

Pearce Avenue
Parkstone
Poole
Dorset
BH14 8EH



PARKSTONE YACHT CLUB
NOTICE OF RACE
Dart 18 Grand Prix Series
Saturday 13th October/ Sunday 14th October 2007

Rules

The Regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing 2005 – 2008, the rules of the Class Association, the Notice of the Race, and the Sailing Instructions. If there is conflict between this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, then the Sailing Instructions will prevail. The organising authority is Parkstone Yacht Club.

The Regatta is designated Category C – Appendix 1 – ISAF Advertising Code.

Eligibility

The helm shall be a current member of UKIDA and/or their own National Dart Association.

Under exceptional circumstances, the race committee may permit sails carrying an identifying number other than that required by RRS 77 Appendix G. prior written approval is required.

Entry Fee The Entry fee will be £35.00

Penalty System

The penalties are as follows:

Rule 44.2 is changed so that the 'Two Turns Penalty' is replaced by a 'One Turn Penalty'. This changes Rule 44.2.

A boat that has taken a penalty or retired under rule 31.2 (Touching a Mark) or 44.1

(Penalties for Breaking Rules of Part 2) shall complete an acknowledgment form at the race office within the protest time limit.

Time of Races

Saturday

08.30 Registration in the PYC Main Office

10.00 Race Briefing in the Clubhouse

11.55 Warning Signal Race 1

Race 2 will start as soon as possible

After Race 1 and race 3 will start as

Soon as possible after Race 2

Sunday

10.25 Warning signal for Race 4

Race 5 will start as soon as possible

after Race 4 and Race 6 will start as

soon as possible after Race 5

6 Races are scheduled.

Latest Start

There will be No Warning signal made after 1355 on the last day of racing, except after a General Recall.

Scoring

The Low Points scoring system of Appendix A will apply.

1 Race will constitute a series.

Series Ties will be broken in accordance with A8

When less than 4 races have been completed, a boat's score will be the total of all her race scores.

When 4 or more races have been completed, a boat's score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

Course

Courses will be sailed in Poole harbour in the area locally known as the 'Top Triangle'. There are two options for courses – sausages or sausage/triangles.

Disclaimer of Liability

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. A boat is entirely responsible for her own safety, whether afloat or ashore, and nothing, whether in the Notice of Race or Sailing Instructions or anywhere else, reduces this responsibility.

It is for the boat to decide whether she is fit to sail in the conditions in which she will find herself. By launching, the boat confirms that she is fit for those conditions and her crew is competent to sail and compete in them.

Nothing done by the organizers can reduce the responsibility of the boat nor will it make the organizers responsible for any loss, damage, death or personal injury, however it may have occurred, as a result of the boat taking part in the racing. The organizers encompass everyone helping to run the race and the event, and include the organizing authority, the race committee, the race officer, patrol boats and beach masters.

The provision of patrol boats does not relieve the boat of her responsibilities.

Insurance

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £2,000,000.

Prizes

Prizes will be awarded to 6 places

Tides

	1st High	2nd High	Low Water
Saturday 13th	10.30	14.13	17.43
Sunday 14th	10.58	14.42	18.12



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ENTRY FORM

Association Membership No.

Sail No.:Name of Boat.....

Name of Helm:

Name of Crew:

Club:

LIABILITY: I have read and will comply with the Liability Conditions on the reverse of this Entry Form. Insurance will be maintained at all times for the above boat to a minimum third party liability of £ 2,000,000 and I certify that the Sailing Instructions and Rules and Bye-Laws of Parkstone Yacht Club will be observed.

I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and by all rules that govern this event.

Date Signed

Name and Address

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Telephone No.Day:.....Evening.....

ENTRY FEE £35.00

METHOD OF PAYMENT

I ENCLOSE A CHEQUE FOR £.....

VISA/MASTERCARD/DEBIT CARD/SWITCH (Please indicate)

Card No. :Issue No. :Expiry Date:.....

Name on Card:Signed Date.....

Parkstone Yacht Club, Pearce Avenue, Parkstone, Poole, Dorset BH14 8EH
 Tel. (Office) 01202 743610 Fax: 01202 716394 e-mail: office@parkstoneyc.co.uk

The entry of the above boat is conditional on acceptance of the following by the owner/competitor racing the boat:

- 1. The race organisers shall not be liable for any loss, damage, death, or personal injury howsoever caused to the owner/competitor, his skipper or crew as a result of their taking part in any race. Moreover, every owner/competitor warrants the suitability of his boat for the race or races.
- 2. The provision of safety equipment and boats by Parkstone Yacht Club is neither a guarantee that assistance can be rendered to any competitor in need, nor an acceptance of any responsibility for rescue of competitors. Further, in the event that assistance is rendered to any competitor, no liability for any loss damage or injury to the competitor and or the boat and its equipment is accepted by either the Club or the crew of such rescue craft.
- 3. R.R.S. Rule 4. **DECISION TO RACE.** ‘The responsibility for a boat’s decision to participate in a race or to continue *racing* is hers alone’
- 4. Insurance will be maintained at all times on the above boat to a minimum third party liability of £2,000,000.
- 5. At all times, the above boat will comply with all Class Rules including buoyancy and safety provisions.
- 6. I CERTIFY THAT I AM 18 YEARS OR MORE IN AGE AND I WILL NOT PERMIT ANYONE UNDER THE AGE OF 18 YEARS TO HAVE COMMAND OF THE BOAT UNLESS PARAGRAPH 7 OF THIS FORM IS COUNTER-SIGNED AND THAT SUCH FORM HAS BEEN COMPLETED AND RETURNED AT THE CLUB OFFICE.
- 7. This section must be completed when either owner or competitor is less than 18 years of age and to be signed by the person with parental responsible in accordance with the Childrens Act.

Name of owner/competitor under 18 years of age.....

Address

Tel. No.

The Parent/Guardian accepts that the Club is not responsible at any time when the above named sails and the sole responsibility for such boat to race is that of the Parent/Guardian.

Signed by Parent/Guardian

Name in BLOCK CAPITALS

NOTE FOR PYC MEMBERS: THIS MUST BE COMPLETED EVEN IF A STANDARD FORM OF JUNIOR WAIVER HAS BEEN LODGED WITH THE CLUB.

8. To be completed for all entries:

I understand that if the boat is in the charge of any person other than the undersigned, it is the responsibility of the undersigned to bring the attention of the person in charge of the boat to the provisions of this entry form.

I have read the above conditions and accept the responsibilities contained therein.

Name in BLOCK CAPITALS

SIGNED.....DATED.....