



Minima Yacht Club

NOTICE OF RACE MINIMA YACHT CLUB ANNUAL REGATTA

Saturday 2nd September and Sunday 3rd September 2023

ORGANISING AUTHORITY

1. The Organising Authority (OA) is Minima Yacht Club (MYC), 48A High St, Kingston upon Thames KT1 1HN.

RULES

2. The Regatta will be governed by the current (RRS), except as amended by the MYC Sailing Instructions for the Annual Regatta. The rules of the relevant Class Associations will also apply.
3. Sailing Instructions will be available in the Club House.

ELIGIBILITY

4. This meeting is open to boats from any club affiliated to the RYA.

ENTRY FEE

5. Competitors will enter via the MYC Website minimayc.co.uk
6. The entry fee per boat will be £10 for one day or £15 for two days.

SCHEDULE OF RACES

7. The series will consist of 5 races with best 3 to count.
8. Race Start Times
Saturday 2nd September:
Race 1 – Start Time: not before 1400
Race 2 – Start time: ASAP after Race 1 (aim is to finish by 1630)
New Sailors Handicap Race - a short race to follow Race 2

Sunday 3rd September:
Race 3 – Start Time: not before 1100
Race 4 – Start Time: ASAP after Race 3
Lunch Break (1 hour approx.) after Race 4 or as directed by the Race Officer
Race 5 – Start Time: as directed by Race Officer
9. Race Starts may be grouped depending on the number of boats entered as directed by the Race Officer and expected to be in the order of -
Thames A Rater, Merlin Rocket, Laser, Enterprise, Solo, General Handicap (including National 12's)
10. Class and/or Group starts will be at 10-minute intervals.

SAILING AREA, COURSE AND SCORING

11. The sailing area will be between Kingston Bridge and Raven's Ait.
12. The low point scoring system will apply.

TROPHIES

13. Trophies and prizes will be presented in Minima Yacht Club on Sunday after sailing.
14. The following Trophies will be awarded where 3 or more boats have entered –
 - Thames A Rater - Rater Salver
 - Merlin Rocket - Hilde Cup
 - Laser - Laser Trophy
 - Enterprise - End of Season Plate

- Solo - Solo Hand
- General Handicap - Turketine Challenge Cup

15. Prizes shall be awarded to the winning helms and crews, using the square root system from the total number of entries.

REGATTA PARTY

16. The Regatta Party will be held on the Saturday evening with BBQ and Live Music.
Tickets in advance from the MYC Website or when entering the Regatta.

FURTHER INFORMATION

17. Please contact the Sailing Secretary: sailingsec@minimayc.co.uk