LOUGH REE YACHT CLUB



Annual Regatta

Ballyglass, Coosan, Athlone 4th - 10th August, 2018 Notice of Race and Programme

(Sailing Instructions will be available at Registration)

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NOTICE OF RACE

L.R.Y.C. ANNUAL REGATTA

4th - 10th August, 2018

The Organising Authority for this event is Lough Ree Yacht Club.

The Regatta will take place on Lough Ree and on the River Shannon, based at the Club.

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- **1.2** The prescriptions of the Irish National Authority (Irish Sailing) will apply.
- **1.3** All relevant class rules will apply.

2 ADVERTISING

2.1 Competitor advertising will only be allowed if prior permission is sought and obtained in writing from the Regatta Committee.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the following classes: Cruiser, Shannon-One-Design, Optimist, Mirrors, Pico &/or RS Feva (Other class(es) may be added at the absolute discretion of the Regatta Committee).
- 3.2 Depending on the number of entries, the Organising Authority reserves the right to merge or subdivide any class, combine the starts of classes, or cancel racing for any class. A minimum entry of three boats per class will be required for a start.
- 3.3 All relevant Association dues, Club and entry fees must be paid, and declaration and registration forms duly completed in advance of a boat competing in the regatta.
- **3.4** Entries may be completed online at www.lryc.ie or by downloading an entry form from the club's website as above.
 - Postal entries may be sent, together with the required fee, to Ms. Teresa Farrell, Belrose, Ballintubber, Rosemount, Moate, Co. Westmeath, N37 TK72.
- **3.5** Entries will be accepted online, or by post at the above address, until Friday 3rd August or, thereafter, only at Registration (see 5.1).

4 FEES

4.1 Required fees are as follows:

Class		Full Regatta		Weekend Only
Cruiser Class:		€160	€	€130
Optimist & Mirror Class:		€120		€ € 95
Shannon-One-Design Class:	€	€180		€ €130

- Where entry forms and relevant fees are received by the Entries Secretary on or before Friday 27th July, 2018, a reduction of €30 will apply to each Family Race Entry subject to a maximum race entry fee per family of €260 (after discount).
- **4.3** Other fees relating to berthing, functions etc. are listed on the Regatta Entry Form.

5 SCHEDULE

5.1 Registration:

Registration will take place in the Clubhouse on:

Friday 3rd August between 19.00 & 20.00,

Saturday 4th August between 10.00 & 12.00 and between 14.00 & 14.30.

5.2 Briefing

There will be a competitor briefing at the Clubhouse on Saturday 4th August at 09.30 followed by a junior briefing which will take place in the Junior Room over the new boathouse.

5.3 Racing

Racing is scheduled as set out in the Sailing Schedule (pages 5-9 of this document).

- 5.4 The warning signal for the first race on Saturday 4th August will be for Cruisers at 10.55, for Shannon-One- Designs 11.25 and for Optimists 11.45. Other classes as indicated in the sailing instructions.
- 5.5 Races scheduled, with the exception of the first race for each class, may at the discretion of the Regatta Committee, be brought forward.

6 MEASUREMENTS

Each boat may be required to produce a valid measurement / rating certificate. In addition, all boats and equipment may be inspected during the Regatta to ensure compliance with Class Rules.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available at Registration (times listed above at 5.1).

8 THE COURSES

The courses for each race to be sailed will be indicated on the Course Board at the Clubhouse (Junior Classes, Old Boathouse) at least 30 minutes before the start.

9 BERTHING

Berthing spaces afloat and ashore will be allocated by the Beachmaster. Boats shall be berthed in those allocated spaces.

10 COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make transmissions while racing nor receive communications which are not available to all boats.

11 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as described in pages 5-9 of this document.

12 TROPHIES

Trophies are to be returned by arrangement to Eileen Browne at the start of the season. Phone: 087 237 1755. Engraving of trophies is the responsibility of competitors.

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13 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See *RRS 4*, Decision to Race. The Organising Authority will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during or after the regatta. Sailing is by its nature an unpredictable sport and therefore inherently involves an element of risk.

By taking part in the regatta, 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 regatta.
- **(b)** they are responsible for the safety of themselves, their boat and their other property whether afloat or ashore and for their crew while racing.
- (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 regatta and they are personally fit to participate.
- (e) the provision of a race management team, rescue boats and other officials and volunteers does not relieve competitors of their own responsibilities.
- **(f)** the provision of rescue boat cover is limited to such assistance, particularly in extreme weather conditions, as can be practically provided in the circumstances.
- (g) The wearing of personal flotation devices is compulsory while racing. This changes $RRS\ 40$. It is strongly recommended that such devices be used at all times while afloat.

14 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with adequate and valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \in 3 million per incident or the equivalent (Junior Fleet \in 1.5 million).

15 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact

The Regatta Co-ordinator Alan Algeo on 087 99 600 57 or email alan.algeo@gmail.com

SHANNON-ONE-DESIGN PROGRAMME

SATURDAY, 4th AUGUST

Race 1 +	11.30 -	Castlelough	Perpetual	Trophy.	Presented	by	the	late	Messrs.	
O'G. Parker Hutchinson. A scratch race.										

Race 2 +† 15.00 - The Shannon-One-Design Golden Jubilee Trophy. Presented by Rev. E. Hunter, A scratch race.

Race 3 +† 17.30 - The Lisney Cup. A scratch race.

SUNDAY, 5th AUGUST

Race 4 † * 10.45 - The Bi-Centenary (Abbey) Cup.

Presented by the late Col. & Mrs J.A.O. Leech. A scratch race.

Race 5 † 14.30 - The Lionel Lyster Perpetual Challenge Cup. Presented by Mr. & Mrs. J. Lyster. A scratch race.

Race 6 16.45 - The Silver SOD Trophy. Presented by the late Mrs. M. Browne in memory of the late Mr. Jim Browne (1906-1960). A scratch ballot race.

MONDAY, 6th AUGUST

Race 7 † * 10.45 - The Derrydarragh Cup. Presented by the late Dr. B. Mayne. A scratch race.

Race 8 † 14.15 - Lifeboat Race. A scratch race.

Race 9 (asap after Race 8) The Simon Nolan Memorial Trophy. A scratch race for SODs sailed by three members of the same family.

Approx.17.30 - Prizegiving at the Clubhouse.

TUESDAY, 7th AUGUST

Race 10 ‡* 10.45 - The Queen Maeve Plate. A handicap race.
Also the Turgesius Trophy. Presented by Dr. J. Keane. A scratch race.

Race 11 ‡ 14.30 - The Helmsman's Trophy. Originally presented by the late Mr. & Mrs. L.M. Goodbody - won outright in 2000 by S73. Re-presented by Mr. & Mrs. D. Dickson, A scratch race.

Race 12 16.45 - An Event.

WEDNESDAY, 8th AUGUST

Race 13 ‡* 10.45 - The Madras Trophy. Presented by the Royal Madras Yacht Club. A scratch race. Also The Lough Derg Plate. Presented to Lough Ree Yacht Club on the occasion of its Bi-Centenary by the members of Lough Derg Yacht Club. A handicap race.

Race 14 ‡ 14.30 - Trahearne Cup. Presented by the late Mrs. G.M. Goodbody. A scratch race. (A passage race, weather permitting - see Noticeboard.)

Race 15 TBA - An Event (A return passage race?).

THURSDAY, 9th AUGUST

Race 17 ‡ 14.30 - The Otway Cup. Presented to LRYC in 1927 by the late Mr. Otway Waller. Won outright in 1929 by the late T. Feeley, S40. Re-presented by the Feeley family in 2007. A scratch race.

Race I8 16.45 - An Event.

FRIDAY, 10th AUGUST

Race 19 ‡* 10.45 - The Parsons Cup. Re-presented by the Feeley family in 2007. A scratch race. Also The Bi-Centenary Trophy. Presented by the late Mr. S. Shine. A handicap race.

Race 20 14.30 - An Event.

Approx.17.00 - Prizegiving at the Clubhouse.

+ Waters Plate Series † L. R. Y. C. (1937) Series ‡James Fleming Trophy

*Campbell Perpetual Challenge Cup Series, L. R. Y. C. Races for Delany Memorial Salver

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CRUISER PROGRAMME

SATURDAY, 4th AUGUST

Race 1 * 11.00 - Terryglass Trophy 1st Heat.

Also The Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy & Kennedy Crystal 1st Heat.

Also The Andrew Mannion Memorial Trophies.

Race 2 + 14.45 - Terryglass Trophy 2nd Heat.

Also The Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy & Kennedy Crystal 2nd Heat.

SUNDAY, 5th AUGUST

Race 3 * 11.00 - Terryglass Trophy 3rd Heat.

Also The Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy & Kennedy Crystal 3rd Heat.

Race 4 + 14.45 - Terryglass Trophy 4th Heat.

Also The Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy & Kennedy Crystal 4th Heat.

MONDAY, 6th AUGUST

Race 5 * 10.45 - Terryglass Trophy 5th Heat.

Also The Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy & Kennedy Crystal 5th Heat.

Race 6 + 14.00 - The Lifeboat Race. A handicap race open to all sailing craft other than

Shannon-One-Design and Optimists. Also Terryglass Trophy, The Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy & Kennedy Crystal 6th Heats.

Approx. 17.30 - Prizegiving at the Clubhouse.

TUESDAY, 7th AUGUST

Race 7 14.30 - The Longford Cup, The Erne Trophy 1st Heat.

Also The Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy 7th Heat.

Race 8 (Back to Back with Race 7)

The Longford Cup, The Erne Trophy 2nd Heat. Also The Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy 8th Heat.

WEDNESDAY. 8th AUGUST

Race 9 14.30 - The Longford Cup, The Erne Trophy 3rd Heat.

Also The Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy 9th Heat.

Race 10 (Back to Back with Race 9)

The Longford Cup, The Erne Trophy 4th Heat. Also The Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy 10th Heat.

THURSDAY, 9th AUGUST

Race 11 11.00 - A Long Distance Race. The Longford Cup, The Erne Trophy 5th Heat.

Also The Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy 11th Heat.

Race 12 TBA - A Return Long Distance Race. The Longford Cup, The Erne Trophy 6th

Heat. Also The Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy 12th Heat.

FRIDAY, 10th AUGUST

Race 13 11.00 - The Longford Cup, The Erne Trophy 7th Heat.

Also The Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy 13th Heat.

Approx. 17.00 - Prizegiving at the Clubhouse.

* The Mullingar Festival Series

+ The Defence Forces Series

OPTIMIST PROGRAMME

SATURDAY, 4th AUGUST

Race 1 12.00 - The Juvenile Cup - 1st Heat. Presented by the late Mrs. M.C. Murtagh

and The Bowsprit Bowl (Silver Fleet) presented by the late

Mr. B. Hannon. 1st Heat. Both 8 race series.

Race 2 (asap after Race 1) - 2nd Heat.

Race 3 15.15 - 3rd Heat.

SUNDAY, 5th AUGUST

Race 4 11.15 - 4th Heat.

Race 5 (asap after Race 4) - 5th Heat.

Race 6 15.00 - 6th Heat.

MONDAY, 6th AUGUST

Race 7 11.15 - 7th Heat.

Race 8 14.30 - The Lifeboat Race. A scratch race.

Also the Juvenile Cup and the Bowsprit Bowl. 8th Heat.

Approx. 17.30 - Prizegiving at the Clubhouse.

TUESDAY, 7th AUGUST

Race 9 11.15 - The Garnafalaigh Cup, presented by Mr. F. Carter and The Tonge Cup

(Silver Fleet). Both 10 race series. 1st Heat.

Race 10 (asap after Race 9) - 2nd Heat.

Race 11 15.00 - 3rd Heat.

WEDNESDAY, 8th AUGUST

Race 12 11.15 - 4th Heat.

Race 13 (asap after Race 12) - 5th Heat.

Race 14 15.00 - 6th Heat.

THURSDAY, 9th AUGUST

Race 15 11.15 - 7th Heat.

Race 16 (asap after Race 15) - 8th Heat.

Race 17 15.00 - 9th Heat.

FRIDAY, 10th AUGUST

Race 18 11.15 - 10th Heat.

Approx. 17.00 - Prizegiving at the Clubhouse.

Mirrors

Racing for the McGrath Cup (Races 1-8) and the Lesley Cup (Races 9-18) schedule as indicated in the sailing instructions.

Pico / RS Feva Programme

Racing for the Sheffield Perpetual Trophy (Races1-8) and the Le Croí Cup (Races 9-18) schedule as indicated in the sailing instructions.

SHANNON-ONE-DESIGN

TROPHY RACE NUMBERS DISCARD

The Waters Plate 1,2,3 All races to count.

formerly The Digital Plate.

Renamed in memory of the late Frank & Leone Waters.

2,3,4,5,7,8 L.R.Y.C. (1937) Cup

Presented by the late Dr. A. Delany.

The James Fleming Trophy 10.11.13.14.16.17.19

For the winner of the Silver Fleet series.

The Starter's Gun All races except All races to count.

Presented by the Hooker family in memory of The Grunter's Plate

the Club's late Honorary Starter, Lt. Col. Eric Hooker, O.B.E. A non-starting boat (DNS) in any race will score 50 points.

The Campbell Perpetual Challenge Cup

For the champion helmsman of L.R.Y.C. Regatta S.O.D. I.S.A. Class Championship

Sailed in L.R.Y.C. in 'even' years.

The Marguerite Cup

Originally presented by the late W.H. Milligan. Won in 1939 by the late Mr. Alan Smith and re-presented by his daughter Mrs. Anne Allen for the champion sheet-hand of L.R.YC. Regatta

The Rynhart Perpetual Piano

Helm & Sheet-hand from the same family.

The John Marriage Memorial Trophy

Presented by the Marriage family. Sailed in L.R.Y.C.

in 'odd' vears.

The Delany Memorial Salver 4,7,10,13,16,19 One discard from each Regatta

For the champion boat of L.R.Y.C. and L.D.Y.C. Regattas. Series if 5 or more races are

completed in that Regatta.

Not applicable in 2018

One discard if 5 or more races

are completed.

OTHER SHANNON-ONE-DESIGN TROPHIES

4,7,10,13,16,19

The Albion Cup

Presented by the late Capt. A. W. Wolfe-Smith. Boats to be steered by a crew member other than a regular helmsman, who has not helmed a S.O.D. in any previous race in the Regatta. A scratch race.

The Goodbody Tankard

A ladies race. Presented by the late Mr. & Mrs. L. M. Goodbody. A scratch race.

The Una Cup

Presented by the late Dr. V.T.H. Delany & the late Dr. A. Delany for a single-handed scratch race for SODs.

The Sunshine Cup (Juvenile Race)

Boats to be helmed by children over 9 and less than 17 years of age on date of race. Presented by the Reid Family for Junior Sailing.

ALL CLASSES

The Grunter's Plate

Presented by the late Lt. Col. C.E.P. Hooker and the late Mr. M. McGuire for SODs, the conditions to be the burden of the Regatta Committee.

The Calamity Trophy

Presented by Mr. A. Algoo. To be awarded by the Regatta Committee to the person who suffers the biggest calamity of the Regatta.

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ALL CRUISERS (including J24)

The Terryglass Trophy The Longford Cup Presented by the late Dr. A. Delany	1,2,3,4,5,6 7,8,9,10,11,12,13	One discard if 4 or more races are completed.
The Mullingar Festival Trophy	1,3,5)
The Defence Forces Trophy	2,4,6	All races to count.
The Regatta Long Distance Trophy	11,12	J

CRUISERS (non-J24)

The Andrew Mannion Memorial Trophy

 Castlecore Trophy
 1,2,3,4,5,6

 Presented by Mr. J. Banim.
 7,8,9,10,11,12,13

Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy For Yachts 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8 (other than J24s) owned by a Member(s) of L.R.Y.C. 9,10,11,12,13

One discard if 4,5,6 or 7 races are completed, two discards if 8 or more races are completed.

J24 (only)

The Andrew Mannion Memorial Trophy 1

The Kennedy Crystal
Presented by Mr. P. Kennedy.

1,2,3,4,5,6
Completed.

One discard if 4 or more races are completed.

The Erne Trophy (J24) 7,8,9,10,11,12,13

OPTIMIST

The Juvenile Cup 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8

Presented by the late Mrs. M.C. Murtagh. For the Gold Fleet.

The Garnafalaigh Cup 9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17,18

Presented by the late Mr. and Mrs. F. Carter. For the Gold Fleet.

The Bowsprit Bowl 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8

Presented by the late Mr. Berchs Hannon. For the Silver Fleet.

The Tonge Cup 9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17,18

For the Silver Fleet.

The Alice Trophy 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8 9,10,11,12,

Presented by Mr. R. Goodbody. 13,14,15,16,17,18

For the best improver in the Silver Fleet.

One discard if 4,5,6 or 7 races are completed, two discards if 8 or more races are completed.

PICO and / or RS Feva

The Sheffield Perpetual Trophy 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,

Presented by the Sheffield Family

The Le Croí Cup 9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17,18

Presented by the The Coffey and Linehan Families

One discard if 4,5,6 or 7 races are completed, two discards if 8 or more races are completed.

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COURTESY NOTES

The Executive Committee has requested the Regatta Committee to draw your attention to the following matters.

TEMPORARY MEMBERSHIP

Visiting helmsmen and crew competing at the L.R.Y.C. Annual Regatta and their guests shall be Temporary Members of L.R.Y.C. for the duration of the Regatta and shall be bound by the rules of the club. The club reserves the right to withdraw Temporary Membership.

DOGS NOT PERMITTED

For reasons of health and safety, dogs are not permitted on Club property. Those members who feel they must bring their dogs, may keep them on their boats, removing them only on a lead to the nearest exit from Club property and returning them in the same manner.

ALCOHOL

Alcohol will not be served to persons under 18yrs of age. Under 15s are required by law to leave the bar area by 2100.

FOOD & DRINK

Soup and rolls will be available for sale at lunch time. Afternoon tea will be served daily. Members are reminded that only beverages purchased at the bar may be consumed in the Clubhouse and veranda area.

ACCOMMODATION

Hotels/B&B's etc. See www.lryc.ie and/or www.athlone.ie Berthing and camping facilities available on site.

MOORING / CAMPING / BEACH MASTERS / TOILETS

Please obey instructions of Beach Masters. Occupants of boats without holding tanks shall use the Club's toilet and shower facilities ashore.

ELECTRICITY SUPPLY

Electricity supply is limited to six amps to provide supply for a fridge and battery charger. The use of heavy duty items like Immersions, Microwaves, Kettles, Hairdryers, etc. are all prohibited. These trip the system and as a result all cruisers may have no power.

ENGINE RUNNING

Engines should not be used for battery charging etc.

GLASSES

Abandoned glasses are a safety hazard. Please return empty glasses to the bar.

WASTE

Please separate all waste and place INTO skips and bins as designated. Do not mix general domestic with recyclables.

SAFETY REGULATIONS

A summary may be posted on the Club Noticeboard.

JET SKIS

The use Jet Skis is prohibited.

OTHER INFORMATION

Social Events

FRIDAY, 3rd AUGUST 16.30 BAR OPEN

GET TOGETHER IN THE CLUBHOUSE

SATURDAY, 4th AUGUST

09.30 BRIEFING AT CLUBHOUSE

19.00 JUNIOR SUPPER

SUNDAY, 5th AUGUST

20.00 REGATTA BUFFET - €28

MONDAY, 6th AUGUST

17.30 PRIZEGIVING and REGATTA PHOTOGRAPH

TUESDAY, 7th AUGUST

19.00 COMMODORE'S RECEPTION

WEDNESDAY, 8th AUGUST

20.30 REGATTA SUPPER - €20

THURSDAY, 9th AUGUST

20.00 TABLE QUIZ - €10 per table Quiz Master: Neil Flannery

22.00 SING-ALONG IN THE CLUBHOUSE

FRIDAY, 10th AUGUST

17.00 PRIZEGIVING

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