single handed dinghy classes it is reduced to £60.

For Junior competitors (i.e. the helm and crew must be aged under 18 on 23 August 2009) it is reduced to £35.

For members of Parkstone Yacht Club the entry fee is reduced to £60.

For members of Parkstone Yacht Club sailing single handed dinghy classes the entry fee is reduced to £45.

The entry fee for an individual races, regardless of crew numbers or age, is £15 per day.

c. A late entry supplement of £10 will be applied to entries received after 17 August 2009.

d. No entries will be accepted after 1700 hrs on Saturday 22 August 2009.

e. Registration for all competitors will be at Parkstone Yacht Club between 0900 hrs - 1700 hrs on Saturday 22 August 2009.

6. Racing

a. Racing will take place in Poole Harbour and in Poole Bay.

XOD, Dart, Lasers, RS400, RS200, Flying Fifteen & Merlin Rocket classes will race starting and finishing in Poole Bay on two days, if weather conditions are suitable.

Dolphin, Enterprise, Shrimper, Wayfarer and Handicap Classes will race in Poole Harbour.

The Shrimper class may race from the Harbour into Poole Bay on one day.

- b. Course details, with a description of marks, will be set out in the Sailing Instructions.
- c. The full schedule of races will be set out in the Sailing Instructions.
- d. Racing will not start before 13.45 each day.

- e. One race per day will normally be scheduled for Wayfarer, Shrimper, XOD, Dolphin, Redwing classes.
Two races will be scheduled for the RS200, RS400, Handicap and Laser Classes.
Two races will be scheduled for the Flying Fifteen, Merlin Rocket, Dart and Enterprise classes on two days.

Other classes may sail two races on one or more days; this will be detailed in the Sailing Instructions

On Friday 28 August, an additional race, to be designated a crews race, will be held at the discretion of each class.

Where a 2nd race is scheduled it will start as soon as possible after the finish of the first race of that day for that class.

- f. Arrangements for other classes will be agreed with their representatives

7. Scoring

- a. The event will be scored in accordance with RRS Appendix A, using the Low Points system.
- b. Four races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- c. One discard will be applied when five races have been sailed, and two discards when seven races have been sailed.

8. Prizes

- a. Overall Prizes will be awarded at the discretion of the Race Committee to the leading competitors in each class having regard to the number of boats entered.
- b. Trophies will be awarded in accordance with the stipulations of the individual class.
- c. Additional special prizes will be at the discretion of the Race Committee.
- d. A full list of trophies and prizes will be listed in the Sailing Instructions.
- e. The Overall Prize Giving(s) will take place as soon as possible after racing on Friday 28 August 2009 in the Cruiser shed.

9. Enterprise Open Meeting Scoring and Prizes.

- a. The event will be scored in accordance with RRS Appendix A, using the Low Points system.
- b. These will consist of two races on each of Sunday 23 and Monday 24 August.
- c. One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.
- d. One discard will be applied when four races have been sailed.
- e. Prizes will be awarded at the discretion of the Race Committee to the leading competitors in each class having regard to the number of boats entered.
- f. Prize giving will take place as soon as possible after racing on Monday 24 August.

62nd Poole Week

Poole Week, now in it's 62nd year, is one of the oldest and most popular sailing weeks in the UK.

All at Parkstone Yacht Club cordially invite all of our old friends and new competitors to join us for our traditional week of racing and family fun based on the idyllic shores of Poole Harbour and Poole Bay.

Race courses are set around our large and interesting harbour, as well as outside in Poole Bay. This year all racing will take place from two start lines. Depending on individual class preferences, competitors will be sail one or two races each day selected from a variety of formats : Olympic triangles, windward / leeward as well as races around the harbour or out into Poole Bay.

After racing competitors and families can enjoy afternoon tea & cakes on the clubs veranda. Later we all get together for daily prize giving together with drinks in the club bar. A full programme of entertainment has been organised for the week.

Additional Information for Competitors

Temporary Membership of Parkstone Yacht Club

Visiting competitors are granted temporary Honorary Membership of the club for the duration of the regatta. Additional temporary membership for families and friends is £23.40 (incl VAT) for the event.

Poole Week wrist band must be worn at all times throughout the week, to comply with licencing laws.