

Notice Of Race for Open Regatta 2025

Largo Bay Sailing Club

Saturday 5th and Sunday 6th July 2025

Confirmed Classes

ILCA 7, ILCA 6, ILCA 4 (Laser Std, Radial and 4.7), Grand Prix event

Enterprise, Bluebell Traveller Series

Open Handicap fleet using RYA PY handicaps and average lap time. Any class with 5 or more boats may be given a separate start.

1. Rules

Organising Authority - Largo Bay Sailing Club

The event will be governed by the rules as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing.

2. Eligibility

The event is open to all.

3. Entry

Entry forms can be completed online at the Club Website [here] or are available for download from the club website [here]. Boats may enter in advance by sending entry fees via:-

i. Bank transfer to

Largo Bay Sailing Club

account number 00141767

Sort Code: 80-17-33

Please add your class (ICLA7, ICLA6, ICLA4, ENT) and your name as a reference.

- ii. Cheque payable to Largo Bay Sailing Club and sent to Bruce Birrell, Wester Coates House, Upper Largo, Leven, KY8 6JF Please include a completed entry form.
- iii. Entry forms can be sent in advance to info@largobaysc.org.uk
- iv. Entry fee may be paid on the day but is subject to the schedule of fees below.

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4. Fees

Entry fees are as follows: before 3rdnd July entries on the day.

Double Handers £35 £40 Single Handers £30 £35

5. Schedule

- i. Registration will be open from 0900hrs on Saturday 5th July
- ii. There will be a briefing at 1145hrs on Saturday 5th July
- iii. Racing will take place in Largo Bay with the first race to start at 1300hrs on Saturday 5th July, and 1000hrs on Sunday 6thth July.
- iv. For all classes there will be 3 races back-to-back on each day. No race will start after 1500hrs on Sunday.
- v. On the Saturday night there will be a BBQ outside the club house from around 530pm. Tickets can be purchased before or on the day and you are welcome to BYOB. Soft drinks will be available for purchase from the galley.

6. Measurements

Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate on request of the Race Committee.

7. Sailing Instructions

The sailing instructions will be available on registration.

8. Courses

The courses to be sailed will be as depicted in the sailing instructions.

9. Scoring

- i. The scoring system will be the RYA Low Points System per Appendix A.
- ii. When 4 or more races are completed there will be one discard allowed for calculation of the yacht's series score.

10. Prizegiving

Prize giving will be held as soon as possible after racing on Sunday.

11. Accommodation

There are various hotels and B&B's in and around Lower largo and for tent pitching we have a number of gardens in the village as well as camp sites close by. Please ask at registration.

Hot food and drinks will be available in the club house both days.

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12. Risk Statement

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." 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:

- i. 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.
- ii. They are responsible for the safety of themselves, their crew, their boat and their other property whether afloat or ashore.
- iii. They accept responsibility for any injury, damage or loss to the extent caused by their own actions or omissions.
- iv. Their boat is in good order, equipped to sail in the event and they are fit to participate.
- v. The 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.

13. Insurance

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £2,000,000 per event or the equivalent.

14. Further Information

For further information please contact Tony Dumbreck on 07836 703665 Bruce Birrell on 07361 229639 email info@largobaysc.org.uk

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