



ROYAL WESTERN YACHT CLUB OF IRELAND
THE MARINA, KILRUSH, CO. CLARE, IRELAND



Sail Training weekend 28th & 29th April 2018

1. Organising Authority

The Organising authority is UK Sailmakers LTD and the RWYCI. This is a coaching event which is governed by Racing Rules of Sailing and any amendments there to, IRC and Echo handicaps will be applied to IRC Yacht results, Echo will be applied to White sails results.

2. Host Club

The host club is the RWYCI and all competitors are granted temporary membership of the club for the event if not already members.

3. Event Area

The event will take place on the waters of the Shannon Estuary adjoining Kilrush, with separate short courses being laid for IRC and White sails yachts. Courses will be short windward leewards.

4. Schedule

Saturday 28th April ******(Note Whitesails starts are 5 mins after IRC)

10:00 hrs	Briefing at Kilrush Marina
10:55 hrs	Warning Gun, 1st Race 2 nd Race 3 rd Race 4 th Race
13:30 hrs	Lunch afloat
14:25 hrs	Warning Gun, 5 th Race 6 th Race 7 th Race 8 th Race
18:00/19:00	Meet in Haven Arms for debrief & discussion



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Sunday 29th April

10:55 hrs	Warning Gun, 9 th Race 10 th Race 11 th Race
12:30 hrs	Lunch afloat
13:25 hrs	Warning Gun, 12 th Race 13 th Race 14 th Race
16:30 hrs	Debrief at Marina

Note: The above schedule may be altered to suit conditions on the day. Races may be changed to practise starts at the discretion of the OD and organising committee.

5. Racing Area

The Racing area will be located on the Shannon estuary, East of Scatterry and Hog islands.

6. Classes

IRC/ ECHO and Whitesails.

7. Results

Results will be printed and available at the end of each day and will also be on the RWYCI website.

8. Coaching

Coaching will be provided to all boats on the water by UK Sails personnel who will advise on the sail trim, rig set up, race tactics, starting line tactics etc, and all of this can be discussed each day at the debrief.

Note: Rule RRS 441 outside assistance does not apply.

9. Craneage

Craneage will be available for lift in on Friday the 27th of April 18:00 to 20:00 hrs and on Sunday after racing.



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10. Berthage

Berthage will be free to visiting competing yachts at Kilrush Marina from the evening of Friday 27th to Sunday 29th inclusive.

11. Disclaimer of Liability

Competitors participating in the event, do so entirely at their own risk, UK Sailmakers LTD, the Royal Western Yacht Club of Ireland and Kilrush Marina their officers, servants and agents accept no responsibility in respect of loss of life, personal injury, loss or damage to property howsoever sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the event.

It is the sole and exclusive responsibility of each owner or owner's representative to decide whether or not to start or continue to race. Owner's shall acknowledge their responsibility and draw attention of their crew and associates to this disclaimer.

12. Insurance

Boat owners and crews shall ensure that they are adequately insured against loss, damage or injury to persons, boats or equipment at all times and however occurring.