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Combs Sailing Club

Supernova Open event June 5th 2021

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by current rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2021 to 2024*.
- 1.2 The following prescriptions of the RYA national authority will apply
RYA prescriptions to the Racing Rules of Sailing
- 1.3 The Sailing Instructions will apply
- 1.4 Racing rules below will be changed as follows
61.3 and 62.2 and 66 – time limits for Protest, Redress and Reopening a hearing
40 – Use of personal buoyancy is mandatory
The changes will appear in full in the sailing instructions.
- 1.5 All visiting competitor's vehicles must be parked as directed by the organisers in the car park near the entrance gate before racing commences due to limited vehicle space in the dinghy park. Any vehicle not parked in line with organiser's direction may result in such competitor's disqualification. Vehicles will only be allowed to proceed to the dinghy park to drop off and collect dinghies.

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Boats are permitted to display advertising under ISAF Regulation 20

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Supernova class. Eligible boats may enter by emailing the organisers prior to the event. There will be no entries permitted on the day. Please email supernovaopen@combssailingclub.co.uk and include your name, boat number, contact address, contact email and telephone number
- 3.2 Registration will take place in the clubhouse from 0900 to 1015 on Saturday Juneth52021

4 DECISION TO RACE

- 4.1 The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone.

5 FEES

- 5.1 Entry Fees are £10 (breakfast and lunch NOT included, available at an extra cost).

6 SERIES

- 6.1 The event will consist of three races

7 SCHEDULE

- 7.1 Registration: Saturday June 5th from 9.30 to 10.15
- 7.2 Briefing: Saturday June 5th from 10.30 to 10.45
- 7.3 Times of racing:
 - Race 1 11:00
 - Race 2 13:00 or at the discretion of the OOD
 - Race 3 14:30 or at the discretion of the OOD

Races may be held back to back without returning to shore at the discretion of the OOD



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8 MEASUREMENTS

- 8.1 All boats shall comply with their class rules. Measurement checks may be carried out at any time during the event. Only certified sails may be used in line with class rules.

9 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 9.1 Copies of the sailing instructions will **NOT** be available at registration on the day of the event. They **MUST** be downloaded from the website prior to the event.

10 VENUE

- 10.1 Directions to Combs Sailing Club can be found on the club web site
www.combsailingclub.co.uk
- 10.2 The racing area will be inside Combs reservoir and advised at the competitor's briefing.

11 THE COURSES

- 11.1 The courses will be set out on the day by the race officials

12 PENALTY SYSTEM

- 12.1 The penalties are as detailed in rule 44. The Scoring Penalty rule 44.3 will not apply
- 12.2 Decisions of the protest committee will be final as provided in rule 70.4.

13 SCORING

- 13.1 The Low Point System of Appendix A will apply.
- 13.2 Two races are required to be completed to constitute a series for the event.
- 13.3 (a) When fewer than 3 races have been completed a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores plus the number of entrants from the outstanding race(s), excluding her worst score.
- (b) When 3 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

14 RADIO COMMUNICATION

- 14.1 Except in emergency a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

15 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 15.1 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.

16 INSURANCE

- 16.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £3Million per event or the equivalent.

17 PRIZES

- 17.1 Prizes will be awarded as seen fit by Combs Sailing Club

18 RIGHTS TO USE NAMES AND LIKENESSES

- 18.1 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 or relating to the event.
- 18.2 Combs Sailing Club has a GDPR policy compliant with the 2018 regulations



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20 FURTHER INFORMATION

- 20.1 Competitors will be required to wear a buoyancy aid whilst on the water.
- 20.2 Camper vans are welcome but **MUST** pre-book as spaces are limited.
- 20.3 Tents are also permitted at this time.
- 20.4 Directions to Combs Sailing Club are available on the Club website

<http://www.combsailingclub.co.uk/pages/aboutus/location.php>