



## Corinthian Otter End of Season (Brass Monkey) Regatta

Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2020

The Organising Authority is Corinthian Otters

### NOTICE OF RACE

#### 1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017 – 2020 and Crouch Harbour bye-laws.
- 1.2 The Official Notice board is located online at <https://www.royalcorinthian.co.uk/Otters>

#### 2. ELIGIBILITY and ENTRY

- 2.1 The Regatta is open to boats of the following classes;  
Optimist, RS Tera, RS Feva, Cadet, Laser - all rigs and  
Other Fast Handicap Boats (RS200 etc... PY 1046 - 1014)
- 2.2 Entry forms are available via the Otter Webcollect booking system.

#### 3. SCHEDULE

- 3.1 Registration is from Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October to Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October. Fleet groupings will be determined at close of registration.
- 3.2 Three races per fleet will be held on Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2020.
- 3.3 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 10.10am.
- 3.4 The second and third races will be held as soon as practicable after completion of the previous race.

#### 4. COURSES

Courses will be set in the River Crouch and run from a start line at the end of the Royal Corinthian Yacht Club pontoon.

#### 5. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be adequately insured with the cover of at least £3,000,000 against third party claims.

#### 6. DECLARATION

(To be contained in the entry form immediately above the signature of the competitor) I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and all other rules that govern this



event. In particular, I confirm that I have read the Notice of Race and accept its provisions and agree that my boat will conform to the requirements set out in the Notice of Race throughout the event.

## 7. COVID-19: FURTHER INFORMATION

By racing, participants acknowledge that rescue by safety boat may result in a compromise of social distancing.

No sailors or parents shall arrive or take part if experiencing Covid-19 symptoms.

All persons are required to avoid congregating in groups of more than six and to maintain social distancing - this applies both in the dinghy park and on the pontoon.

The RCYC changing rooms are not available – it is advised that sailors arrive changed for sailing. Toilets are available for use in compliance with RCYC sanitising and hygiene requirements.

Wherever possible, sailors/parents are to rig their own boats only and then socially-distance gather in groups of no more than six persons (including any supporting parents) from the base of the ramp and back towards the dinghy park. Once six persons have grouped, they will be moved to the launch point or intermediate staging point on the pontoon.

Wherever possible, sailors/parents should launch and retrieve only their own boat.

Government social distancing guidelines apply on the pontoon – masks may need to be worn by those needed to assist with launching and retrieval if social distancing cannot be maintained