

SHUSTOKE SAILING CLUB

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NOTICE OF RACE - Mirror Inlands, Junior and Youth / Single Handed Championship 2017

To be held at Shustoke SC on 30 September and 1 October 2017.

RULES

The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020 (RRS), the prescriptions of the RYA, the appropriate class rules, this Notice of Race (NOR) and the event Sailing Instructions (SIs). Class rules which permit pumping, rocking and ooching in certain wind conditions and/or change penalty turns (rules 44.1 and 44.2) are suspended for the purposes of this regatta (rule 87).

THE ORGANISING AUTHORITY

Will be Shustoke Sailing Club.

Competitors automatically grant the Organising Authority, event sponsors and their agents without payment the right in perpetuity to make, use and show any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television of, or relating to the competitors, unless otherwise advised in writing prior to the Regatta.

ADVERTISING

There will be no restrictions on advertising on competitors' clothing or equipment.

ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

The Open Meeting is open to all Mirror dinghies

Fees will be £20 per boat for two both days and £15 for 1 day. There may be online entry available please see Shustoke SC website. Entries on the day will be accepted.

SCHEDULE

A competitor briefing will be held on 30 September 2017 at 11:00 hrs on the front patio of the club. There will be three races of 45/60 minutes duration each day.

Saturday: first race at 11:30 followed by two races

Sunday: first race at 10:30 followed by two races

The starts of race 2 &3 on each day will be determined by the race officer.

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at registration and may also be found on the Shustoke Sailing Club website.

SCORING

Six races are scheduled over the two days of which two races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

- **When 2 races are sailed, all results shall count.**
- **When 3-5 races are sailed, one result shall be discarded**
- **Should 6 or more races be sailed, two results shall be discarded**

PRIZES

Prizes will be given for overall position as the organisers see fit, but will cover the 4 categories:

- **Inland Championship,**
- **Junior15 and under ,**
- **Youth18 and under,**
- **Single handed**

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors are entirely responsible for their own safety, whether afloat or ashore, and nothing, whether in the Notice of Race or Sailing Instructions or anywhere else reduces this responsibility. It is for the competitor to decide whether they are fit to sail in the conditions in which they will find themselves. By launching, a competitor confirms that their boat is fit for those conditions and they are competent to sail and compete in them. Nothing done by the organisers can reduce the responsibility of the competitors nor will it make the organisers responsible for any loss, damage, death or personal injury, however it may have occurred, as a result of the boat taking part in the racing. The organisers encompass everyone helping to run the race and the event and include the organising authority, the race committee, the race officer, patrol boats and beachmasters. The provision of patrol boats does not relieve competitors of their responsibilities.

INSURANCE

The 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.

CONFLICT BETWEEN NOR AND SIs

If there is a conflict between NOR and SIs (and any amendments), the SIs will prevail.