



North West Norfolk Sailing Association

NOTICE OF RACE (NOR) **75th Anniversary Regatta for National 12, Supernova, Streaker, ILCA & Allcomers** **9th August to 16th August 2025**

- 1.0 The races of the Regatta will take place at member clubs of the North West Norfolk Sailing Association as detailed in the Programme for 2025. North West Norfolk Sailing Association (NWNSA) will be the Organising Authority for racing during the Regatta.
- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2025 – 2028* (RRS) except where changed by the NWNSA's Sailing Instructions or the host club's Sailing Instructions (SIs).
- 1.2 Entry is open to any monohull dinghy with a handicap of less than 1210 in the current Portsmouth Number List. Each vessel must conform to the current class rules of her class authority and should have a current measurement certificate. Weekly entries should be received before the start of the first race. Daily entries must be received before the start of the first race for that day. Entries may be limited by prevailing conditions at any venue.
- 1.3 Registration shall be in advance by email or post, or in person before racing and shall not be completed until payment as detailed in the programme is received.
- 1.4 Weekly Racing Fleets; these are expected to be the following, but may vary:
 - a) N12 CLASS FLEET which may be divided into current and classic handicap fleets
 - b) HANDICAP FLEET: boats with a PN of LESS THAN 1210 which may be subdivided

These weekly fleets are subject to change depending on the number of entrants from a class. A minimum of five entrants from any class are required to form a Weekly Fleet.
- 1.5 The races will start at the times and venues detailed in the programme, with the first start on Saturday 9th August being at 1830 hours for the National 12 fleet at Snettisham Beach SC.
- 1.6 RRS 40.1 applies to all races in this regatta: each competitor shall wear a personal flotation device except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. Wet suits and dry suits are not personal flotation devices.

- 1.7. Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority (see rule 6 and the World Sailing Advertising Code) and other information related to advertising.
- 1.8. As some venues involve sailing in areas where larger vessels are likely to be constrained by their draught, competitors are reminded that they must not interfere with the navigation of such vessels under any circumstances.
- 1.9. Sailing Instructions for each Club will be available for individual download by competitors from the NWNSA website (www.norfolkweek.co.uk). A reference copy will be available at each venue.
- 1.10. Courses will vary considerably during the week: The Ouse Amateur SC courses are 'round-the-cans' on an inland waterway; Snettisham Beach SC sail exclusively on open sea, usually with triangular or windward-leeward courses; Overly Staithe SC sail on the open sea or inside the tidal harbour as conditions demand; Blakeney SC have a committee boat start and courses that use the buoys in the tidal harbour.
- 1.11. Scoring will be by finishing order for class fleets, or by the system in Appendix A for handicap fleets. The number of scheduled races to count for the week is 12 (twelve) for all fleets. The minimum number of races that must be completed to constitute a series is 9 (nine). Where races are curtailed by conditions, the organising authority will, where possible, alter the schedule so that these races take place at a different time or venue, for the awarding of prizes.
- 1.12. When a race cannot be sailed or rescheduled, it shall be classed as unsailed.
- 1.13. The number of races that will be discarded will be 0000011222333, ie: 1 discard at 6 races, 2 discards at 8 and 3 discards at 11. Unsailed races are not included.
- 1.14. Appendix P does not apply to any race during this regatta.
- 1.15. The time after which no warning signal will be made on the last scheduled day of racing is 1130.
- 1.16. This year NWNSA is once again putting on some camping for you if you'd like somewhere economical to stay! This consists of £5 per night pitches for tents or caravans in the barbecue field referred to in the next paragraph.

North West Norfolk Sailing Week is holding a midweek party for members and friends on August 13th at 6pm. It is a barbecue event with music provided by the Fried Pirates . It also happens to be on a birthday. We will provide food to be barbecued but anyone is welcome to bring along what ever they want cooked. **You will bring your own drink.** Seating not particularly provided. Shelter from rain..if we have some...in the barn. There is a loo, there is camping space and parking space.

ADDRESS ..My Field, Bircham Tofts, PE31 6QS - What3Words....system.dull.nutty
Its on the north side of the Stanhoe Rd..B1155..if coming from Burnham market, at the end of a line of council houses. The last council house has a business that appears on Google maps called "Done n Dusted."

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- 1.17. Free camping is available throughout the Week at Snettisham Beach SC.