



**Laser 2000 Inlands, Stratos Nationals, Laser 4000 UK Series
Laser 5000 and Vago Open Meeting
May 27th and 28th 2006**

**Organized by
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NOTICE OF RACE

1 Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing, the RYA prescriptions and the relevant Class Association Rules as applicable.
- 1.2 The Grafham Water S.C. Open Meeting Instructions will apply except as stated in any supplementary Sailing Instructions.
- 1.3 The event is designated Category C.

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1 Laser 2000, 4000 and Stratos

Entry is open to all members of the Class Associations as defined within their own Class Association Rules.

2.2 Laser 5000 and Vago

Entry is open to all boats, they are expected to conform to the spirit of their class rules*.

* *Grafham Water Sailing Club actively encourages all competitors to join and support their Class Association*

2.3 Eligible Boats may enter by completing an entry form available at the Race office on Saturday morning, or by completing the form available on their Class Association or GWSC website and sending it, complete with entry fee, to the address shown on the entry form.

2.4 Entry fees per boat will be £25. For the Laser 2000 the Entry Fee for Junior boats will be as the Entry Form
Pre-registration is encouraged.

3 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS AND RACING FORMAT

3.1 Sailing Instructions will be available at registration.

4 SCHEDULE

4.1 Registration will be held at the GWSC Race Office from 09.30 on Saturday. Competitor's briefing will be at 11.00 am Saturday morning in the downstairs wet bar.

4.2 Three back to back races are scheduled for Saturday with the first race warning not before 11.55. Three back to back races are scheduled for Sunday with the first race warning not before 10.55.

The timings and number of races shown may be subject to change if weather or other conditions make this necessary.

5 SCORING

5.1 Three races are required to be completed to constitute a series and there will be one discard when four or more races have been completed.

6 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

6.1 Competitors participate in this regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4 – Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during or after the regatta.

8 INSURANCE

8.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £2,000,000 for any one accident and shall sign a declaration to that effect before going afloat.

9 Other Information

9.1 Campers and camper vans are welcome (please note – NO caravans please – our lease does not allow them). Cafeteria both days, meal available on Saturday evening (Pre-booking at registration) and there will also be entertainment provided.

9.2 Directions to Grafham Water Sailing Club, details of local accommodation, and other information are available on the Club website - <http://www.grafham.org>

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