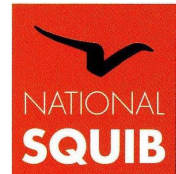


# East Coast Squib Championships 2010

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup>, Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> September



## National Yacht Club

### Dun Laoghaire

1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The racing rules of sailing* and the prescriptions of the Irish sailing Association.

2 ADVERTISING:

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3 ELIGIBILITY:

Each squib competing must comply with the Class Rules and Regulations of the NSOA. Each Owner or Helm shall be current members of the NSOA.

4 ENTRY

Entries shall be on the official entry form as supplied and shall be accompanied by an entry fee of €140 which includes supper for two on Saturday night. Entries received by the 17<sup>th</sup> September 2010 will be discounted €20. Entry fee includes lift in, lift out and berthage for visiting boats.

5 SCHEDULE:

The Championship schedule is as follows:

Date	Event	Time
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> September	Arrival & Launching Registration	17.00 to 19.00hrs
Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup> September	Registration RO Briefing in Club Races No's 1, 2 & 3	08.30 -09.30 10.00 First Gun 11.25hrs
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> September	Races No's 4 & 5	First Gun 10.55hrs

There shall be no Warning Signal made after 15.00hrs on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> September.

6 SCORING:

The low points scoring system of appendix A of RRS will apply except that first place in each race shall score 0.75 points. This amends RRS A4:1. When fewer than 4 races have been completed, a boat's score will be the total of her race scores.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:

Sailing Instructions will be available at registration.

## 8 HAULING OUT RESTRICTIONS

All boats shall be afloat by the warning signal for the first race, and shall not thereafter be removed from the water before the end of the event, except with the prior written permission of the Race Committee.

## 9 PRIZES:

Prizes will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> overall and on a rolling basis to the winner of each Championship Race, so that no boat receives more than one day prize. Other prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organising committee.

## 10 SAFETY :

Entrants are reminded of the legislative requirement that all persons aboard open boats of less than 6m are required to wear suitable personal flotation devices at all times. Entrants are strongly recommended to carry a VHF radio while afloat for safety purposes.

## 11 SOCIAL PROGRAMME:

A Championship Supper will be held in the JB Room of the National Yacht Club on Saturday evening. Two tickets are included in the entry and additional tickets (€25) may be booked at registration.

## 12 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY:

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

## 13 INSURANCE:

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of €1,300,000 per event or the equivalent.

## 14 CAR AND TRAILER PARKING:

Pay and display daily parking vouchers (€8/day) are available from the race office. Trailers may be left free of charge on the Carlisle pier adjacent to the Club.