



NOTICE OF RACE

Saturday, 11th June 2022

1) Rules

Races will be governed by the rules as defined in the ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2021-2024, the rules of the OK Dinghy Class, the event Sailing Instructions, and Additional Notices.

2) Eligibility & Entry

The event is open to boats of the OK Dinghy Class only. Class Association membership is not required.

Eligible boats shall enter by completing and submitting an entry form and paying the required race fee. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the race officer.

Each boat sailing on the River Thames is required to display a valid Environment Agency Registration Licence. Failure to do so may result in a fine from the Environment Agency. Licence application forms can be downloaded from the website: www.environment-agency.gov.uk.

3) Fees

Entry fee is £15. No refunds for races not sailed. Cheques payable to CRSC. Food and drink will be subject to supplementary charges.

4) Registration & Schedule

Pre-registration for the event must be made at <https://cookhamreachsc.org/event/okopen2022> and an entry place confirmed by CRSC before attendance.

Registration: From 09:30hr.

Race 1 & 2: To start no earlier than 11:00hr. Race 2 to follow race 1 (back to back).

Races 3 & 4: Start times to be announced by the race officer on the day.

5) Insurance, Liability & Personal Safety

All boats shall be insured to a minimum of £3,000,000 for third party liability.

Competitors participate at CRSC entirely at their own risk. CRSC accepts no liability for any loss, damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with this or any other event. RRS 4 applies.

6) Sailing Instructions

Sailing Instructions will be available no later than the time of Registration.

7) Venue

Upstream to Bourne End railway bridge, and downstream to Cookham road bridge. Competitors are advised to exercise extreme care approaching Cookham road bridge due to the lock and weir beyond.

8) Course

The course shall be a number of laps around two or more Marks as detailed in the Sailing Instructions.

9) Scoring & Prizes

Scoring will be in accordance with RRS 90.3, A2, A4: Low Point System, with 1 discard if 4 races are sailed, or with no discards if only 3 or less are sailed. RRS 44.3 Scoring Penalties will not apply.

10) Rights to use Names & Likenesses

Competitors automatically grant CRSC without payment the right in perpetuity to make, use and show still pictures, motion pictures and live, taped or filmed television of or relating to the event.

Notes:

- 1) The speed limit in Berries Road is 10 mph.
- 2) Please rig/de-rig boats in the boat park, not the car park.
- 3) Smoking is not permitted in any of the club buildings, garage, engine-store or OD box. Please check <https://cookhamreachsc.org> for information about Covid-19 safety for sailors before arriving at the club.