



NOTICE OF RACE
Laser Stratos Nationals & Wanderer Open Meeting
WHITSTABLE YACHT CLUB
16th & 17th JULY 2011

1. **VENUE AND ORGANISING AUTHORITY**

The event will be at Whitstable Yacht Club, 3-4 Sea Wall, Whitstable, Kent, CT5 1BX, Tel: 01227 272942, email office@wyc.org.uk. The organising authority is Whitstable Yacht Club (WYC) in conjunction with the Wanderer Class Owners Association (WCOA) and the Laser Stratos Class Association (LSCA).

2. **RULES**

Racing will be governed by the 2009-2012 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS); the prescriptions of the RYA, the relevant class association rules, the MCA Rules and the Sailing Instructions for the event.

3. **ELIGIBILITY**

The helm or crew must be registered as a member of the relevant Class Association.

4. **PROGRAMME**

Saturday 16th July 2011. High Tide 14:15hrs 3 Races Scheduled
08:30 Registration opens. All participants shall register with the WYC.
10:30 Briefing
11:55 The warning signal for the first race on Saturday will not be before this time.

Sunday 17th July 2011. High Tide 14:53hrs 2 Races Scheduled
10:00 Briefing.
11:25 The warning signal for the first race on Sunday will not be before this time.

5. **SCORING SYSTEM**

One race shall be completed to constitute a series. The "Low Points" Scoring system of Appendix A of the RRS will apply. The worst score will be discarded when 3 races have been completed in the series.

6. **ADVERTISING**

The racing event is designated RRS Category A.

7. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The Sailing Instructions will be available upon registration at Whitstable Yacht Club.

8. **ENTRY and REGISTRATION**

Entry may be made on application to Whitstable Yacht Club, 3-4 Sea Wall, Whitstable, Kent, CT5 1BX, Tel: 01227 272942, or competitors may enter upon registration. Registration for all entrants will commence at 08.30hrs on Saturday 16th July 2011. The entry fee for the weekend is £30 per boat. Further information and entry forms may also be downloaded from class websites:

www.wanderer.org.uk, or www.laserstratos.org.uk

9. **SOCIAL**

Saturday night evening meal. Meals must be pre booked on entry form and paid on registration. See entry form for menu and costs.

10. **COURSES**

Courses will be set in Whitstable Bay. Competitors are advised to allow sufficient time to sail out to the start.

11. **PRIZES**

Prizes to be awarded according to the number of entries, at the discretion of the Race Committee. In addition to the main championship prizes there will be some special prizes.