



- 1.0 This Notice augments the Racing Instructions which are available from the Race Hut or the Sailing Secretary.
- 1.1 The rules of sailing are now governed by WORLD SAILING previously known as the ISAF.
- 2.0 Racing Programme and Trophies
- 2.1 The sailing programme for 2020 is available to all members on joining. Copies are also available to view in the clubhouse and the club website.
- 2.1 a The current list of trophies to be competed for is displayed in the clubhouse and on the club website.
- 2.2 Membership of a class association or class certificate is not compulsory, but owners by entering any club race or competition confirm that their boat conforms to class rules and regulations.  
Rule amended to avoid accusations of cheating and protest under World Sailing (formally ISAF) Rule 78/78.1
- 2.3 In the event of no qualifiers in any series the trophy(s) will not be awarded.
- 2.4 The Points Series 2020 will be consisting of a single start for all classes.
- 2.5 The Handicap series 2020 will consist of a single start for all non class boats, including GP14.
- 2.6 Class starts will start consecutively at 3 minute intervals: (LASER, SOLO, and then HANDICAP incl GP14).
- 2.7 Boats not starting correctly at their allocated start time will be scored as DNS.  
Failure of a Boat and its Helm to start within 90 secs will be scored DNS.
- 3.0 **Single Handed Sailing.** A GP14 may be raced single handed in the class, point's and handicap series.  
Rule adopted in amendment to World Sailing rule 87.
- 3.1 **Short Series Trophy Events** a dinghy will race the entire event with the same number of crew first started with.  
Breaching of this rule will constitute a separate result).
- 3.2 Rule 3.0 has been adopted and will be sailed under the terms of fair play and with understanding that crews do not abuse the rule to suit conditions.
- 3.3 The Sailing Committee in the event of a breach of either rule 3.1 or 3.2 has the right without appeal to remove rule 3.0 and/or penalise those that do.
- 3.4 Substitute GP14 with Double Handed Dinghy where applicable.
- 4.0 At least one boat in any race must complete the course for points to be awarded.
- 5.0 The term LASER will include ALL RIGS in Class, Points and Handicap racing and sail the same PY.
- 5.1 To encourage more boats the use of replica (Training) sails are permitted. The following replicas are permitted: Rooster, MSB and Insail. Sails shaped and cut out side of the replica format will not be allowed to race.
- 5.1 a The LASER, LASER RADIAL & LASER 4.7 shall race as individual classes during Short Series Trophy Events.  
The swapping of rigs shall be strictly prohibited during short series trophy events.
- 5.2 b Change of rig as defined (5.0 and 5.0a) will apply to all class of dinghy and constitute a separate result/score.  
Class defined genoas and jibs are exempt.

### **Definitions**

Open; "Open Meeting" permits helms from other clubs to race specified boats at Aylesbury S.C. on the dates given.

Juniors; All races that are helmed by a person less than 18 years as of March 1st 2020.

Seniors; All races that are helmed by a person over 18 years of age as of March 1st 2020.

Masters; All races that are helmed by a person over 60 years of age but less than 70 years of age at March 1st 2020.

Grand Master; All races that are helmed by a person over 70 years of age at March 1st 2020.