

# Sea Scout Sailing Regatta 1971-2021 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary



## **Notice of Race**

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

The Annual Sailing Regatta will be held in Malahide Yacht Club's Dinghy Centre on the Broadmeadows Estuary Sunday 3th Oct.

Registration will open 10.30am followed by casual Fall-In and the Racing Brief.

All competitors should attend the Racing Brief for important details such as race course, rounding marks, penalties, starting sequence, etc.

Due to the significant impact Covid19 has had on troops and activities; the crew requirements for team entries have changed as per below. The majority of events will be single-handed + further Covid19 measures will be communicated closer the date.

#### 2. RULES

- i. Standard racing rules will apply. Scouts taking to the water should be aware of port vs starboard, windward boat keeps clear, start-line penalties, avoid collision at all costs.
- ii. Scouting Spirit should be adhered to at all times.
- iii. Protests will not be facilitated.
- iv. The OOD has final word on all matters.
- v. If a team cannot be located for a race, it will forfeit that race.

#### 3. EVENTS & TEAMS

#### Team Racing

Teams of x3 sailing single-handed Topaz/ Pico dinghy provided.

Teams must consist of at least x1 Venture and x1 Scout.

### **Seamanship Challenge**

Crews will be tasked to sail a course and asked to complete various sailing challenges.

Points will be awarded for teamwork, speed, sailing efficiently and skill.

Rig and get underway, MOB, Anchor, Coming alongside, Pick up a mooring, points of sailing.

Team of x3 Scouts/ Ventures onboard a multi-hander similar to BP18, Laser Stratos, RS Venture.

#### **Rovers/Scouters Race**

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Single-handed in Topaz/ Pico dinghy provided.

#### **Albatross Race**

A special event to mark the 50th anniversary of the sailing regatta which was originally hosted from the decks of the LS Albatross, former sea scout training vessel.

Competitors finish will be acknowledged with the ringing of the LS Albatross ships bell. Single-handed, all against.

Dependent on entries & resources available this may be restricted to one entry per Troop.

Troops may enter any one or numerous events. €30.00 per Troop. All competitors and support crews must wear appropriate PFD and footwear. Coach boats are not permitted.



This event is part of the **Clean Regattas Programme** to promote ocean wellness and sustainability.

Please support this initiative by highlighting with your sailing teams.

https://www.sailorsforthesea.org/

We encourage all teams to make small, simple changes to protect our oceans and waterways. Gates to the dinghy centre will be closed to private vehicles and start times have been amended to support public transport and DART, while local teams should consider cycling or walking to the event.

Packed lunches should be brought in reusable, washable containers or recyclable paper.

Water bottles may be refilled at the onsite water refilling station.

We also encourage teams to carry out a quick beach clean at their home waters in advance of the event!

Please submit all race entries by Friday 24th September.

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Further details contact sailing@malahideseascouts.ie