LOUGH REE YACHT CLUB



Annual Regatta

Ballyglass, Coosan, Athlone 3rd - 9th August, 2019 Notice of Race and Programme

(Sailing Instructions will be available at Registration)

Regatta Committee:

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NOTICE OF RACE

L.R.Y.C. ANNUAL REGATTA

3rd - 9th August, 2019

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, Sports ODs, Shannon-One-Design, Laser, Optimist & Mirror. (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, subdivide or allocate to 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 https://www.lryc.ie or by downloading an entry form from the club's website as above.
- 3.5 Entries will be accepted online until 18.00 on Friday 2nd August or, thereafter, only at Registration (see 5.1).

4 **FFFS**

4.1 Required fees are as follows:

Full Regatta	Weekend Only
€160	€130
€120	€ 95
€180	€130
	€160 €120

- 4.2 Where entries and relevant fees are received by the Registration Secretary on or before Friday 26th July, 2019, 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 online and on the Regatta Entry Form.

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5 SCHEDULE

5.1 Registration & Ticket Collection

Registration will take place in the Clubhouse on:

Friday 2nd August between 19.00 & 20.00 and

Saturday 3rd 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 3rd 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 3rd August will be for Cruisers and Sports O.Ds 10.55, Shannon-One-Designs 11.25, Mirrors 11.55 and Optimists 12.00. Other classes as indicated on the course boards.
- 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, unless otherwise indicated.

9 BERTHING

Berthing spaces afloat and ashore will be allocated and displayed online by Saturday 27th July. Boats shall be berthed in their allocated spaces. Please obey instructions from the beachmaster/s.

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.

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 safety 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 €3 million per incident or the equivalent (Junior Fleet €1.5 million), in respect of damage to property, bodily injury or death.

15 DATA PROTECTION

By entering you provide data to the Organising Authority (OA). The OA includes Executive Committee, Race Officers, Race Committee, Safety & Support Boats / Personnel & Beachmaster. The OA will use personal data for the purpose of administering the event. L.R.Y.C. Data Protection Policy is available on https://www.lryc.ie/policy/

16 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, 3rd 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. Presented by Mr. T. Day. A scratch race.

SUNDAY, 4th 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 the late Mr. J. & Mrs. L. Lyster. A scratch race.

Race 6 16.45 - An Event.

MONDAY, 5th 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, 6th 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, 7th 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 it's Bi-Centenary by the members of

Lough Derg Yacht Club. A handicap race.

Race 14 \ddagger 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. 8th AUGUST

Race 16 ‡* 10.45 - The L.R.Y.C. Cup. Presented by the late Miss V. Magan. A handicap race.

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 Mr. T. Feeley, S40. Re-presented

by the Feeley family in 2007. A scratch race.

Race I8 16.45 - An Event.

FRIDAY, 9th 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

CRUISER PROGRAMME

SATURDAY, 3rd AUGUST

Race 1 * 11.00 - Terryglass Trophy 1st Heat.

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

Also The Andrew Mannion Memorial Trophy.

Race 2 + 14.45 - Terryglass Trophy 2nd Heat.

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

SUNDAY, 4th 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, 5th 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, 6th 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. 7th 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, 8th 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, 9th 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

MIRROR & OPTIMIST PROGRAMME

Mirror Trophy The McGrath Cup

Optimist Trophies The Juvenile Cup - (Gold Fleet), The Bowsprit Bowl (Silver Fleet) and The Optimist Association Trophy (Bronze Fleet).

SATURDAY, 3rd AUGUST

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Race 1 12.00 - 12.05 - 1st Heat of 8 Race Series.

Race 2 (asap after Race 1) 2nd Heat. Race 3 15.15 - 15.20 3rd Heat.

SUNDAY, 4th AUGUST

Race 4 11.15 - 11.20 4th Heat. Race 5 (asap after Race 4) 5th Heat. Race 6 15.00 - 15.05 6th Heat.

MONDAY, 5th AUGUST

Race 7 11.15 - 11.20 7th Heat.

Race 8 14.30 - 14.35 8th Heat & The Lifeboat Race. A scratch race.

Approx. 17.30 - Prizegiving at the Clubhouse.

Mirror Trophy The Lesley Cup

Optimist Trophies The Garnafalaigh Cup, (Gold Fleet), The Tonge Cup (Silver Fleet) and The Ree Tankard (Bronze Fleet).

TUESDAY, 6th AUGUST

Mirror Optimist

Race 9 11.15 - 11.20 1st Heat of 10 Race series.

Race 10 (asap after Race 9) 2nd Heat. Race 11 15.00 - 15.05 - 3rd Heat.

WEDNESDAY, 7th AUGUST

Race 12 11.15 - 11.20 4th Heat. Race 13 (asap after Race 12) 5th Heat. Race 14 15.00 - 15.05 6th Heat.

THURSDAY, 8th AUGUST

Race 15 11.15 - 11.20 7th Heat. Race 16 (asap after Race 15) 8th Heat. Race 17 15.00 - 15.05 9th Heat.

FRIDAY. 9th AUGUST

Race 18 11.15 - 11.20 10th Heat.

TBA Mirror Event

The Desmond Trophy presented by the Cullen Family.

The age difference of the crew shall be a

minimum of 20 years.

Approx. 17.00 - Prizegiving at the Clubhouse.

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.

L.R.Y.C. (1937) Cup

Presented by the late Dr. A. Delany.

The James Fleming Trophy

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 (DNC only) in any race will score 50 points.

The Campbell Perpetual Challenge Cup

For the champion helmsman of L.R.Y.C. Regatta 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.Y.C. 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' years. 2, 5, 8, 11, 14,17

The Delany Memorial Salver 4,7,10,13,16,19

For the champion boat of L.R.Y.C. and L.D.Y.C. Regattas.

One discard if 5 or more races are completed.

One discard from each

Regatta if 5 or more races are completed in that Regatta.

OTHER SHANNON-ONE-DESIGN TROPHIES

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 Silver SOD Trophy.

Presented by the late Mrs. M. Browne in memory of the late Mr. Jim Browne. A scratch **ballot** race.

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.

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.

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. Algeo. 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 Sports ODs)

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-Sports ODs)

The Andrew Mannion Memorial Trophy

Castlecore Trophy 1,2,3,4,5,6 Presented by Mr. J. Banim. **Moydrum Trophy** 7.8.9.10.11.12.13

Joe Groarke Memorial Trophy For Yachts 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8 (other than Sports ODs) 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.

SPORTS ODS (ONLY)

The Kennedy Crystal 1,2,3,4,5,6 Presented by Mr. P. Kennedy. The Erne Trophy 7.8.9,10,11,12,13

One discard if 4 or more races are

LASER

TBA - See notice board Carna Shell Trophy

MIRROR

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

Presented by Dr. & Mrs. M. McGrath The Lesley Cup 9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17,18

Presented by the late Dr. J. & Mrs. P. Groarke

The Sheffield Perpetual Cup 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8 9,10,11,12,

Presented by Mr. & Mrs. G. Sheffield 13,14,15,16,17,18

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.

Optimist Association Trophy 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,

For the Bronze Fleet

Ree Tankard Trophy 9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17,18

For the Bronze 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

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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 18 years of age. Under 15s are required by law to leave the bar area by 21.00.

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.

In line with the Club's Environmental Policy, which can be found on the website, the use of single use plastics is being phased out. This has started with a ban on single use plastic drinking bottles in 2019. <u>Please note that these bottles are not permitted in the club,</u> reusable bottles are encouraged and are for sale in the club.

SAFETY REGULATIONS

A summary may be posted on the Club Noticeboard.

JET SKIS

The use of Jet Skis is prohibited.

OTHER INFORMATION

Social Events

FRIDAY, 2nd AUGUST 16.30 BAR OPEN

GET TOGETHER IN THE CLUBHOUSE

SATURDAY, 3rd AUGUST

09.30 BRIEFING AT CLUBHOUSE

19.00 JUNIOR SUPPER

SUNDAY, 4th AUGUST

20.00 REGATTA BUFFET - €30.00 With Live Music by Buck Taylor (appox 23.00 - 01.00)

MONDAY, 5th AUGUST

17.30 PRIZEGIVING and REGATTA PHOTOGRAPH

TUESDAY, 6th AUGUST

19.00 COMMODORE'S RECEPTION

WEDNESDAY, 7th AUGUST

20.30 REGATTA SUPPER - €22.00

THURSDAY, 8th AUGUST

20.00 S.O.D.A - A.G.M.

22.00 SING-ALONG IN THE CLUBHOUSE

FRIDAY, 9th AUGUST

17.00 PRIZEGIVING

TABLE QUIZ - €10 per table Day & Time to be announced Quiz Master: Neil Flannery

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