



Portchester Sailing Club

THE VECTIS Rally & Race

SUNDAY, 13th August 2017 V2

HW (Portsmouth) 16:10 (BST)

1 Rules

- 1.1 The race will be governed by the Portchester Sailing Club 2017 Cruiser Sailing Instructions and the 2017 Dinghy Racing Sailing Instructions which are available from the downloads section of the Portchester SC website. www.portchestersc.org

2 Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1 The cruiser race is open to all club dinghies, cruisers and keelboats as defined within the PSC 2015 Cruiser Sailing Instructions and will be sailed using The PSCCH handicap system. The dinghy race will be sailed using the Portsmouth Yardstick Handicap system.
- 2.2 All dinghies must sign on before the race at the Start Hut and sign in when they have returned. All Cruiser competitors must sign on to race by calling Portchester Race Control on CH37/M1 no later than 5 minutes before the warning signal.
- 2.3 Unaccompanied juniors (under 18 on the day of the race) will need to have a parental consent form completed and handed in to the Start Hut before the race when signing on. Unaccompanied juniors (under 18 on the day of the race) may not sail a single-handed boat and must be accompanied in a dinghy by someone over 18.

3. The Schedule

Start Line: Between KB Dry Stack (5J) and a Committee Vessel.

Start time: 10.30 for cruisers Class Flag C
10.45 for dinghies Class Flag H
The Warning Signal will be sounded at 10:25 for cruisers and 10:40 for dinghies.

A decision whether to proceed with the dinghy race will be taken at 8.00am on the day to take account of weather and sea state for the race and the return journey.

Finish Line: Between a committee boat and a Yellow buoy between Sea Grove Bay and Priory Bay. (either Bruce or Jonah)

Course A	Course B	Course X
Start	Start	Course to be transmitted on the day.
Gleeds (S)	Gleeds (P)	
North Sturbridge (P)	Outer Spit (S)	
No Man's Land Fort (S)	No Man's Land Fort (S)	
Finish	Finish	

All marks of the course can be found by referring to the Eastern Solent race marks chart which may be downloaded from the race instructions section of www.portchestersc.org

Dinghies should sail past the committee boat to be notified of the course to be sailed, and for cruisers the course will be broadcast on VHF Ch37/M1 when signing on.

Time limit 2.5 hours