



Notice of Race

NOBLE MARINE STRATOS Nationals & BLAZE Open Meeting Saturday 13 & Sunday 14 JULY 2013

- 1. Organising Authority: Warsash Sailing Club.
- 2. **Rules**: Racing will be governed by the ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016, the Prescriptions of the RYA, this Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions issued for this event and the Class Rules. In the event of a conflict, the Sailing Instructions shall take precedence.
- 3. **Advertising**: Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority.
- 4. **Eligibility**: The event is open to paid up members of the STRATOS & BLAZE Class Associations.
- 5. **Entry fee**: The entry fee for the event is £40 for Stratos's & £30 for Blazes (including meals see item 13 below). Entries may be completed at registration.
- 6. **Registration**: Registration will be from 09.30 on Saturday 13 July and will be in the Main Hall in Shore House.
- 7. **Races**: There will be a maximum of 6 races. A maximum of 1 discard will be allowed. The first race will not start before 12.30 on Saturday. The last race will not start after 14.30 on Sunday. The target duration of each race will be 45 minutes.
- 8. **Briefing**: There will be a competitors briefing at 10.30 on Saturday and 09.00 on Sunday.
- 9. **Sailing Instructions**: The sailing instructions will be issued at registration.
- 10. Race area: The race area will be within Southampton Water/The Solent up to 2 miles from WSC.

11. Risk Statement:

Rule 4 of the RRS states: "The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or continue to race is hers alone" and that sailing is by its nature an unpredictable sport and therefore inherently 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 if any and other officials and volunteers by the event organiser does not relieve them of their own responsibilities;
- f. The provision of patrol boat cover if any is limited to such assistance, particularly in extreme weather conditions, as can practically be provided in the circumstances;
- g. Personal buoyancy shall be worn by all competitors whilst afloat;
- h. Their boat is required to hold adequate insurance and in particular, to hold insurance against third party claims in the sum of at least £2,000,000.
- 12. **Prizes**: Prizes will be awarded to at least the first four boats in each fleet. CREWSAVER & CIRRUS RACEBOATS have kindly offered some extra prizes. Other prizes may also be awarded.
- 13. **Social**: The entry fee includes a 2 course meal on Saturday evening in the Main Hall (2 tickets for Stratos entries and 1 ticket for Blaze entries). Food choices are to be made at registration. Additional meals at £10 each may be booked at the same time. Afternoon tea will also be





provided at the prizegiving on Sunday for competitors. A free beer token will be provided at registration to all competitors courtesy of KAYOSPRUCE.

14. **Further Information** may be obtained from:

Warsash Sailing Club, Shore Road, Warsash, Southampton, SO31 9FS. Phone 01489 583575 (0930 – 1500 Weekdays). Email: admin@warsashsc.org.uk.

Web: www.warsashsc.org.uk

Also:

STRATOS David Swift. Tel: 0770 2345 777. Email: deswift@gmail.com

BLAZE Bob Cowan. Tel: 07973 333 724. Email: robert.cowan@cowan.co.uk





Entry Form

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Please Print									
Class:	BLAZE	Sail number	<i>,</i>	Boat Name					
Helm (First and Surname)									
Contact Details									
Address									
Town / 0	City		Postcode						
Telephone			Email						
Sailing Club									
This Declaration must be signed									
I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and all other rules that govern this event. In particular I confirm that I have read the Notice of Race ¹ and accept its provisions and agree that my boat will conform to the requirements set out in the Notice of Race throughout the event.									
Signed (Helm)	Name	Date of birth	n (if under 18)					
Entry Fee: £30* (Cash or Cheque only please) Please make cheques payable to 'Warsash Sailing Club' and write the <i>class</i> and <i>sail number</i> on the back of the cheque. Parent or Guardian Declarations (Required if the helm and/or Crew is under 18)									
Under Law, this helm is my dependent and I accept the risk statements of the Notice of Race and agree to the statements contained within it. I confirm that my dependent is competent to take part and I am responsible for my dependent throughou the event. During the time my dependent is afloat I will be around Warsash Sailing Club or I will inform the Race Office in writing who is acting in loco parentis in my absence.									
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Address									
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Beer token

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Helm (F	irst and Surname)			Age					
Crew (First and Surname)									
Contact	Details								
Address									
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