

Maylandsea Bay Sailing Club



Kestrel and Hornet Open
3rd and 4th September 2016

Notice of Race

RULES

The regatta will be governed by the racing Rules of sailing, the prescriptions of the R.Y.A., the rules of the Association, except as any of these are changed by the event Sailing Instructions.

ELIGIBILITY

The meeting is open to all Kestrel and Hornet dinghies on satisfactory completion of the entry form. All competitors and their families will be deemed to be temporary members of Maylandsea Bay Sailing Club for the duration of the event.

ENTRY FEE is £20 per boat. Non competing visitors £5 per person for Saturday evening food.

FACILITIES, CAMPING, FOOD and ENTERTAINMENT:

The club will be open from 18:00 on Friday 2nd September.

Camping is permitted on site on Friday 2nd and Saturday 3rd September only. Access to toilets and changing rooms will be available overnight.

Refreshments will be available on Saturday and Sunday at the galley.

Food will be available on the Saturday night – this is included in the entry fee (see above)

Please email Paul Wilkinson if you have any special dietary requirements.

Entertainment will be organised for Saturday night – Kestrels v Hornets

SCHEDULE

Saturday 3rd September

Registration	from 10.00 to 11.00
Briefing	11:30
Races 1 and 2	Race 1 start at 12:50 Race 2 will follow as soon as possible after the last finisher in race 1

Sunday 4th September

Briefing	12:00 (if required)
Races 3 and 4	Race 3 will start no earlier than 13:30 Race 4 will follow as soon as possible after the last finisher in race 3

Prize giving*	17:00 approx.
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Hornets will be the first start for each race, Kestrels will be the second start for each race.

Please note: at the discretion of the race committee, races may be raced on Sunday instead of Saturday or vice versa.

*Timings approximate

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Will be issued at registration on Saturday 3rd September 2016.

VENUE

The regatta will be held at Maylandsea Bay Sailing Club, The Esplanade, Maylandsea, CM3 6AL and sailed on Lawling Creek and River Blackwater, Essex

COURSES

Will be displayed in the race reception and or committee boat and described at the briefings.

SCORING:

The low points scoring system in Appendix A will be used. Each boat's series score shall be the total of all her race scores, except that discards shall be applied as follows:

Races	Discards
1 – 3 races completed	No discard
4 races completed	1 discard

PRIZES will be awarded

RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats, this restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the 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 or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £2,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

Please contact Paul Wilkinson 01245 280025, or email wilks22@btinternet.com

WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU TO MAYLANDSEA BAY SAILING CLUB