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**Lee on the Solent Sailing Club**  
**Phantom Nationals Sponsored by Allen**

**Notice of Race**

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2019**

**1. RULES**

The Regatta will be governed by  
The World Sailing Racing Rules of Sailing  
RYA prescriptions  
1.1 The RYA Racing Charter will apply

**2. ELIGIBILITY**

The owner/helm of the boat must be a current member of the Phantom Class Association. It will be possible to join the class association at the event.  
The owner/helm may be asked to show a current Measurement Certificate.

**3. ENTRY FEES**

The Entry Form must be completed, and the Fee paid before warning signal of the first race of the event  
3.1 Food will be available after racing on Friday and Saturday.

**4. REGISTRATION**

All competitors must register their entry on the class website or at event registration in the LOSSC Signal Station between 10:00 and 12:30 on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September.

**5. SCHEDULE OF RACES**

6<sup>th</sup> September- Races 1 & 2

7<sup>th</sup> September- Races 3,4,5 & 6

8<sup>th</sup> September- Races 7 & 8

The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race on the 6th September is 1255. There will be no warning signal after 1355 on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September

## **6.SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The event sailing instructions will be available at registration.

## **7.BRIEFING**

There may be a competitors on the day of the event before racing at the LOSSC Signal Station. The time of the briefings will be displayed to competitors.

## **8.RACING AREA**

The racing area will be in the Solent south of Lee on the Solent. The racing area varies between 3 and 15 metres deep. It should be noted that the East Bramble buoy marks the offshore (southern) limit of North Channel used by large vessels.

## **9.SCORING**

A minimum of four races will constitute the series.

- A) When fewer than 4 races have been completed, a competitor's series score will be the total of her race score.
- B) When from 4 races to 6 races have been completed a competitor's score will be the total of her race score excluding her worst score.
- C) When race 7 has been completed a competitor's score will be the total of her race score excluding her worst 2 scores.

## **10.PRIZE GIVING**

The prize giving will be held at the Lee on the Solent SC approximately 60 minutes after the finish of the last race. A tea will be provided for competitors and their guests.

## **11.RISK STATEMENT**

RRS 4 states: "The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone." Sailing is by its nature an unpredictable sport and therefore inherently involves an element of risk. By taking part in this series, each competitor agrees and acknowledges that:

- a.They are aware of the inherent element of risk involved in the sport and accept responsibility for the exposure of themselves, their crew and their boat to such inherent risk whilst taking part in the series;
- b.They are responsible for the safety of themselves, their crew, their boat and their other property whether afloat or ashore;
- c.They accept responsibility for any injury, damage or loss, to the extent caused by their own actions or omissions;
- d.Their boat is in good order, equipped to sail in the series and they are fit to participate;
- e.The provision of a race management team, other officials and volunteers by the event organiser does not relieve them of their own (the competitors') responsibilities.

## **12.INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party insurance with minimum cover of £3,000,000 per accident or equivalent.

**13.** For further information please look at either the Phantom Class Association or LOSSC Websites.