



# The Independent Association of Prep Schools Regatta 2015

**20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> May 2015**

**Weymouth & Portland National Sailing Academy**

The Organising Authority is Weymouth and Portland National Sailing Academy (WPNSA) in Association with the Andrew Simpson Sailing Centre (ASSC)

## NOTICE OF RACE

### 1. RULES

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013 – 2016*.

### 2. ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organising Authority.

### 3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 The regatta is open to all members of the Independent Association of Prep Schools.

3.2 There is a limit of two boats per school per category.

3.3 Sailors age must fall in the age categories of under 13 years of age and under 11 years of age on the 20<sup>th</sup> May 2015.

3.4 Schools may enter the regatta by completing an entry form and paying the applicable fee (see 4) to the Andrew Simpson Sailing Centre before Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2015. Forms may be obtained by emailing [weymouth@andrewsimpsonsailing.org](mailto:weymouth@andrewsimpsonsailing.org).

3.5 All sailors under 18 must produce a completed Parent/Guardian consent and declaration form. Without a completed form sailors under 18 will NOT be allowed to complete registration.

### 4. FEES

The entry fee is £35 per sailor for each day.

### 5. SCHEDULE

5.1 The schedule for the two days is as follows:-

Day	Time	Event	Where
Wednesday	09:00 – 10:00	Registration	ASSC Porta Cabin
20 <sup>th</sup> May	10:15	Competitor Briefing	Outside ASSC Porta Cabin (Spinnakers if raining)
Under 11s	11:00	Racing Starts (2 races)	Portland Harbour
	12:45	Lunch	Cafeteria
	13:45	Afternoon 2 Races	Portland Harbour
	16:00	Prize Giving	Spinnakers
Thursday	09:00 – 10:00	Registration	ASSC Porta Cabin
21 <sup>st</sup> May	10:15	Competitor Briefing	Outside ASSC Porta Cabin (Spinnakers if raining)
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- 5.2 Four (4) races are scheduled for each day of the event.
- 5.3 There will be no warning signal after 15:00 on the last scheduled day.
- 5.4 The Organising Authority reserve the right to modify the programme due to weather conditions or other causes.
- 6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**  
The Sailing Instructions will be available at registration.
- 7. VENUE**  
7.1 The venue is Weymouth and Portland National Sailing Academy.  
7.2 The racecourses will be in Portland Harbour.
- 8. THE COURSES**  
8.1 The course to be sailed will be a combination of windward-leeward and/or triangle/sausage.  
8.2 Each race will consist of one triangle lap and one sausage lap unless shortened.
- 9. SCORING**  
9.3 One (1) race is required to be completed to constitute a series.  
9.4 When four (4) or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- 10. SUPPORT BOATS**  
Any support boats must register with ASSC during registration, stating which sailor they are supporting.
- 11. RADIO COMMUNICATION**  
Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.
- 12. PRIZES**  
1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> under 11 years  
1<sup>st</sup> 3 school teams under 11 years  
1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> under 13 years  
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- 13. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**  
Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The Organising 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.
- 14. INSURANCE**  
Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £2,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.
- 15. TELEVISION & PHOTOGRAPHERS' RIGHTS**  
Competitors give absolute right and permission for video footage or photographs of themselves or their boat to be published in any media for press, editorial or advertising purposes.
- 16. FURTHER INFORMATION**  
For further information please contact ASSC on 01305 457400 or [weymouth@andrewsimpsonsailing.org](mailto:weymouth@andrewsimpsonsailing.org).