

Autumn 2022 Dinghy League  
Organising Authority (OA)  
Glandore Harbour Yacht Club

**NOTICE OF LEAGUE RACES**

**1 RULES & HANDICAP SYSTEMS**

- 1.1 The League Races will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2021 – 2024 (RRS) the Irish Sailing Prescriptions. Also respective Class Rules will apply unless specifically advised otherwise.
- 1.2 Handicapping will be under Portsmouth yardstick for all-in dinghies

**2 ADVERTISING**

- 2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority.

**3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 3.1 The Leagues are open to boats of the Dinghy class whose owner(s) is/are a paid up member of GHYC.
- 3.2 Helms must be paid up members of GHYC
- 3.3 The use of different sized rigs during a League is permitted. However, the boat entry must indicate the largest rig that will be used and the handicap relevant to that rig will be applied to all League races sailed, irrespective of rig used.
- 3.4 If a boat competes with a rig larger than the one it has indicated in its entry form it will receive a DNS for the race(s) concerned.
- 3.5 Entries are only accepted on successful completion of the Entry Form and acceptance of the Members' Race Agreement, which must be submitted by the day before the first race or delivered at registration, and upon payment of the fees for the series at registration unless already paid on-line. Boats that have not entered as above will not be permitted to race.
- 3.6 Please check the club web site for Online Payment options
- 3.7 Late entries are accepted at the sole discretion of the Organising Authority.

- 3.8 Visitors will be granted temporary membership of Glandore Harbour Yacht Club for the duration of the event, upon successful completion of Entry Form and signed Declaration.

**4 FEES**

- 4.1 Required fees are as follows: €15 per single-handed boat and €20 per doublehanded boat
- 4.2 Fees must be paid ahead of racing in the competition.

**5 SCHEDULE**

- 5.1 Registration: online via <https://forms.gle/iwFCK2pUqGQTYB9R7> and before 13:00 hours on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of racing for the event in the Clubhouse.
- 5.1 Competitors Briefing will be at 13:00 hours on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of racing for the event on the Pier.
- 5.2 Racing Schedule is as follows: -

| <u>League Dates</u>  | <u># of Races (Target)</u> |
|--|----------------------------|
| Sept. 11 <sup>th</sup> , 18 <sup>th</sup> & 25 <sup>th</sup> | 3 races/ day               |
| Oct. 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 9 <sup>th</sup> , 16 <sup>th</sup>    |                            |

**6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

- 6.1 The GHYC Standard Sailing Instructions (SI's) and the Supplementary SI (SSI's) for the event will be available on line at <http://glandoreyc.com/racing/>

**7 VENUE**

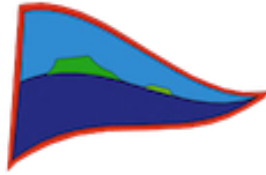
- 7.1 The League Races will be sailed in the waters of Glandore Harbour

**8 THE COURSES**

- 8.1 The Supplementary Sailing Instructions (SSI) will include details of courses.

**9 PENALTY SYSTEM**

- 9.1 For the dinghy classes, RRS 44.1 is changed



so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by One-Turn Penalty, including tack & gybe.

## 10 SCORING

- 10.1 Three races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

## 11 PRIZES

- 11.1 League Prize giving will be at the Clubhouse approx. an hour after the completion of the last race in the series unless otherwise decided by the Race Committee.
- 11.1 There will be a prize for the overall winning boat.
- 11.2 The highest placed boat where the helm and crew (where applicable), are under 18 years of age up to and including the last day of League racing will be awarded the Ronan Daly Jermyn League Trophy.
- 11.3 The Race Committee may operate a system which restricts the number of prizes awarded to any one competitor.
- 11.4 The RC may decide to offer special prizes for the overall series results based on the Entry list.
- 11.5 Additional information in regard to specific Prizes for each League event will be included in the SSI's

## 12 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the Dinghy League Races entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The OA will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the Dinghy League Races.

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## 13 INSURANCE

It is the duty of each boat owner to have his boat adequately insured against any risk, including civil responsibility to third parties and to ensure that such insurance remains valid for the entirety of the boat's attendance at the Dinghy League Races

## 14 RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

By participating in this event, competitors automatically grant to the organizing authority and the event sponsors the right, in perpetuity, to make, use, and show, at their discretion, any photography, audio and video recordings, and other reproductions of them made at the venue or on the water from the time of their arrival at the venue, until their final departure, without compensation.

## 15 ENVIRONMENT SUSTAINABILITY

As part of the venue's commitment to reducing the environmental impact of the event, we request that competitors, team leaders, coaches, volunteers, race officers and all stakeholders follow the Irish Sailing event sustainability guidelines. Details published here:

<https://www.sailing.ie/Clubs-andCentres/Our-Environment>

## 16 FURTHER INFORMATION

- 16.1 For further information and contacts available at: [www.glandoreyc.com](http://www.glandoreyc.com)

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