



NOTICE OF RACE

Entries are invited from competitors for the
WAFARER INLAND CHAMPIONSHIPS
and JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS
Which is the second event in the “Craftinsure “National
Circuit and Travellers Series 2017
on Saturday 27th & Sunday 28th May

Organised by **HAVERSHAM SAILING CLUB**

At Haversham Lake, Milton Keynes

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1. RULES;

The regatta will be governed by The World Sailing Racing Rules of Sailing 2017 – 2020, the Prescriptions of the Royal Yachting Association, Class Rules and Haversham Sailing Club’s Sailing Instructions. Racing Rules 27.1 and 40 will be changed to the effect that buoyancy aids are required. The changes will appear in full in the Sailing Instructions.

Competitors should note that Haversham Sailing Club implements the RYA Racing Charter and that they will be required to undertake to sail in compliance with the Charter, which can be found at the front of the RYA rule book and at the point of event entry.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY;

The regatta is open to all boats of the Wayfarer class.

Eligible boats may enter by completing the event entry form, which will be available on the morning of the event from 0930hrs.

3. ENTRY FEE;

An entry fee of £25 is payable on the day. This does not include food which will be available all day.

4. SCHEDULE; Six races scheduled for the event. One discard. 4 races must be sailed to qualify.

A competitor’s briefing will be held in front of the club balcony at 1100hrs on Saturday.

	1 st Race	2 nd Race	3 rd Race
Saturday	1130hrs	1330hrs	1500hrs
Sunday	1000hrs	1130hrs	12.30hrs (back to back with prev.).

The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 1125hrs.

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS;

The Event Supplementary sailing instructions will be available at the time of entry.

6. PRIZES;

There will be awards for 1st – 3rd places, other spot prizes will be awarded depending on the size of the entry. (Max one prize per competitor)

7. 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 involves an element of risk. By taking part in the event, each competitor agrees and acknowledges that: a) 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; b) They are responsible for the safety of themselves, their crew, their boat and their other property whether afloat or ashore; c) They accept responsibility for any injury, damage or loss to the extent caused by their own actions or omissions; d) Their boat is in good order, equipped to sail in the event and they are fit to participate; e) The provision of a race management team, patrol boats, umpires and other officials and volunteers by the organizer does not relieve them of their own responsibilities; f) The provision of patrol boat cover is limited to such assistance, particularly in extreme weather conditions, as can be practically provided in the circumstances;

8. INSURANCE;

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

9. CLUB;

Camping is available from 1300hrs Friday to and including Monday with the bar open during the evening.

10. FURTHER INFORMATION; For further information about the event please contact the club fleet captain steve-garrett47@tiscali.co.uk or by phone on 01908 616358. Alternatively the club’s website can be found at <http://havershamsc.org>

The club postcode for satellite navigation systems or multi-map is MK19 7DX