

# WEST MERSEA YACHT CLUB CENTENARY REGATTA

### 29th to 31st August 2020

High Water
Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> August 09:55 @ 4.10m
Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> August 11:07 @ 4.5m
Monday 31<sup>st</sup> August 12:03 @ 4.6m

## APPENDIX TO 2020 WMYC AND DSC JOINT NOTICE OF RACE & SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

#### 1. RACING RULES

Races will be sailed under the *Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)* the 2020 West Mersea Yacht Club & Dabchicks Sailing Club Joint Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions and this Appendix, together with any subsequent Amendments issued to those Sailing Instructions and this Appendix.

#### 2. ENTRIES, FEES & ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 The Centenary Regatta is open to any boat entered by a member of any RYA recognised yacht or sailing club and complying with the general entry requirements.
- 2.2 All boats with a 2020 IRC Rating shall race in the IRC fleet.
- 2.3 Boats sailing in the White sail fleet but must comply with the White sail appendix to the sailing instructions in addition to this appendix and the 2020 SI's
- 2.4 Entries shall be made by signing up either on the WMYC web page or on the Noticeboard in the club by Friday 28<sup>th</sup> August 2020
- 2.5 There is no entry fee for this event.
- 2.6 Entries will open on 2nd April 2020

#### 3 CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS, NOTICES TO COMPETITORS, SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

See Combined clubs 2020 sailing instructions

#### 5. SCHEDULE OF RACES

5.1 Races are scheduled as follows:-

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> August Coastal Race Race 1 IRC Fleet warning signal 10:25. WS Fleet warning signal 10:30 Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> August RTC or WL Race 2 IRC Fleet warning signal 10:25. WS Fleet warning signal 10:30

followed by Race 3

Monday 31st August RTC or WL Race 4 IRC Fleet warning signal 10:25. WS Fleet warning signal 10:30

followed by Race 5

#### 7. RACING AREA

7.1 In addition to the areas described in the Combined clubs 2020 sailing instructions, the race committee may use any marks bounded to the south by the Wallet Spitway buoy and as far East as a line through Wallet 3 and Wallet 6.



#### 8. COURSES

8.1 The course to be sailed will be either;

Round the Cans (RTC), from a course card, or Windward/Leeward as shown in Addendum A of this Appendix. The course will be broadcast by the Committee Boat on VHF Channel 77. prior to the warning signal for the start of each race.

#### 9. MARKS

Marks are as per the 2020 Sailing instructions or inflatable laid marks as described by the committee vessel

#### 15. TIME LIMITS

There will be no time limits for any of these races. This changes RRS35.

#### 17. SCORING

- 17.1 Two races are required to be completed to constitute a series
- 17.2 When fewer than four races have been completed a boats series score will be the total of her race scores
- 17.3 When four or more races have been completed a boats score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score

#### 28. PRIZES

- 7.1 The Centenary Cup will be awarded to the overall winner of the IRC Class.
- 7.2 The Coronation Challenge Cup will be awarded to the overall winner of the White Sail Class.
- 7.3 Prizes will be awarded to the boat where four crew have the lowest combined average age over 18.

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#### Addendum A

