



ITC INTERNATIONAL TEN RATER CLASS

TEN RATER European Nations Cup

2020 Round 1

NOTICE OF RACE

For the event to be held at Datchet on 21/22/23 February 2020

Host Club: Datchet Water Radio Sailing Club

1. LOCATION

Datchet Water Radio sailing Club is located at the Queen Mother Reservoir, Horton Road, Horton, Berkshire, SL3 9NT. Situated close to Heathrow airport with good access from both the M25 (J14) and M4 (J5)

2. RULES

The regatta will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) as changed by the RRS Appendix E, the International Ten Rater Class Rules and The Equipment Rules of Sailing (ERS)

The following IRSA rules will apply:

- a) The Addendum Q (Umpiring),
- b) The Heat Management System 2016 v3 ((HMS).

WORLD SAILING MEMBER REGULATION, WHERE APPLICABLE, CONSTITUTES A RULE

3. ELIGIBILITY

Entry is open to all members affiliated to a Delegated National Member of IMCA and affiliated to their World Sailing Federation.

Disabled Competitors that require any form of help or special requirements should, prior to entry, get in touch with the club to check if the club is able to help with the provision of any such special requirements. The onus is on the competitor to establish whether the available facilities are adequate before deciding to enter the event

The competition is open to Ten Rater International class boats in good standing with measurement certificate.

The number of boats is restricted to 48.

4. ENTRIES

3.1 The eligible competitor can register as follows:

With the Entry Form available on the site of European Nations Cup Ten Rater <http://enc.tenrater.org/>

3.2 The entry must be received no later than 14th Feb. 2020. After this date the fee will be increased by 50%. The final closing date for receipt of entries is 19th Feb 2020

5. ENTRY FEES

The entry fee is £45 payable:

- 1) Bank transfer to the host club bank account Datchet Water Radio sailing Club, Account no 37698907, Sort Code 54-30-33, IBAN: GB25 NWBK 54303337 6989 07
- 2) On the day at Registration by arrangement

6. EVENT SCHEDULE

Registration and scrutineering: from 0900 to 1130, Friday 21st Feb 2020

Skipper meeting: day 1 briefing approximately 11.45. For the following day a notice to competitors will be posted on the Notice Board located near the race committee location within 30 minutes from the end of the last heat of the day.

Start racing: racing will commence not less than 15 minutes after Briefing.

Finish racing: will be established during the skipper meeting according to the weather and the number of participants. On last racing day no warning signal for the first race of a heat shall be given after 1300 and any race in progress at 1330 will be abandoned.

7. MEASUREMENTS

Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate. However, the Race Committee may at any time require a boat to be checked to confirm that it complies with class rules. Random checks may be made throughout the duration of the event.

8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

This event will be run under the current version of the Racing Rules of Sailing and the ENC SSI's. Sailing instructions will be available on the ENC website <http://enc.tenrater.org/> and at registration. Any modification to the SSI will be posted on the Official Notice Board.

9. RACING AREA

Racing will take place in front of the clubhouse with courses being set in accordance with the wind direction. Control areas will be notified at the skipper's briefing.

10. ENTRY LIST, SAIL NUMBERS AND FREQUENCY ALLOCATION.

(This information will be posted referring to the event on the ENC website <http://enc.tenrater.org/>)

11. PRIZES

With up to 15 entries a minimum of 3 prizes

There will be an additional prize allocated for each additional 5 entries above 15

12. ACCOMMODATION

Plenty of local hotels, B&B's, AirBnB. Plus Camper van parking at the club

13. PARKING

Plenty of free parking at the club

14. REFRESHMENTS

Friday 21st there will be no catering at the club during the day

Friday 21st @ 1800hrs Dinner in the club (included in entry fee)

Sat 22nd Club restaurant open for breakfast and lunch (not included)

Sat 22nd @ 1800hrs snacks provided plus International dinner by skippers

Sun 23rd Club restaurant open for breakfast and lunch (not included)

15. RESPONSIBILITY EXEMPTION CLAUSE

All those entering or taking part in this event do so at their own risk and responsibility. WS, ITCA, DNM, the Organizing Authority and any other parties involved in the organization of this event disclaim any and every responsibility whatsoever for loss, damage, injury or in case of death, that might occur to persons and goods both ashore or on the water, as a consequence of entering or participating in the event covered by this Notice of Race, before, during or after it.

16. INSURANCE

Each boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of € 50,000.

17. GENERAL INFO

Please note that it is a requirement to wear a **buoyancy aid** in the launching and recovering areas. Please ensure that you bring a buoyancy aid with you. There are a very few spare buoyancy aids available at the club.

If you have any further queries, please contact Phil Holliday +44 7776 231 402, phil@k7yachts.com

Information updates will be published on the Web site <http://enc.tenrater.org/>