

Northern Senior and Sailability Travellers Event Tuesday 3rd June 2025 Event Schedule

See Relevant Series NOTICE OF RACE

The Organising Authority is Wigan and St. Helens Sailing Club here on in referred to as 'WiSH-SC'

1 RULES

- 1.1 The Regatta will be governed by the Rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2025-2028*.
- 1.2 Competitors should note that WiSH-SC has implemented the RYA Racing Charter and that when entering, competitors will be required to undertake to sail in compliance with the Charter.
- 1.3 As an alternative to protests, the Exoneration Penalty and RYA Arbitration of the RYA Rules Disputes Procedures will be available. This procedure can be obtained on the RYA website Rules Disputes Process | Racing Rules of Sailing | Racing | Racing | RYA Royal Yachting Association

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

Eligible entrants may enter by completing the online entry form on https://www.wish-sc.co.uk and then paying the required £10 cash only entry fee on the day 03/06/25. The Registration Desk will be open 0900 & 1030.

3. SCHEDULE

3.1 Registration Date, Day, and time: Tuesday 3rd June 2025 from 09:00 at WiSH-SC

	DATE	TIME	VENUE
3.2 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS			
Regatta Briefing		10:30	Dinghy Park
Warning Signal		10:55	Scotmans Flash
Race 1		11:00	Scotmans Flash
Lunch		12:00	
Race 2		13:15	Scotmans Flash
Race 3		14:30	Scotmans Flash

3.3 The Schedule of Events may be amended if the series falls behind schedule, if predicted conditions warrant it necessary, or for any other reason caused by something outside of our reasonable control. However, no racing will be brought forward of the published 1st warning signal.

4. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 The Sailing Instructions should be available on the Event page of the Enterprise website and WiSH-SC (www. https://www.wish-sc.co.uk) seven days before the event.

5 RACING AREA

5.1 Racing will take place on Scotmans Flash. A chart of this area will be displayed in or near to the Club house.

6 RISK STATEMENT

6.1 Rule 4 of the Racing Rules of Sailing states:

"The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone" 6.2 Sailing is by its nature an unpredictable sport and therefore inherently involves an element of risk. By taking part in the event, 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 event.
- (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 and omissions.
- (d) their boat is in good order, equipped to sail in the event and they are fit to participate.
- (e) provision of a race management team, patrol boats and other officials and volunteers by the event organiser does not relieve them of their own responsibilities.
- 6.3 The fact that the race committee conducts inspections of a boat does not reduce the responsibilities of each competitor set out in these Sailing Instructions.

7. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £5 million (five million pounds) per event or the equivalent. Competitors shall sign a declaration to that effect at registration. Insurance is the sole responsibility of the competitors.

8. DATA PROTECTION

The personal information you provide to the organising authority will be used to facilitate your participation in the event. Your personal information will be stored and used in accordance with the organising authority's privacy policy. When required by the Racing Rules of Sailing and the other rules that govern the event, personal information may be shared with the RYA and/or World Sailing. The results of the event and the outcome of any hearing or appeal may be published.

9. FURTHER INFORMATION

Further information is available at https://www.wish-sc.co.uk.

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