

29er & 49er CLASS OPEN REGATTA

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[Parkstone Yacht Club](#)

27-28 June 2009



The Organising Authority is PYC in conjunction with the UK [29er](#) & [49er](#) Class Associations.

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in [The Racing Rules of Sailing](#).

2 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

2.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the 29er and 49er classes.

2.2 Entries may be made in advance by completing the Race Entry Form available online, or on the day at the club office.

2.3 The attention of all helms and crews under 18 years of age during the event is drawn to the parent/guardian declaration at section 7 of the Race Entry Form.

3 FEES

3.1 The fee per boat is £30 if received at the club office before 25th June, otherwise £34.

4 SCHEDULE

4.1 Registration will take place from 9:00 to 11:00 on 27th June at the club office.

4.2 There will be a briefing for competitors at 10:30 on 27th June.

4.3 The warning signal for the first race on 27th June is 11:55 and on 28th June it is 10:25.

4.4 Racing will take place in Poole Bay unless weather dictates that it will be in Poole Harbour details will be advised at the Briefing.

4.5 There will be a barbeque for all competitors and their families at the club after racing on 27th June. Tickets will be available at registration. The Club is holding its Summer Ball on Saturday evening and competitors are welcome to attend, theme is 'Gangsters & Molls'. Tickets are available from the Bar. Further details our on the Clubs website www.parkstoneyachtclub.com.

4.6 A total of 8 races are scheduled, 4 on each day.

4.7 On the last day of the regatta no warning signal will be made after 15:30.

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available online and at registration.

6 PENALTY SYSTEM

6.1 The exoneration penalty and the advisory hearing and RYA arbitration of the [RYA Rules Disputes Procedures](#) will be available.

6.2 For both classes rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

7 SCORING

7.1 Three races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

7.2 When fewer than four races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. When four or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

8 SUPPORT BOATS

8.1 Support boats shall register at the race office during the registration period.

9 PRIZES

9.1 Prizes will be awarded based on entry numbers.

10 RIGHTS TO USE NAMES & LIKENESSES

10.1 Competitors automatically grant to the organising authority without payment the right in perpetuity to make, use and show any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television of or relating to the event.

11 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

11.1 Competitors are entirely responsible for their own safety, whether afloat or ashore, and nothing reduces this responsibility. It is for competitors to decide whether their boat and its helm and crew are fit to sail in the conditions that they might find. By launching or going to sea competitors confirm their boat is fit for those conditions and that they are competent to sail and compete in them. Nothing done by the organisers can reduce the responsibility of the owners and/or competitors, nor will it make the organisers responsible for any loss, damage, death or personal injury, however it may have occurred, as a result of the boat taking part in the racing. The organisers encompass everyone helping to run the event and include the organising authority, race committee, race officer, safety officer, patrol boat personnel and beach masters. The provision of patrol boats does not relieve owners and competitors of their responsibilities.

12 INSURANCE

12.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £2million per event or the equivalent.

13 ACCOMMODATION

13.1 There is plenty of camping and B&B [accommodation](#) close to the club, contact the local [Tourist Information](#) office for details.

14 LOCATION

14.1 [Directions](#) to the club and a [location map](#) can be seen by clicking on the links.

15 PARKING

15.1 Entrance to the club is via a barrier and parking is limited within the club site, Please be prepared to park on the road if requested to do so.

16 FURTHER INFORMATION

16.1 Further information can be obtained from the [Club Office](#) (01202 743610) or [Giles Lloyd Williams](#) (07876 657818) who will be happy to answer any questions.