

# Arrival:

Gates to the Club will be open until 2130 Friday evening and will reopen by 8am on Saturday morning.

If you are bringing a RIB, please ensure it is full of fuel before arrival. You will be able to launch it until 5.30pm on Friday. Otherwise you will need to launch it on Saturday morning.

Rib fuel is available on site at the end of the event.

# DOGS are only allowed in the main car park and must be kept on a lead at all times. Please ensure that any mess is cleaned up and disposed of correctly.

## **Parking/Dinghy Park:**

Marshalls from the Club will direct you on arrival to where you should unload your boat. Car parking will be in the field opposite the club.

### **Accommodation:**

There are a very limited number of bunk rooms available in the Club house. These can be booked by phoning Rutland Water Sailing Club direct on 01780 720292.

Camping is available for motorhomes, caravans and tents at Rutland Water Campsite (directly opposite the Club entrance). For further details see: rutlandwatercampsite.co.uk. There are NO HOOK UPS on this site.

You MUST book in advance by contacting them at:

#### Rutlandwatercampsite@outlook.com

Alternatively plenty of local accommodation is available via the below link:

Rutland Sailing Club : Rutland Water Accommodation

## **Key Times and Locations:**

- Race Office and Safety Briefings/meetings will be in the John Merrick Building (at the side of the Club House)
- Registration will be held in the John Merrick Building 0900 1000 Saturday
- Tally board will be in front of the Club House.
- If you are helping out on the water, please come to safety briefing (ready to go afloat with kit and lunch etc) at 9.30am on Saturday and 9am on Sunday.

# Safety at the Event:

The safety of your sailor is of paramount concern to us. Please help us to look after them by:

- Ensuring that you keep your mobile switched on at all times and fill in a "Loco Parentis" in the Race Office if you have to go off site.
- Reminding your sailor to tally on and off promptly
- Letting us know if your sailor has decided not to sail on either day (volunteers in the Race Office and on the tally board have to spend considerable time trying to account for uncollected tally bands otherwise).
- Making sure they have the right clothing on and food/drink with them on the water.
- Clearly labeling the handle of their launch trolley with their championship number so we can recover them and their boat swiftly at the end of a tiring day.
- Ensuring that they have a loop in their painter, a quick release downhaul and outhaul and their championship number on the transom of their hull (all to aid swift reefing/recovery by rib crews on the water).
- Coming dressed to wade in the water to help sailors launch and return to shore.