



Bewl Sailing Association (BSA) Notice of Race Pioneer Series 2017

Venue	Bewl Sailing Association, Bewl Water, Lamberhurst, Kent, TN3 8JH		
Dates	Sundays, 5 th November to 17 th December inclusive		
Organisers	Bewl Sailing Association		
Rules	The series of races will be governed by the rules as defined by the Racing Rules of Sailing, the prescriptions of the Royal Yachting Association and the Sailing Instructions (July 2016).		
Entries	The series is open to all members of BSA. There will be separate starts for juniors (under 18 on 31.12.2017).		
Entry fee	Nil to members of BSA		
Registration	Registration will be by signing on each week prior to the race.		
Briefing	Each Sunday as required prior to the race		
Schedule of races	Three races back-to-back each Sunday morning. The start will be in accordance with the BSA General Sailing Instructions. Classes may be combined for starts depending on numbers racing.		
First start	Morning race	Flying Fifteens not before 10.40 Lasers 3 minutes later Handicap fleet 3 minutes later Juniors 3 minutes later	
	Afternoon race	One start, not before 13.45	
Sailing Instructions	Sailing Instructions will be available on the day.		
Starting procedure	When all classes start together, Flag Numeral 1 will be used, otherwise class flags will be flown.		
	3 minutes	class flag displayed	1 sound signal
	1 minute		1 sound signal
	Start	class flag down	1 sound signal
	For individual classes, appropriate class flags will be hoisted at 3-minute intervals.		
Scoring and results	The scoring system will be as indicated in Appendix A RYA 2013-16. Half the number of races sailed plus one will be counted. Results will be posted on the BSA website www.bewlsailing.club .		
Prizes	tba		
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