



# Glandore Regatta for Dinghies 2023

13<sup>th</sup> August

Organising Authority  
Glandore Harbour Yacht Club (GHYC)

## NOTICE OF REGATTA - DINGHIES

### **1 RULES & HANDICAP SYSTEMS**

- 1.1 The Glandore Regatta 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 The regatta will be conducted to conform with the rules relating to Covid-19 as prescribed from time to time by the Irish Sailing Assn and by GHYC
- 1.3 Handicapping where applied will be Portsmouth Yardstick (PY).

### **2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 2.1 The Regatta is open to Dinghy classes whose owner is a paid-up member of GHYC.
- 2.2 Dinghies must provide a PY handicap rating. The club reserves the right to modify any handicap in the interests of fairness and any changes will be notified before the first race.
- 2.3 Helms must be paid up members of GHYC
- 2.4 Entries are only accepted on successful completion of the online [Entry Form](#) to be done by 23:59 the day before the first race or delivered at registration, and upon payment of the fees for the series at registration.
- 2.5 Late entries are accepted at the sole discretion of the Organising Authority.

### **3 FEES**

- 3.1 Required fees are as follows:  
Singlehanders €15, Doublehanders €20.

### **4 SCHEDULE**

- 4.1 Registration: Confirmation of entries and payment of registration fees will take place between 12:00 and 13:00 on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> August at the Clubhouse. For information on completing the registration process see [Entry Form](#)
- 4.2 There will be a briefing for competitors at 13:00hrs in the Club yard.



## **5 Racing Schedule**

- 5.1 A Minimum of 3 boats in any fleet is required before a start will be scheduled.
- 5.2 One all-in mixed dinghy race and one race per Fleet will be held on the day with First Gun at 14:00. The order in which fleets will race will be announced at the briefing.

## **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 the website on the Racing/Racing Information page.

## **7 VENUE**

- 7.1 The Regatta/Race will be sailed in the waters of Glandore Harbour.

## **8 THE COURSES**

- 8.1 The course will be determined by the Race Officer and communicated to sailors at the briefing.

## **9 PENALTY SYSTEM**

- 9.1 RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by One-Turn Penalty, including tack & gybe

## **10 SAFETY REGULATIONS**

- 10.1 Personal Floatation Devices (PFD's)  
All competitors shall wear PFDs at all times while afloat, except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. Flag Y will not be displayed. Wet suits and dry suits are not PFDs. This alters RRS Rule 40

## **11 PRIZES**

- 11.1 Trophies/Prize will be awarded as follows:-
- 11.2 Prizes will be given to the winners of each fleet race. There will be prize for the winner of the handicap race.
- 11.3 Other prizes will be at the discretion of the Race Committee.

## **12 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

- 12.1 Competitors participate in the Regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 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

## **13 INSURANCE**

- 13.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with adequate, valid, third-party liability insurance including racing risk.



## **14 RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS**

- 14.1 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 SCORING**

- 15.1 The Low point system will be used, and where different boats race together the PY handicap system will be used.

## **16 ENVIRONMENT SUSTAINABILITY**

- 16.1 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-and-Centres/Our-Environment>
- 16.2 Single use plastic water bottles should not be used, reuseable water bottles can be refilled in the Clubhouse.

## **17 FURTHER INFORMATION**

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

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