



Lochaber Yacht Club



2008 Regatta

Notice of race

**Lochaber Yacht Club, Achintore Road, Fort William
Saturday 14th & Sunday 15th June 2008**

- 1. ORGANISING AUTHORITY.** Lochaber Yacht Club Committee invite entries for our annual regatta.
- 2. RULES.** Racing will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2005-2008 (RRS), the prescriptions of the RYA, the appropriate class rules and such other rules as the Sailing Instructions for the event may prescribe.
- 3. ENTRIES.** The regatta is open to all classes of boat, which will enter the appropriate handicap or class races as follows. Entry forms are available on line at <http://www.lochaber-yacht-club.co.uk/>
1 - Solings, 2 – Keelboats: CYCA TMF 3 – Fast Handicap Dinghies, 4 - Wayfarers, 5 - Slow Handicap Dinghies (likely to be Toppers and Mirrors only) Dinghy handicaps will be set as in the current PY handicap list. The Wayfarers or any other will be run as a separate class only if there are 5 or more.
- 4. PROGRAMME.** Registration: Competitors should register by completing the entry form and posting it to arrive before Wed. 20th June. Post to Paul Biggin, Kilmallie House, Corpach, Fort William, PH33 7JJ
Late entries will be accepted up to 11.30 hrs. on Saturday 14th June at the club.
There will be no formal practice race.
For each class there will be a schedule of 5 starts except for keelboats which will have 4 starts. Three (2 for keelboats) races are planned for Saturday and two for Sunday. There will be briefings on Saturday for Keelboats and Solings at 11.30 and for dinghies at 12.00. The first start will be no earlier than 12.30 on Saturday and 10.30 on Sunday. Classes will be started in the order given above at approximately 6 minute intervals.
- 5. SCORING SYSTEM.** A minimum of 2 races for each class shall be completed to constitute a series. The scoring system to be used will be as in RRS Appendix A using the Low Point system.
- 6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS.** The Sailing Instructions will be available at Lochaber Yacht Club on Saturday 23rd June before the first race or on line at <http://www.lochaber-yacht-club.co.uk/>
- 7. MEASUREMENT.** Valid and current measurement or rating certificates can be presented to the race office on registration/entry.
- 8. COURSES.** Courses will be set in Loch Linnhe south east of The Narrows at Annat and north of Three-Mile Water.
- 9. PRIZES.** Prizes will be awarded for each class to the first in the series of races and to second and third where numbers are 3 or more. Prizes will be presented at the club as soon as possible after the last race.