Notice of race

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 Racing rules 28.1, 35, 40, 60.1(b) will be changed as follows:

RRS 28.1 is changed to allow helms that have not sailed the full course to be finished with a Race officers discretionary finish if required (see SI 14.3);

RRS 35 is changed to allow helms that have not sailed the full course to be finished with a Race officers discretionary finish if required & helms that do not complete the course within 30 minutes of the first helm to not be finished.

RRS 40 is changed so that competitors shall wear a personal flotation device at all times while afloat, except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. Flag Y will not be displayed.

RRS 60.1(b) is changed so that competitors may not request redress for alleged breaches of 62.1(a) concerning SIs 14.3.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1 The regatta is open to all boats that are adhering to the membership policy found on the website.

3. FEES

3.1 If a fee is required for the scheduled racing this will be displayed on the club website.

4. SCHEDULE

- 4.1 Series that require prior registration will be detailed on the club website along with timings.
- 4.2 The number of races for each series and to occur each day will be detailed on the club website
- 4.3 The scheduled time of the warning signal for each day is detailed on the club website.

5. MEASUREMENT

A boat or equipment may be checked at any time for compliance with the class rules and sailing instructions. Non class legal boats may be allowed to compete at the race officer's discretion.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available on the club website before the first day of the series.

7. VENUE

Addendum A shows the location of the racing area.

8. THE COURSES

The course to be sailed will be displayed on the committee boat board as described in the sailing instructions.

9. SCORING

- 9.1 For open meetings 1 race is required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 9.2 For club racing the number of races required to be completed to constitute a series shall be included in the sailing programme.
- 9.3 In classes, where competitors have a choice of rig size, they may change between Rigs and retain their scores from different rigs for the series. When results are determined using the Portsmouth Yardstick Handicapping System, the finishing position for all races in series will be calculated using the Portsmouth Number for the largest rig used by that competitor in that series.

10. PRIZES

Prizes to be awarded for each individual series or event will be displayed on the club website.

11. 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 or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

12. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £2,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.

13. BIO SECURITY MEASURES

Under Anglican water guidance the club operates a wash, clean and dry biosecuity policy that must be followed by all craft and their trailers as detailed on the club website or open entry forms. Visiting members will be asked to sign a declaration to confirm they have read, understood and followed this process.

14. DOGS

No dogs are allowed in the clubhouse or anywhere in the club grounds at any time, unless as required by disability or illness or in the interests of public safety.

15. FURTHER INFO FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE SEE CONTACTS ON HOLLOWELL SC WEBSITE.