



Loch Earn Sailing Club First Fling  
Enterprise, Supernova & Open Handicap  
Notice of Race 26/04/25-27/04/25

## **1. Rules**

The regatta shall be governed by the racing rules of sailing RRS 2025 - 2028, the prescriptions of the RYA, the rules of the relevant class and the Sailing Instructions.

## **2. Entries**

The safety of a boat and her entire management including insurance shall be the sole responsibility of the owner / person in charge who must ensure that the boat and crew are adequate to face the conditions that may arise in the course of the race. Neither these sailing instructions nor any inspection of the boat limits or reduces the absolute responsibility of the owner / person in charge for the crew, the boat and her management. The race organisers shall not be responsible for any loss, damage, death or personal injury howsoever caused to the owner / person in charge or crew, as a result of their taking part in the race or races. Moreover, every owner / person in charge warrants the suitability of the boat for the race or races.

Personal buoyancy will be worn at all times, while on the water.

Participants may enter using the below form found at <https://www.lochearnsc.com/calendar/open-event-entry-form/>

## **3. Notices to Competitors**

Notices to competitors shall be posted on the official notice board located in the clubhouse foyer. This will be signalled by flying flag L from the flagpole at the starter's hut.

## **4. Fees**

The cost for entry for double handers is £35 and £20 for single handers.

For visitors camping, there will be a fee of £3 for the weekend payable at time of registration.

## **5. Other racing and timings**

Be advised it is a regatta weekend and there will be other fleets, the first gun of the first start sequence will be at 11:54 on Saturday 26/04/25

## **6. Facilities**

Use of the club kitchen for meals and changing rooms/toilets is permitted. The disabled toilet key is available from within the club house. No formal catering will be offered, but there may be a tuckshop subject to the availability of volunteers.

## **7. Briefing**

The briefing will be at 1100 on the day of the first day of racing.

## **8. Eligible Classes**

For the Open Handicap Fleet, any boat with a Portsmouth Yardstick Handicap number is eligible. Entries will be limited 25 boats for the Open handicap fleet

Individual fleets will be held for the Enterprise class (both days) and the Supernova class (Saturday)