
LIMITATION OF LIABILITY**RULE 1**

The race organisers shall not be liable for any loss, damage, personal injury or death howsoever caused to the vessel, its owner, competitors, skipper or crew (the boat), as a result of their taking part in the race or races. Moreover, every boat warrants the suitability of their vessel for the race or races.

RULE 2

- i) A boat is entirely responsible for its own safety, whether afloat or ashore, and nothing, whether in the Notice of Race or Sailing Instructions or anywhere else, reduces this responsibility.
- ii) It is for the boat to decide whether it is fit to sail in the conditions in which it will find itself. By launching or going to sea, the boat confirms that it is fit for those conditions and that its crew is competent to sail and compete in them.
- iii) The boat is required to hold adequate insurance and in particular to hold insurance against third party claims in the sum of at least £3m. Nothing done by the organisers can reduce the responsibility of the boat 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 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 beach-masters.
- iv) The provision of patrol boats does not relieve the boat and crew of its responsibilities.

PERMITTED SAILING HOURS

- a) Sailing is permitted during the following periods:

Saturday: Dawn till 7.00pm

Sunday: Noon till 7.00pm OR 11.00 during club training OR 11.00 if no anglers present

Monday: No sailing except on bank holidays

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: Dawn to Dusk

Wednesday: Noon till dusk

- b) Outside these hours the use of the water is reserved for the Huddersfield Angling Society.
- c) Members should endeavour at all times to give consideration to any anglers present.
- d) SAFETY: Members should apply the principles of Rule 2 whether RACING OR NOT

CHILD PROTECTION

Parents and guardians who bring a child or children to the club must remain on the premises at all times whilst the child or children in their care is taking part in any club activity. The officers and members of the club have not been vetted and therefore cannot act in loco parentis at any time.

CLUB BOATS

The HSC fleet is for hire by members and can be used for training, racing and cruising. (The Wanderer is for use at the discretion of committee members only). It is the members responsibility to ensure that any boat hired is in a fit state to be sailed i.e. is seaworthy. Members can assist in the maintenance of club boats by reporting damage, malfunction or loss to the boats to a Committee Member. A member hiring a club boat will be expected to pay the insurance excess when damage occurs by mis-use.

CLUB OFFICERS 2023

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GENERAL COMMITTEE The elected officers, Trustees, and three full members.

SAILING COMMITTEE Vice Commodore, Sailing Secretary and three or more full members.

HONORARY AUDITOR Andrew Molyneux

TRUSTEES Allan Brooks, Andrew Molyneux, Andrew O'Connor, Jacki Doyle

HUDDERSFIELD SAILING CLUB

Established 1958



AFFILIATED TO THE RYA

SAILING PROGRAMME 2023

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Schedule of Races 2023

IMPORTANT: Members' attention is drawn to the Limitation of Liability, Rules 1 & 2 of this notice, printed overleaf.

It is not the custom of the club to provide escort or patrol craft.

RACE OFFICERS: Please ensure races start promptly. Please arrange a swap if you cannot attend.

DATE	EVENT / SERIES	RACE OFFICER
Sat 25 Mar	April Fool	Andrew Molyneux++
Sun 26 Mar	April Fool	Jacki Doyle++
Sat 1 Apr	April Fool	Andrew O'Connor
Sun 2 Apr	April Fool	Anthony Redfern
Sat 8 Apr	Easter Egg	Bryce Woodward/A Molyneux
Sun 9 Apr	Easter Egg	Chris Harding
Sat 15 Apr	April Fool	Duncan Walpole
Sun 16 Apr	April Fool	Mike/Emma O'Connor
Sat 22 Apr	April Fool	Evan Bickerton
Sun 23 Apr	April Fool	Helen Heaton/Hellen Lewis
Sat 29 Apr	Spring Pursuit	Paul O'Connor++
Sun 30 Apr	Spring Pursuit	Allan Brooks++
Sat 6 May	Spring Splash	Innes Bamford
Sun 7 May	Spring Splash	Jim Robison
Sat 13 May	Spring Splash	Jo Stead/Rachael Lockley
Sun 14 May	Spring Splash	Rachel Ellis/Sally Beattie
Sat 20 May	Spring Splash	Mac Pimblett
Sun 21 May	Single Handed Trophy	Sailing Committee
Sat 27 May	Solstice/Novice/Junior Series*	Mike Dove
Sun 28 May	Solstice/Novice/Junior Series*	Oliver Plunkett
Sat 3 Jun	Solstice/Novice/Junior Series*	Peter Wilson
Sun 4 Jun	Solstice/Novice/Junior Series*	John Dearnley
Sat 10 Jun	Solstice/Novice/Junior Series*	Martin Barber
Sun 11 Jun	Solstice/Novice/Junior Series*	Steve Jackson
Sat 17 Jun	Solstice/Novice/Junior Series*	Roger Stephenson
Sun 18 Jun	Solstice/Novice/Junior Series*	Richard Donkersley
Sat 24 Jun	Solstice/Novice/Junior Series*	Andrew Molyneux++
Sun 25 Jun	Solstice/Novice/Junior Series*	Rachael Lockley/Jo Stead
Sat 1 Jul	Summer Pursuit	Allan Brooks++
Sun 2 Jul	Summer Pursuit	Paul O'Connor++
Sat 8 Jul	Summer Saturday	Ben/Rebecca O'Connor
Sun 9 Jul	Summer Sunday	Jane Naylor/Patricia Taylor
Sat 15 Jul	Summer Saturday	Chris Harding
Sun 16 Jul	Summer Sunday	Duncan Walpole
Sat 22 Jul	Summer Saturday	Innes Bamford
Sun 23 Jul	Summer Sunday	Anthony Redfern
Sat 29 Jul	Ladies & Junior	Sailing Committee
Sun 30 Jul	Summer Sunday	Hellen Lewis/Helen Heaton
Sat 5 Aug	Summer Saturday	Emma/Mike O'Connor
Sun 6 Aug	Summer Sunday	Liam Bamford/Jacki Doyle
Sat 12 Aug	Summer Saturday	Jim Robison
Sun 13 Aug	Masters & Grandmaster**	Sailing Committee
Sat 19 Aug	Summer Saturday	Roger Stephenson
Sun 20 Aug	Summer Sunday	John Dearnley
Sat 26 Aug	Indian Summer	Mac Pimblett
Sun 27 Aug	Indian Summer	Martin Barber
Sat 2 Sep	Anniversary Day	Sailing Committee
Sun 3 Sep	Indian Summer	Mike Dove
Sat 9 Sep	Heron Festival (tbc)	Sailing Committee
Sun 10 Sep	Heron Festival (tbc)	Sailing Committee
Sat 16 Sep	Indian Summer	Oliver Plunkett
Sun 17 Sep	Indian Summer	Andrew O'Connor

DATE	EVENT / SERIES	RACE OFFICER
Sat 23 Sep	Indian Summer	Peter Wilson
Sun 24 Sep	Indian Summer	Sally Beattie/Rachel Ellis
Sat 30 Sep	Autumn Series	Rachael Lockley/Jo Stead
Sun 1 Oct	Autumn Series	Rebecca/Ben O'Connor
Sat 7 Oct	Autumn Series	Richard Donkersley
Sun 8 Oct	Autumn Series	Roger Stephenson
Sat 14 Oct	Autumn Series	Steve Jackson
Sun 15 Oct	Autumn Series	Allan Brooks++
Sat 21 Oct	Autumn Series	Andrew O'Connor
Sun 22 Oct	Autumn Series	Mike/Emma O'Connor
Sat 28 Oct	Frostbite	Helen Heaton/Hellen Lewis
Sun 29 Oct	Frostbite	Jacki Doyle/Liam Bamford
Sat 4 Nov	Frostbite	Jim Robison
Sun 5 Nov	Frostbite	John Dearnley
Sat 11 Nov	Frostbite	Mac Pimblett
Sun 12 Nov	Frostbite	Paul O'Connor
Sat 18 Nov	Frostbite	Peter Wilson
Sun 19 Nov	Frostbite	Rachel Ellis/Sally Beattie
Sat 25 Nov	Frostbite	Richard Donkersley
Sun 26 Nov	Frostbite	Anthony Redfern
Sat 2 Dec	Frostbite	Andrew Molyneux
Sun 3 Dec	Boats-in 9:30am	

Start times are 14:00, 15:00, 16:00hrs unless otherwise stated.

Zulu Fleet may be +5 mins at the Race Officer's discretion

2 races only from and including 29th October.

MIDWEEK SERIES

Zulu fleet start may be +5 minutes at the discretion of the RO.

DATE	Start time	RACE OFFICER
5 Apr	19:15	Andrew Molyneux++
12 Apr	19:15	Paul O'Connor++
19 Apr	19:30	Chris Harding
26 Apr	19:30	Duncan Walpole
3 May	19:30	Peter Wilson
10 May	19:30	Oliver Plunkett
17 May	19:30	Allan Brooks++
24 May	19:30	Andrew O'Connor
31 May	19:30	Richard Donkersley
7 Jun	19:30	Liam Bamford
14 Jun	19:30	Jim Robison
21 Jun	19:30	Steve Jackson
28 Jun	19:30	Rachael Lockley
5 Jul	19:30	Mike O'Connor
12 Jul	19:30	Jacki Doyle++
19 Jul	19:30	Evan Bickerton
26 Jul	19:30	Roger Stephenson
2 Aug	19:30	Helen Heaton
9 Aug	19:30	Innes Bamford
16 Aug	19:30	Mac Pimblett
23 Aug	19:15	John Dearnley
30 Aug	19:15	Anthony Redfern

RACES TO QUALIFY IN EACH SERIES				
Format	Duration	Series	No. Races	No. required to qualify
Saturdays & Sundays	25 th March to 23 rd April	April Fool	24	10
Saturday & Sunday	8 th April and 9 th April	Easter Egg	6	3
Saturday & Sunday	29 th April and 30 th April	Spring Pursuit	6	3
Saturdays & Sundays	6 th May to 20 th May	Spring Splash	15	6
Sat/Sun 14:00 & 16:00 only	27 th May to 25 th June	Solstice Series	20	8
Sat/Sun 15:00 only	27 th May to 25 th June	Novice & Junior Series*	10	4
Saturdays & Sundays	1 st July and 2 nd July	Summer Pursuit	6	3
Saturdays	8 th July to 19 th August	Summer Saturday	18	7
Sundays	9 th July to 20 th August	Summer Sunday	18	7
Saturdays & Sundays	26 th August to 24 th September	Indian Summer	21	9
Saturdays & Sundays	30 th September to 22 nd October	Autumn Series	24	10
Saturdays & Sundays	28 th October to 2 nd December	Frostbite	23	9
Wednesdays	5 th April to 30 th August	Midweek	22	9
Wednesday afternoons	6 th September to 20 th November	'Secret' Sailing		Details TBA
*Novice and Junior Series: During the Solstice series, the 15:00 race will be exclusively for novices and juniors. A novice is someone who hasn't previously won a series.				

MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT	DATES	Start time
Sailing Training (may be subject to change)	6 Saturday mornings 22 nd April to 27 th May	10:00
Swallows and Amazons	Wed 26 th July to Fri 28 th July	14:00
Sailing Training: (may be subject to change)	6 x Saturday mornings 2 nd September to 7 th October	10:00
1:1 coaching can be arranged by emailing Jacki Doyle at jackidoyle@gmail.com		
++ Race Officer Training available contact Andrew at hsc_sailingsec@btinternet.com to book		

EVENTS	DATES	Start Time
Boats-out	Saturday 11 th March	09:30
Buoyancy Testing and Maintenance Working Parties	Sunday 12 th March - Sunday 19 th March	14:00
Annual General Meeting at the Clubhouse	Thursday 6 th April	20:00
Annual Prizegiving at the Clubhouse	Saturday 29 th April	19:30
Single Handed Trophy	Sunday 21st May	14:00
Coniston weekend (details tba)	Friday 16 th June to Sunday 18 th June	
Ladies and Junior Trophies	Saturday 29th July	14:00
Masters and Grandmasters Trophies**	Sunday 13th August	14:00
Anniversary Party at the Clubhouse	Saturday 2 nd September	19:30
Heron Open and Northern Championships (tbc)	Saturday 9th and/or Sunday 10th September (tbc)	13:00/11:00
Bank Holiday Leisure Sailing	7 th April, 10 th April, 1 st May, 8 th May, 29 th May and 28 th August	14:00
Boats-In	Sunday 3 rd December	09:30
** The Masters event is for anyone aged 50 and over. A Grandmaster is anyone 70 and over.		
Events in bold above indicate NO other sailing on that date.		

Please buoyancy test ALL boats before sailing for the first time each season.	
Free Sailing (at own risk) is permitted during normal racing, except for events in bold above.	
See back cover for details of other times.	
FLEETS	
ROME0: All boats with a PN lower than 1200 eg. Lasers, Enterprise, Graduate, Lark, Aero, Solo, Wanderer, Byte, Firefly, etc.	
ZULU: All boats with a PN greater than 1199 eg. Mirror, Heron, Topper, Pico, RS Tera, Optimist, Hartley, Taz, etc.	