



THE DINGLE SKELLIG HOTEL DUN LAOGHAIRE TO DINGLE RACE 2011



The Organising Authority is the National Yacht Club, Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin, Ireland
in association with Cumann Bádóirí Naomh Bhréanainn, An Daingean.

Saturday 11th June 2011

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

This event shall be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing, the prescriptions of the Irish Sailing Association, Class and IRC rules.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

There will be three sub-divisions in the Race: Racing, Cruiser and Two-Handed. To be eligible to enter, all boats shall:

- i) be of monohull construction with a minimum length over-all of 30ft;
- ii) have a valid endorsed IRC certificate;
- iii) have a minimum SSS Numeral of 25;
- iv) comply with the requirements of the ISAF Offshore Special Regulations 2010-2011 for races of Category 3 Monohulls with Life Raft;
- v) and, to be eligible for the cruiser sub-division, have a furling headsail.

Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached entry form and sending it together with the required fee of €280 and copy of current IRC certificate, to The Sailing Manager, National Yacht Club, Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin by Friday 20th May 2011. The number of entries shall be limited and entries shall be accepted at the discretion of the Race Committee.

3. SCHEDULE

Registration shall take place between 1600 and 1800 hours on Friday 10th June at the National Yacht Club. Skippers will be required to file at registration a crew list and shore contact details. A competitor's briefing will be held at 1830hrs in the Club.

The start shall be in the vicinity of Dun Laoghaire Harbour on Saturday 11th June 2009. The scheduled time for the warning signal is 1000 hrs. There will be a Race Prizegiving Dinner in The Dingle Skellig Hotel on the evening of Tuesday, 14th June 2011. Full details and booking form will be e-mailed to all entrants. Special accommodation rates will be available at the Dingle Skellig Hotel for competitors and friends. Contact the hotel directly quoting code D2D11.

4. MEASUREMENT AND SAFETY

A safety inspection to confirm conformance with Category 3 Monohulls with Liferaft regulations will

be carried out on all competing boats prior to the race. Unless otherwise agreed in writing with the Race Director, competing yachts shall be available for inspection at Dun Laoghaire from 1200 hours on Wednesday 8th June 2011.

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available on the National Yacht Club website prior to registration.

6. THE COURSE

The course shall be from the start, leaving Muglins, Tuskar Rock, Coningbeg Light Vessel, Fastnet Rock, Bull Rock and the Skelligs to starboard, to the finishing line off Dingle Harbour. Mandatory VHF reporting procedures during the race will be given in the Sailing Instructions.

7. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded for overall places on handicap, across the line, under 33ft loa and for each sub-division.

(An upper limit IRC TCC for "Under 33ft loa" will be defined after the close of entries).

Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Race Committee.

8. TRACKING

It may be mandatory for yachts to carry a Tracker Unit for the duration of the race. A refundable deposit, which may be set against a credit card, will be required.

9. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the race 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 race. It shall be a condition of entry that completion and signing of the entry form shall constitute acceptance of the terms of the disclaimer.

10. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of €3m or the equivalent during the race.



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Entry Form
PLEASE COMPLETE IN BLOCK CAPITALS

Boat Details		
Name of Boat	Marque & Model (e.g. Beneteau 40.7)	
Sail No.	Hull colour	LOA
IRC TCC*	Sub-Division Racing <input type="checkbox"/> Two-Handed <input type="checkbox"/> Cruiser <input type="checkbox"/>	SSS Numeral

*A copy of the current endorsed IRC certificate must be submitted before the closing date for entries.

Owner/Skipper Details	
Name(s)	
Address	
Telephone: Business	Home
e-mail	Club

Dingle Marina berth request
Two overnights are included in the race entry fee. Additional nights are payable at applicable rate.
Please reserve a berth on Dingle Marina from arrival of race to departure date of: _____

Payment	
I enclose my payment (cheques payable to the National Yacht Club) for the entry fee of €280	
Cheque No.	Amount
OR charge my credit card: Visa / MasterCard	Name as on card:
Card No.	Expiry date:
Three digit security number:	Signature:

Declaration

I wish to enter the above named boat in the Dingle Skellig Hotel Dun Laoghaire to Dingle race 2011. **I agree** to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing, and all other rules that govern this race. **I accept** full responsibility for the management and safety of the boat noted above and I also accept that neither the Organising Authority, the National Yacht Club (NYC), Cumann Bádóirí Naomh Bhréanainn, the Race Committee, the sponsors, their members, nor their employees and their representatives shall accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the race. **I further declare** that I hold a valid and current Certificate of Insurance with adequate third party cover with a limit of indemnity of not less than €3,000,000 which includes cover whilst racing.

Signed: _____ Date: _____
(Owner or authorised representative, as appropriate)

Return by email to sailing@nyc.ie or by post to The Sailing Manager, National Yacht Club, Dun Laoghaire, Co Dublin, Ireland



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Safety regulations

The ISAF Offshore Special Regulations 2010-2011 Category 3 Monohulls with Life Raft are available for downloading at:

<http://www.sailing.org/1905.php>

Sailing calendar

The Dun Laoghaire to Dingle Race 2011 will be a key component of the programme of cruiser racing in Ireland in 2011.

11 – 14 June 2011	Dun Laoghaire to Dingle Race National Yacht Club, Dun Laoghaire
17 – 19 June 2011	Irish Cruiser Racing Association Championships Royal Cork Yacht Club
22 – 25 June 2011	Sovereign's Cup Kinsale Yacht Club
7 – 10 July 2011	Volvo Dun Laoghaire Regatta 2011

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