

# Gorey Regatta 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> July 2011

## Notice of Race

**Organising Authority: The Gorey Regatta Association**



**All times Local Time (UTC+1)**

<b>Date</b>	<b>High Water St. Helier</b>	<b>Height (m)</b>
Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	13:15	9.0
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	14:26	8.7

### **Location:**

The event will be held in the general area of Grouville Bay, Jersey.

### **Regatta website and enquiries:**

Periodic updates and the very latest information on the regatta can be found on [www.goreyregatta.org](http://www.goreyregatta.org). Enquiries should be addressed to [info@goreyregatta.org](mailto:info@goreyregatta.org).

### **1. Rules**

- 1.1 The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012* and Class Rules.
- 1.2 The Prescriptions of the Royal Yachting association will apply.
- 1.3 Racing rules 35 and A2 will be changed. These changes will be shown in full in the Sailing Instructions. The Sailing Instructions may also change other rules.

### **2. Advertising**

- 2.1 ISAF Regulation 20.3 shall apply.

### **3. Eligibility and Entry**

- 3.1 The Regatta is open to boats in the following classes:

- Class 1
  - Class 2
  - Class 3
  - Sports boats
  - Day boats
  - Multihulls
- } in possession of a valid 2011 IRC or Jersey Handicap issued by the Jersey Handicap Committee
- Open dinghies with a Portsmouth Yardstick handicap
  - Beach catamarans
  - Windsurfers

Yachts without an IRC handicap can apply for a Jersey Handicap by downloading an application form from St Helier Yacht Club, <http://www.shyc.je/Racing/Handicaps>. This form must be submitted at least 3 days before the Regatta.

Entries must be from those who are members of either the Gorey Regatta Association or a recognised yacht club. Application forms for membership of the Gorey Regatta Association are on our website, [www.goreyregatta.org](http://www.goreyregatta.org).

- 3.2 Eligible boats shall enter by completing the attached entry form and delivering it with the appropriate entry fee to the Regatta Office by **18:00 Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July**.
- 3.3 Late entries may be accepted at the sole discretion of the Organising Authority, but will incur a late entry surcharge fee of 50%.
- 3.4 The following restrictions on the number of boats apply:
  - 3.4.1 There shall be a minimum of 2 boats starting to constitute any race, and a minimum of 2 starters in each class to constitute a race for that class

#### **4. Fees**

- 4.1 The fees for entries received prior to 18:00 Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July are as follows:
  - Classes 1, 2, 3, Sports boats, Day boats, Multihulls - £22
  - Open dinghies, beach catamarans, windsurfers - £17
  - Rowing boats - £5 per boat
- 4.2 Juniors born in or after 1995 pay a discounted entry fee of £14
- 4.3 Members of the Gorey Regatta Association are entitled to one £5 discount on the above entry fees per subscription.
- 4.4 The entry fee for all sailing boats and windsurfers includes one free ticket per boat for the prize-giving buffet to be held at The Moorings on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July.
- 4.5 Extra prize-giving buffet tickets are £7.50 each.
- 4.5 The entry fee for rowing boats does not include any free buffet tickets.

#### **5. Schedule of Races:**

**(A more detailed schedule will be provided in the Sailing Instructions)**

- 5.1 **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July** – There will be a feeder race from St. Helier for Classes 1, 2, 3, Sports boats and Multihulls with first warning signal at 09:25. Races for these classes will start in Gorey with a first warning signal of 11:25.
- 5.2 **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July** – The scheduled time for the first warning signal for the first race for the Day boats will be at 11:10.
- 5.3 **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July** – The scheduled time for the first warning signal for the first race for the dinghies with a PY of over 1162 will be at 11:35.
- 5.4 **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July** – The scheduled time for the first warning signal for the first race for the dinghies with a PY of 1162 or under will be at 11:45
- 5.5 **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July** – The scheduled time for the first warning signal for the first race for the beach catamarans and windsurfers will be 11:55
- 5.6 **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July** – The scheduled start time for the Rowing Race will be 11:15. This will consist of a staggered start over approximately 15 minutes.
- 5.7 **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July** – The scheduled time for the first warning signal for the first race for Optimist dinghies will be at 11:45.
- 5.8 **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July** – The scheduled time for the first warning signal for the first race for the RS 200 dinghies will be at 11:55.
- 5.9 **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July** – The scheduled time for the first warning signal for the first race for the dinghies without a class will be at 12:05.
- 5.10 **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July** – The scheduled time for the first warning signal for the first race for the Lasers and Laser Radials will be at 12:15.
- 5.11 **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July** – The scheduled time for the first warning signal for the first race for the beach catamarans and windsurfers will be 12:25.
- 5.12 **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July** – The scheduled time for the first warning signal for the Cruisers and Multihulls with a Jersey Handicap will be at 12:40

**Please note, Gorey Harbour dries out at low tide and so boats wishing to stay overnight must be able to take the ground. There are some nearby deep-water moorings but these are very exposed and are used at the owner's risk.**

## **6. Measurements**

- 6.1 Each boat in classes 1, 2, 3, sports boats, day boats and multihulls shall have a valid 2011 Jersey Handicap or IRC Certificate
- 6.2 Open dinghies shall have a valid Portsmouth Yardstick to compete in the relevant races.

## **7. Sailing Instructions**

- 7.1 Sailing Instructions will be available from the Organising Authority and on the Gorey Regatta website from Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June.
- 7.2 Separate instructions for the Rowing Race will be issued by the Jersey Rowing Club.

## **8. The Courses – To be described in full in the Sailing Instructions**

- 8.1 Courses will be set in Grouville Bay, extending north toward St. Catherine, and will comprise one or more laid marks and/or one or more fixed marks as shown on the Gorey Regatta Course Card which will be provided with the Sailing Instructions.

## **9. Scoring**

- 9.1 The Low Points System of Scoring (A4.1) in Appendix A to The Racing Rules of Sailing will apply.
- 9.2 No discards are allowed except in the Orviss Cup for Day boats, where 2 discards are allowed.

## **10. Radio Communication**

- 10.1 During racing, a boat shall neither seek nor receive information with regard to the race itself, or other competing boats in the race, if this information could be construed in any way under Rule 41 as receiving outside assistance which is not available to all boats. Communication via VHF, mobile or any other means of communication that does not relate to the race, or other competing boats in the race, is permitted.

## **11. Prizes**

- 11.1 Trophies and prizes will be presented at the post-Regatta prize-giving buffet at The Moorings on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July.
- 11.2 Place prizes will be awarded in each class.
- 11.3 Perpetual Trophies must not be taken out of Jersey.

## **12. Disclaimer of Liability**

The safety of the boat and her entire management including insurance shall be the sole responsibility of the owner/competitor racing the boat. They must ensure that the boat and its crew are adequate to face the conditions that may arise in the course of the Regatta. Neither the establishment of the required safety regulations nor the inspection of any boat in any way limits or reduces the absolute responsibility of the owner/competitor for their crew, boat and the management thereof.

A parent or Guardian must counter sign the entry form of any junior participant, to show that they give permission for their child to compete in the Regatta and to be insured as above.

## **13. Insurance**

Each participating boat shall, for the duration of the event, have in force a valid third party liability insurance cover, including racing, to a minimum of £2,000,000.

## **14. Further Information**

For further information please contact the Gorey Regatta Association by visiting wither the website [www.goreyregatta.org](http://www.goreyregatta.org) or by emailing: [info@goreyregatta.org](mailto:info@goreyregatta.org).

**Please note that there will be a skippers briefing with complimentary drink at the Dolphin bar on Friday evening from 19:30.**

# ENTRY FORM (Closing Date Wednesday 6th July 2011)

Please reply to: Jeff Speller, Frandor, La Rue de la Devise, St Ouen, JE3 2AG

Please remember to include your handicap. Any boat starting without a handicap being previously allocated will not count as a finisher. Yachts and dayboats must hold either a valid IRC or Jersey Handicap to enter.

Name of Vessel ..... Class .....  
Sail Number ..... Handicap .....  
Owner / Helm ..... LOA.....  
Address..... Telephone.....  
..... Email .....

## Events Entered (Please enter numbers below)

Cruiser/Racer/Multihull Jersey Handicap, Saturday	
Cruiser/Racer/Multihull Jersey Handicap, Sunday	
Open Dinghy	
Dayboat	
Beach Catamaran or windsurfer	
Rowing Boat	
Prizegiving buffet extra tickets required at £7.50 each	

I enclose my entry fee:

Yachts and Dayboats £22, Dinghies£17, Beach Catamaran or windsurfer £17, Rowing boats £5, Juniors £14 (Born in or after 1995) DOB.....

Cheques to be made payable to "Gorey Regatta Association" £.....

(Members of the Association receive a £5 discount per subscription on the above entry fee).

Please include extra buffet tickets in the same cheque. Late entries may be accepted after this date at a surcharge of 50%.

## DECLARATION

I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and all other rules that govern this event. I understand that neither the Gorey Regatta Association (the Organising Authority) nor their representatives shall be liable for any loss, damage, death or personal injury howsoever caused to the owner/competitor, his/her skipper or crew, as a result of their taking part in the race or races. Moreover, every owner/competitor warrants the suitability of his boat for the races. The safety of a boat and her entire management including insurance shall be the sole responsibility of the owner/competitor who must ensure that the boat is fully found, thoroughly seaworthy, and manned by a crew of sufficient number and experience who are physically fit to face bad weather. The owner/competitor must be satisfied as to the soundness of the hull, spars, rigging and all gear. He/she must ensure that all safety equipment is properly maintained, stowed and in date and that the crew know where it is kept and how it is to be used. Neither the establishment of these conditions, their use by the race organisers, nor the inspection of the boat under these conditions in any way limits the absolute responsibility of the owner/competitor. The crew are nonetheless advised to satisfy themselves as to the experience of the skipper and the adequacy of all safety equipment and insurance arrangements.

I declare that:

The boat and its crew holds adequate insurance and in particular insurance against third party claims at least to the minimum cover recommended by the RYA (currently £2M) and that such cover will be in force and maintained in full force and effect throughout the Regatta.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or guardian as applicable:

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## Gorey Regatta Association

The association would welcome new members, who may take advantage of the reduced entry fees by filling in the banker's order below.

To: \_\_\_\_\_ Bank

\_\_\_\_\_ Branch    Sort code    -    -

<b>A/C no:</b>		<b>Date</b> _____
<b>Please pay NOW and on 1 April each year hereafter until this order is cancelled by me the sum of £        to the HSBC Bank, P O Box 14, St Helier, Jersey, JE4 8NJ for the credit of the Gorey Regatta Association, sort code 40-25-34, account number 40388327.</b>		
<b>Name:</b>		
<b>Address:</b>		
<b>Email address:</b>		

I/we do not object to my/our personal details being maintained on a database(s) and used solely for contacting me/us. Please tick the box if you wish for communications to be sent to you by email.   

**Signed**

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Subscriptions - £3.00 joint, £2.00 single

Please send to: –  
JEFFREY SPELLER  
HON TREASURER  
FRANDOR  
RUE DE LA DEVISE  
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