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# LOUGH REE YACHT CLUB



## *Shannon One Design Centenary Regatta*

**Ballyglass, Coosan, Athlone**

**23rd July - 24th July, 2022**

### *Notice of Race*

The Organising Authority (OA) of this event is L.R.Y.C in conjunction with The Shannon One Design Association. The regatta will take place on Lough Ree and the River Shannon, based at the club.

#### **1. RULES**

- a. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- b. All relevant class rules will apply.
- c. These rules are contingent upon COVID-19 Govt., I.S and L.R.Y.C. Rules and Guidelines in place at the time of the Regatta.

#### **2. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY**

- a. 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.
- b. Entries shall be completed online at <https://www.lryc.ie> and will be accepted up to and including Thursday 21st July at 18.00.

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### 3. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The SIs will be available online by Friday 22nd July and at Registration

### 4. COMMUNICATION

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

### 5. ADVERTISING

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

### 6. FEES

An entry fee of €51.50 will apply.

### 7. REGISTRATION

Registration will take place in the Clubhouse on:  
Friday 22nd July between 18.30 & 19.30 and  
Saturday 23rd July between 09.00 & 10.00

### 8. SCHEDULE

Details below are draft and may be subject to change prior to the event and during the event as circumstances dictate.

#### Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

Registration	18.30-19.30
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#### Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> July - 3 races

Registration	9.00-10.00
Briefing	9.30
1 <sup>st</sup> Championship Race Start	10.45

#### Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> July - 3 races

3 <sup>rd</sup> Championship Race Start	11.00
Prize Giving	16.30

In the event of adverse weather conditions, the OA reserves the right to sail an extra race on either day of the regatta.

### 9. COURSES

The courses for each race to be sailed will be indicated on WhatsApp and/or on the Course Board at the Clubhouse at least 30 minutes before the start, unless otherwise indicated.

### 10. SCORING

No discard will be applied to the 4 race championship.

### 11. DATA PROTECTION

By entering you provide data to the OA.  
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/>

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## 12. RISK STATEMENT AND DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See *RRS 3, 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 including Covid-19, 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, safety 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*.**

**Flag Y will not be displayed. It is strongly recommended that such devices be used at all times while afloat.**

## 13. 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 in respect of damage to property, bodily injury or death.

## OTHER INFORMATION

### MEMBERSHIP

Competitors are granted temporary membership of L.R.Y.C for the duration of the regatta, subject only to the provisions of the Club rules for withdrawing or withholding such membership.

### MEDIA WAIVER

Competitors give their consent to the OA to use or to license the use of their name, comments, photographs and likeness as it sees fit for the promotion of the Club & Regatta. The OA reserves the right to use or to license the use of any images and sound recordings during the event free of charge.

### SOD BERTHING

Owners of Shannons intending to participate in the Annual Regatta may keep their boats onsite, leaving them in the south field after the event. There will be a small number of spaces on the north shore reserved exclusively for those SODs that have been towed by water and are being left for the regatta.

### SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

For a full outline of all on shore activities please visit <https://www.lryc.ie/event/shannon-one-design-centenary/>

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