

YOUTH WEEK 2011
SATURDAY 6th TO FRIDAY 12th AUGUST 2011
PARKSTONE YACHT CLUB

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The Exoneration Penalty and the Advisory Hearing and RYA Arbitration of the RYA Rules Disputes Procedures will be available.

2 ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to boats of the 420, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7, Mirror, Topper, Cadet, Poole Harbour AB and Optimist classes with helm and crews under the age of 19 on 1st January 2011.
- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and sending it, together with the required fee, to Parkstone Yacht Club, Pearce Avenue, Parkstone, Poole, Dorset, BH14 8EH by 29th July 2011.
- 3.3 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the organisers, at the normal entry fee plus twenty five percent.

4 FEES

- 4.1 £67.00 for single handed dinghies, £94.00 for double handed dinghies. There will be an option to buy lunches on the entry form. Entries received before 1st July will include the 2011 Youth Week T-Shirt.

5 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 Registration:
Saturday 6th August from 10:30 To 12:00
- 5.2 Briefing:
There will be a daily briefing for competitors at 9:30 am each day.
- 5.3 Dates of racing:

Date	1st Warning signal
7th August	1140 hours
8th August	1100 hours
9th August	1100 hours

10th August	1100 hours
11th August	1100 hours
12th August	1100 hours

5.4 Number of races:

The maximum number of races for each class will be

Class	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Number of races
420	1	3	2	3	3	2	14
Laser Radial	1	3	2	3	3	2	14
Laser 4.7	1	3	2	3	3	2	14
Cadet	1	3	2	3	3	2	14
Topper	1	3	2	3	3	2	14
Mirror	1	3	2	3	3	2	14
AB Gold	1	2	1	3	3	1	11
AB Silver, Bronze and 'Child + Parent'	1	1	1	2	2	1	8
Optimist	1	2	2	3	3	1	12

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at registration on Saturday 6th August.

7 VENUE

Racing shall take place on two course areas within Poole Harbour.

8 THE COURSES

The courses will be ad-hoc using a mixture of fixed and movable marks. The Sailing instructions may include other fixed courses. For all classes a longer race may be included covering an extended area of Poole Harbour.

9 SCORING

One race shall constitute a series.

- (a) When fewer than 3 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- (b) When from 4 to 6 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- (c) When 7 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

10 OFFICIAL BOATS

Official boats shall be marked with a green flag. All other support boats shall keep clear of the race area during racing.

11 PRIZES

A winner's trophy and other prizes will be awarded in each class

12 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing 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.

21 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of two million pounds per event or the equivalent and have signed indemnities from a person holding parental responsibility under the Children's Act 1989.

22 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact Parkstone Yacht Club.