

Supernova Craftinsure Traveller Open Meeting 2026

Cardiff Bay Yacht Club
Saturday 30th May 2026

Notice of Race

1. Organising authority

The organising authority is Cardiff Bay Yacht Club

2. Rules

The *rules* as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) will govern this regatta. Cardiff Bay Yacht Club has adopted *The R.Y.A Racing Charter*.

3. Classes and eligibility

Racing will take place in Supernova Class dinghies. All Traveller Series competitors must be members of the Supernova Class Association. All boats must comply with the Supernova class rules as amended by the class association. Local host club Supernova helms may compete, but their results will not count towards Traveller Series results unless they are Supernova Class members.

4. Times

Gates will open from 0800 on 30th May 2026

Registration will take place at Cardiff Bay Yacht Club from 09.30 to 10.30am.

There will be a briefing for competitors in the vicinity of the race office at 10:00 hours, or as soon as possible afterwards.

First race is scheduled to start at 11.00 hours, subsequent races will start as soon as possible after the previous race has finished.

The number of races and timing is indicative and will depend on weather conditions.

All Visitors attending Open Events at CBYC are kindly reminded that upon departure all boats must be rinsed in the boat wash area. This is a Water Authority stipulation.

5. Entries

The entry fee for the event is £15.00. Entries are requested to be made on the Cardiff Bay Yacht Club website. Entries are allowed on the day as per the Supernova Class Traveller Event provisions.

All competitors under the age of 18 years at the time of the event are required to complete a parental declaration form, signed by their parent or guardian, in addition to an entry form. The parental declaration form will be available at registration.

6. Sailing Instructions

Sailing Instructions have been sent to class association but will also be available upon registration at Cardiff Bay Yacht Club from 09.30 hours.

7. Racing Area

The racing area will be within the confines of Cardiff Bay, limited as defined in the Sailing Instructions.

8. Rights to Use Names and Likenesses

By signing the entry form, competitors automatically grant to the organising authority, without payment, the right in perpetuity to make, use and show any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television of all media relating to the event. They also allow their names, age category, club and boat details to be displayed in competitors lists prior to the event and in results, on the Cardiff Bay Yacht Club website and in other subsequent publications.

9. Prizes

Prizes will be awarded on the day for at least 1st, 2nd, 3rd, overall.
The organisers reserve the right to decide eligibility of prizes.

10. Coaches & Supporters

No coach or support boats will be permitted. Coaches & supporters accompanying competitors are required to comply with the principles of good sportsmanship and behaviour, the rules of Cardiff Bay Yacht Club and the Supernova dinghy class. Failure to do so may result in investigation by the regatta organisers, and potentially in an instruction to leave the premises of Cardiff Bay Yacht Club, disqualification, etc.

11. Safety

Please be aware that personal flotation must be worn by anyone going onto the launching area, this is a vital safety rule of Cardiff Bay Yacht Club.

12. Points system

One race is required to be completed to constitute an event. There will be one discard if three races have been completed and no discards if less than three races are completed. The low points system as provided in RRS Appendix A will apply on the days of the event

13. Insurance

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £3,000,000 for any one accident and shall sign a declaration to that effect before going afloat.

Further Information:

Cardiff Bay Yacht Club visitors must use the overflow carpark adjacent to the club but can bring their cars into the club for unloading/loading.

Motorhomes can be accommodated overnight in the club overflow carpark adjacent to the club. Contact the Cardiff Bay Yacht Club office during business hours on +44 (0)29 2066 6627 to arrange.

Food will be available in the bar from 10am onwards.

Competitors are welcome to take part in club handicap racing on Sunday 31st May – two races, first start 10:30am. Club sailing instructions are available on the Cardiff Bay Yacht Club website.

Directions:

Take M4 to junction 33. Follow the A4232 using brown signs for Cardiff Bay and the International Sports Village and then Cardiff Bay Yacht Club. Remember that most urban routes in Wales are 20 mph speed limit!

Google maps link: <https://goo.gl/maps/t5ahH67qJ6t2XLrr7>

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