



J24 Irish Championships 2015
21-23 August 2015
Hosted by
Lough Derg Yacht Club



NOTICE OF RACE

1 ORGANISING AUTHORITY

- 1.1 The Organising Authority (OA) will be Lough Derg Yacht Club (LDYC), in association with the International J24 Association of Ireland. LDYC is located in Dromineer, Co. Tipperary. For details and maps, please refer to the LDYC Website www.ldyc.ie

2 RULES

- 2.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing. No National Authority Prescriptions will apply;
- 2.2 International J24 Class Rules will apply. Download from www.j24class.org;

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 **General.** The regatta is open to boats of the International J24 class whose helm or registered owner is a member of a National J24 Class Association recognised by the International J24 Class Association.
- 3.2 **Entry & Registration.** Online Entry is available at <https://loughdergyachtclub.wildapricot.org/event-1996886>. Registration will take place at LDYC on Thursday 20th August 2015 from 1700 to 2100hrs. All helms must provide a valid measurement certificate at registration and crews will be required to weigh in.
- 3.3 **Entry Fee.** Required fees are as follows
Class Registration: £50 or €60 (Payable to J24 Class) .
Online Event Entry: €125 provided paid online and by August 14th
Entry Fee (if paid offline and/or received after August 14th) : £120 or €145
Online entry is only available in Euro's

4 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

It is the Competitors decision to participate in this regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS rule 4, Decision to Race. The organising authority or International J24 Class Association will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

5 INSURANCE

- 5.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party insurance with a minimum cover of €3,000,000 or equivalent.



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6 SCHEDULE

Thursday 20th.	17.00 – 21.00	Registration Last Crane lift at 21.00
Friday 21st.	9.00/10.00 10.30	Final crane 10.00 Regatta briefing
	12.25	Warning Signal for first race of the day – additional races to follow
Saturday 22nd.	10.25	Warning Signal for first race of the day – additional races to follow
Sunday 23rd.	10.25	Warning Signal for first race of the day Remaining races to complete the series.

- 6.2 A series of nine races are scheduled for the Championship.
- 6.3 Friday 21st August: Up to 3 races may be sailed.
- 6.4 Saturday 22nd. & Sunday 23rd. The remaining races required to complete the series. (See SI 16 Scoring)
- 6.5 No race will be started after 15.00 Sunday 26th August 2012, except for postponements, general recalls and abandonments shortly after the start.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 7.1 The sailing instructions will be available from the Regatta Office at registration.

8 THE COURSES

- 8.1 The courses to be sailed will be as listed in the sailing instructions.

9 SCORING

- 9.1 Four races are required to be completed to constitute a series
- 9.2 When fewer than five races have been sailed, a boats' series score will be the total of her race scores
- 9.3 When five or more races have been completed, a boats' series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

10 PRIZES

- 10.1 The International J24 Class of Ireland will provide First & Second place Perpetual Trophies for both the Gold and Silver Fleets. Other prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Organising Authority.

11 FURTHER INFORMATION

- 11.1 For further information please contact Claire Toohey, LDYC Club Manager at officeldyc@gmail.com