



Tudor Sailing Club, Locks Sailing Club, Langstone Sailing Club, Portsmouth

Langstone Harbour Race Weekend IX

Friday 26th May (evening) – Monday 29th May 2017

Incorporating on Saturday 27th and Sunday 28th, the



Wanderer National Championship 2017

Buzz National Championship 2017

ISO National Championship 2017

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*, the Prescriptions of the RYA and the Sailing Instructions.

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all dinghies with a Portsmouth Yardstick. Multihulls are not permitted.
2.2 Boats may enter by posting an entry form, by Monday 22nd May, together with the required fee, to the address given below in *Further Information*.
2.3 Boats may enter online. The last date for online entry is Thursday 25th May 2017.
2.4 Boats may enter at the event providing the entry limit has not been reached.
2.5 Entry is limited to 100 boats.

3 FEES

Fees are as follows:

Dinghy type	Weekend Cost	Daily Cost
Double Hander	£40*	£15
Single Hander	£30	£12

The weekend entry fee includes social events for competitors on Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Additional social event tickets may be purchased at registration at the cost of £4.00.

*Vago class association members get a £5 discount on the double handler weekend cost.

4 FLEETS

- 4.1 Racing fleets will include, as a minimum, the following:

Fleet	PY Range
Fast Handicap	1025 and below
Medium Handicap	1026 and above
Wanderer	N/A
Buzz*	N/A
ISO*	N/A

Depending on entries, the PY ranges may be adjusted and/or fleets may be added/combined – a fleet is defined as class with 6 (and above) boats.

5 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 Registration will take place at the Tudor Sailing Club on Friday 26th May evening from 19:00 until 22:00. Daily registration will take place 2 hours prior to the scheduled start times.
5.2 The LHRW regatta will be a six race series with two races being sailed each day.
5.3 The scheduled times of the first warning signal each day are as follows:

Date	Start Time
Saturday 27 th May	11:45
Sunday 28 th May	12:30
Monday 29 th May	13:30

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available at registration and on the website.

7 VENUE

Racing will take place in Langstone Harbour using laid inflatable marks.

8 RULES DISPUTES PROCEDURE

The Exoneration Penalty and the Advisory Hearing and RYA Arbitration of the RYA Rules Disputes Procedures will be available.

9 SCORING

9.1 The Low Point System of Appendix A will apply.

9.2 One race will be required to constitute a series.

9.3 A boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst scores as follows:

Races sailed	1	2	3	4	5	6
Scores excluded	0	0	1	1	2	2

10 BERTHING

Visiting dinghies may be stored at the Tudor Sailing Club.

11 PRIZES

11.1 Prizes for the LHRW will be awarded as follows:

11.1.1 A daily prize for the winner of each fleet. All races to count.

11.1.2 If there are sufficient boats of a one-design class racing in a handicap fleet, their results will be removed from the handicap fleet and scored as a separate fleet. They will receive their own prizes.

12 RISK STATEMENT

12.1 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."

12.2 Sailing is by its nature an unpredictable sport and therefore involves an element of risk. By taking part in the event, each competitor agrees and acknowledges that:

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

13 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £2,000,000 per event or the equivalent.

14 RIGHT TO USE NAMES AND LIKENESSES

Competitors automatically grant to the organizing 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.

15 FURTHER INFORMATION

Email: dinghies@tudorsailing.org.uk

Website: www.langstonerace.com

Post: Richard Barnes, LHRW Co-ordinator,
Tudor Sailing Club, Eastern Road, Portsmouth, PO3 5LY

Wanderer National Championships Amendments

Section 2.6 Only Wanderer Class Association members will be eligible to enter the championships. Non-class association members are welcome to compete in the LHRW, but not in the nationals rather within their respective general handicap fleet (i.e. Medium). Alternatively, annual membership of WCOA could be purchased "on the day" or beforehand - in which case the results will stand.

Section 3 The fees are as follows:-

Weekend Cost	Daily Cost
£40	£15

Section 5.2 The Wanderer Nationals, will be a four race series, with two races on Saturday and two races on Sunday.

The Wanderers are welcome to stay for the Monday races , racing as part in the medium handicap fleet, but the race results will not contribute towards the final handicap fleet standings.

Section 5.3 The championships will be run on Saturday 27th May and Sunday 28th May.

Section 9.1 Two races will be required to constitute a series

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Races sailed	1	2	3	4
Scores excluded	0	0	1	1

Section 11.1 Glass trophies for 1st, 2nd & 3rd

Section 11.3 Prize giving will be held on Sunday 28th May at Langstone Sailing Club.

Buzz National Championships Amendments

Section 2.6 Only Buzz Class Association members will be eligible to enter the championships. Non-class association members are welcome to compete in the LHRW, but not in the nationals rather within their respective general handicap fleet (i.e. Fast).

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Weekend Cost	Daily Cost
£40	£15

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Weekend Cost	Daily Cost
£40	£15

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The ISOs are welcome to stay for the Monday races , racing as part in the medium handicap fleet, but the race results will not contribute towards the final handicap fleet standings.

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