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Skerries Sailing Club

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Sailing Instructions 2023**



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Commodore's Welcome

Dear Members,

As we look forward to our sailing season for 2023, I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all fair and enjoyable sailing. I would like to extend a particular welcome to our new members and hope you enjoy your Sailing and all that Skerries Sailing Club has to offer.

On your behalf I would like to thank all our volunteers, who give their time so generously so we can enjoy both competitive and leisurely sailing; without our volunteers with simply could not function as a Sailing Club.

As well as our local sailing we have a number of regional and national events taking place this year, we will need some extra hands-on deck to run these events; if you can volunteer some time to run these events the committee would be delighted to hear from you.

The cost of running your club has increased significantly in recent years; members can help by supporting leisurely and social events that the club runs from time to time; so please support your club through the bar and enjoy the post sailing banter!

Have a great sailing season and the best of luck chasing down the trophies!

Happy Sailing.

Brian McNally

Commodore





Skerries Sailing Club Committee 2023

Flag Officers

Flag Officers	Name	Contact Details
Commodore	Brian McNally	086 337 2170
Vice Commodore	Andrew Frazer	086 224 4408
Honorary Secretary	TBD	TBD
Honorary Treasurer	Elmarie Fryer	083 392 4999
Honorary Sailing Secretary	Colman Grimes	086 868 9303

Officers and Committee Members

Junior Convenor	Louise Carter	086 8063051
Membership Secretary	Sinead Boylan	
Assistant Sailing Secretary	John Fitzgerald	087 0556635
Social Secretary	Mary Whitty	087 615 8769
Former Commodore	Liam O'Callaghan	086 820 7435
Committee	Garrett Walsh	087 929 2417
Committee	John Kenny	086 829 4676

Trustees

Barry Butterly	843 7271
Anne Carroll	849 1734
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Martin O'Toole	841 2357

Principal Race Officers (PROs)

Liam Dinneen	087 243 8675
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Class Captains

Cruiser	Paul Harrison	086 1551109
E-Boat	Bernie Grogan	086 364 2453
Mermaid	Ross Galbraith	085 8570754
GP14	Cathal Sheridan	087 918 1164
Wayfarer / New Members	Gerry Byrne	086 173 3905
Single Hander ILCA et al	Sinead Boylan	
Sundry	Neil Cramer	087 274 8558
Motorboat	TBD	TBD

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Honorary Life Members

Mr. John Gore-Grimes
Mrs. Sylvia Hogan

Mr. Brian Connell
Mr. Sean Rooney

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Clubhouse Facilities

Clubhouse/Bar 01 849 1233

Facility	Availability * Times
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Bar / Snooker / Meetings / Parties:	As advertised
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Just Sailing

A fun introduction to Sailing for Adults

This is our program to introduce adult members, who have little or **no** sailing experience, to the fun, joys and thrills of sailing in Skerries Bay. It is intended for new club members who have taken advantage of our reduced introduction membership rates (€180 first year!).

Following 4 short evening talks in April, prior to the start of our sailing season, participating members are taken out sailing **each Saturday morning**, weather permitting, in a range of dinghies and cruisers for about two hours by experienced club helms. Learning to rig and launch dinghies, do rescue in clubs RIBs, etc are all included. Post sailing we have coffee and cake in the clubhouse and discuss how we got on!

If you or a friend wish to participate please contact us at newmembers@skerriessailingclub.com. This program has been highly successful and is now well imbedded as the ideal programme for new sailors and new members.



Skerries Sailing Club (SSC) Sailing Instructions

2023

1. Rules

All racing will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024, the prescriptions of the Irish Sailing Association, class rules (where applicable) and these sailing instructions.

1.2 Course

With the exception of special cup races, the courses may be either:

- Olympic (O), 9 leg races (start – w, g, l, w, l, w, g, l – Finish)
- Windward/Leeward (W), (start – w, l, w, l, w, l - finish)
- Trapezoid (T), (start – 1,4, 1, 2, 3, - finish)

Courses shall be assigned by the PRO using the flags O, W or T flown from the committee boat before the warning signal of each race. The PRO via Channel 72 may further identify cruiser courses. Special Courses (not listed above) will be notified via the Club Notice Board and/or Club Newsletter at least 24 hours before the first gun.

1.3 Marks

The marks will be large inflatable Yellow or Red marks for W, G, and L. An Orange or Red mark may be used for the Outer Distance Mark (ODM). An inner distance mark (IDM) may be laid astern of the committee boat. Vessels shall not pass between the committee boat and an IDM.

A red flag will be displayed from the committee boat indicates all marks to be left to Port.

A green flag indicates all marks to be left to Starboard. If no flag is displayed the default is to leave all marks to Port.

Marks may be moved at the discretion of the PRO to maintain the best possible competitive course. Every effort will be made to indicate such movements in accordance with RRS 33. When a movement is indicated a green and/or red flag may used. This amends rule 33(a)(2).

1.4 Cruiser Marks

Cruiser marks shall be those designated by the PRO and communicated via Channel 72, or displayed on a board on the Committee Boat.

2. Starting Line

The starting line will be between the main mast of the committee boat and an Outer Distance Mark, which shall be a large inflatable red buoy.



Where the committee boat lacks a mast the line will terminate at the place from which flags are displayed.

3. Finish Line

Unless otherwise indicated by a Shortened Course flag, the finishing line shall be an imaginary line between the main mast of the committee boat, or the place from which flags are displayed, and the designated finishing mark (which may also be the ODM). If there are two or more marks adjacent, the mark closest to the committee boat will be the designated finishing mark. The committee boat will display a blue flag to indicate she is on station at finishing line.

4. Starting Procedure

Races shall be started by using either of the following procedures;

5-Minute Sequence:

Signal	Flag & Sound	Minutes before start
Warning	Class flag; 1 sound	5
Preparatory	P, I, Z, U or Black; 1 sound	4
One Minute	Preparatory flag removed; 1 sound	1
Start	Class flag removed; 1 sound.	0

3-Minute Sequence:

Signal	Flag & Sound	Minutes before start
Warning	Class flag; 1 sound	3
Preparatory	P, I, Z, U or Black; 1 sound	2
One Minute	Preparatory flag removed; 1 sound	1
Start	Class flag removed; 1 sound.	0

3-minute starts will be used for all SSC dinghy races unless use of the 5-minute sequence is communicated by the PRO.

5-minute starts will be standard for all Cruiser races.

The warning signal for each succeeding class shall be made with or after the starting signal of the preceding class. (The PRO may in the last minute of a starting sequence and before a start indicate that there are one or more boats OCS by displaying a flag code V)

5. Starting Protocol

Boats awaiting their start must not sail in the immediate vicinity of the starting area until the preparatory signal for their class has been made.



In particular, dinghies must keep well clear of the starting area during cruiser start sequences.

6. Recalls

When, at the starting signal, any part of a boat's hull, crew or equipment is on the course side of the starting line or its extensions, the code flag X shall be displayed, accompanied by one sound signal until all such boats are wholly on the pre-start side of the starting line or its extensions or for 2 minutes after the starting signal whichever is earlier. This amends RRS 29.1.

7. General Recall

General Recalls shall be signalled by displaying the 1st Substitute flag accompanied by two-sound signals. When the class(s) has regrouped, the starting sequence for that class will recommence from the warning flag for their class.

8. Starting Sequence

Starting times shall be in accordance with the Club Fixtures List for the appropriate date. Cruiser Start Sequence commences **15 minutes prior** to the time indicated on the Fixtures List.

The Annotation 1st Gun indicates the time for the Warning Flag for the 1st class due to commence racing on the day.

Midweek Starts Cruiser Warning Signal will be at 19:30hrs.

Dinghy Warning Signal will be at 19:45hrs.

(Note - earlier starts may apply at start/end of season depending on daylight – see Fixtures List)

Saturday Starts Dinghy Warning Signal will be as per Fixtures List

Sunday Starts Cruiser Warning Signal will be 10:45hrs.

Dinghy Warning Signal will be 11:00hrs

Classes must have a minimum of 5 boats to receive a separate start. The PRO has the discretion start all dinghy classes together (Code flag E) and / or use any combination of fleet starts (using relevant Class Code Flags).

9. Abandonment.

The abandonment of all races shall be indicated by code flag N being displayed ashore or at the starting line accompanied by 3 sound signals. Where Cup races have been abandoned due to weather or other factors, the committee may reschedule them to run at a later



date and they may run concurrently with regular points (series) races.

10. Scoring System.

The Low Point System (RRS 90.3) shall apply with the following amendments:

1. Boats failing to finish or being disqualified shall be scored the number of places plus one.
2. Boats failing to start shall be scored the number of starters plus two.
3. Where a boat cannot compete because one or more of its crew are on safety/ mark boat or race officer duty, that boat will be scored its average points for all races in the series, or number of starters plus two, whichever is the lower.
4. Where a boat cannot compete because one or more of its crew are representing the club an regional, national or international events, that boat will be scored its average points for all races in the series, or number of starters plus two, whichever is the lower.

10.1 Discards.

0 – 3 Races completed in a Series = 0 Discard

4 – 7 Races completed in a Series = 1 Discard

8 – 11 Races completed in a Series = 2 Discards

12 – 15 Races completed in a Series = 3 Discards

Plus 1 discard for each further 4 races completed.

10.2 Handicap System.

For cruiser racing the ECHO handicap system shall be in operation. Each boat shall race according to their assigned ECHO handicap rating and agreed by the Handicap Committee at the commencement of each sailing season. Cruiser handicaps shall be adjusted after each race in a specific series (limited to 10% deviation).

Alterations to Handicaps shall be at the discretion of the Handicap Committee and shall be reviewed for all boats at the end of each Series.

Cup Races shall be raced initially based upon the preceding seasons final

Cup Handicap and adjusted for each subsequent Cup race by the Handicap Committee.



10.3 Sapphire Offshore Series.

All Skerries Sailing Club Cruisers shall be automatically entered in the Sapphire Offshore Series. All competing boats in this series must be in a position to present a valid ECHO certificate.

10.4 Dinghy Series and Cup Races

All dinghy series shall be scored as 2 separate competitions;

(i) PY Handicap and

(ii) PY Handicap adjusted after each race in that series, averaging last 10 races

Dinghy Cup results shall be calculated based solely on PY, with the exception of the Weighouse Cup (Corinthian start), and the Garryowen and the Dollard cups. In dinghy cup races, any boat sailing with less than its full complement of crew under class rules will be penalised the equivalent of 1 minute in the hour in calculation of results.

10.5 Penalty for No-Show Race Management Roster

The Sailing Committee shall assign each boat to one or more dates wherein that boat shall be responsible for providing a minimum of 2 able bodied persons to assist with Race Management duties.

It will be the responsibility of the skipper/owner to ensure that they provide the necessary cover.

Failure of a boat/skipper to provide such cover shall result in a non-discardible DNC for that race.

10.6 Cruiser Crew List.

Cruiser helms are encouraged to ensure that regular members of their crew become full club members.

Please note that punting facilities will not be available to non-club members for more than three occasions per season.

10.7 Junior Racing.

1. Minimum 3 boats in any fleet to constitute a race.
2. Minimum 3 races to constitute a series.
3. Maximum 3 races per day for any series.
4. DNC in any race will score total number of boats in a series plus 2.
5. DNF will score total number of starters in a race plus 2.

11. Postponements.

Rule 27.3 applies.

12. Protests

Protests must be in writing and submitted to the Sailing Committee within 1 hour of the time of the last finisher of the race concerned. This amends RRS

61.3. All protests must be in writing on I.S.A. form.



13. Penalties.

(a) MARKS - While racing, a boat that has touched a mark that begins, bounds or ends the leg of a course on which she is sailing or a finishing mark after finishing may take a penalty by promptly making one turn including one tack and one gybe (360°).

(b) When Boats Meet.

A boat in breach of a Rule of Part 2 (ISAF), may take a penalty by taking two turns in the same direction including two tacks and two gybes (720°).

14. Starting Penalty

If Preparatory flag P is displayed a boat which is over the line early can restart by dipping the start line.

If Preparatory flag I is displayed ISAF Rule 30.1 shall apply (round-and-end Rule)

If Preparatory flag Z is displayed ISAF Rule 30.2 shall apply (20% penalty)

If Preparatory flag U is displayed, ISAF Rule 30.3 shall apply.

If Preparatory flag is Black, ISAF Rule 30.3 shall apply (disqualification).

15. Time Limits (Dinghies)

1. All races except long-distance races shall have a time limit of 2.5 hours.

If any boat finishes within the time limit the race shall then be valid for all competitors in the race. Only those boats finishing within the time limit or within 30 minutes (allowing for differences in starting time with class starts) of the first boat home provided such boat has finished within the time limit, will be recorded as finishers.

2. On Wednesdays, all Dinghy flags will be lowered at 21:15hrs. All boats that have not finished may be deemed as not finished (DNF).

3. The starting line shall remain open for 5 minutes after the last class has started. Any boats failing to start within this time shall be deemed as nonstarters (DNS). Any race failing to start 1 hour after the scheduled 1st gun may be abandoned or postponed to another day.

4. After the 1st boat has finished, the Race Officer may offer a finishing position to the boat still racing & in last place. The position offered will be the number of boats ahead of it, both finished and still racing, plus 1.



A boat is not obliged to accept such offer unless it is the last boat racing. The Race officer is not obliged to make such an offer. A boat that accepts the place offered will immediately cease to race & the race officer may repeat the process with the next boat. The offer may be made via Safety/ Support boat personnel.

This amends the definition of the word Finish.

16. Time Limits (Cruisers)

1. All races except long-distance races shall have a time limit of 2.5 hours. If any boat finishes within the time limit the race shall then be valid for all competitors in the race. Only those boats finishing within the time limit or within 35 minutes of the first boat home provided such boat has finished within the time limit, will be recorded as finishers.

2. On Wednesdays, all Cruiser flags will be lowered at 21:30hrs. All boats that have not finished may be deemed as not finished. (DNF).

3. The starting line shall remain open for 5 minutes after the last class has started. Any boats failing to start within this time shall be deemed as non-starters (DNS). Any race failing to start 1 hour after the scheduled 1st gun will be abandoned or postponed to another day.

4. After the 1st boat has finished, the Race Officer may offer a finishing position to the boat still racing & in last place. The position offered will be the number of boats ahead of it, both finished and still racing, plus 1.

A boat is not obliged to accept such offer unless it is the last boat racing. The Race officer is not obliged to make such an offer. A boat that accepts the place offered will immediately cease to race & the race officer may repeat the process with the next boat. The offer may be made via Safety boat / Support boat personnel or channel 72.

This amends the definition of the word Finish.

17. Safety

All boats participating in a race must make their presence known to the committee boat, for example by sailing close to the committee boat as they reach the starting area. In particular, a boat may not join a race without crossing the start line, even where their intention is not to compete. Any boat so doing will be awarded a non-discardible DNC for that race.

All boats must keep to Seaward of the Flashing Beacon near Skerries Pier Head. Class rules relating to safety must be observed. Boats ignoring these warnings may be disqualified. Safety craft shall have the right of way over competing boats at all times.



The primary responsibility of the safety craft is the safety of competitors. Neither Race Committee the Committee of SSC, nor their servants can be held liable for injury to competitors or for loss or damage to boats or equipment.

The race officer will record which safety craft are in use for each racing session, with names of crew.

Drivers of safety craft must wear a kill cord at all times when the engine is running and in gear.

All competitors and race management team are required to wear adequate personal buoyancy whilst on the water. Wet suits are not considered adequate buoyancy.

18. Insurance

All racing entries to have 3rd party insurance of minimum €3m.

19. Changes to these Sailing Instructions

Changes will be posted on the SSC main notice board and when possible on the club website at least 24 hours prior to implementation.

SSC – Racing Whatsapp group

To Join click or scan:

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/CPXQUBkqOccKZxn5TIHKS>





SSC Series 2023

	Cruisers	Dinghies
Wednesdays	May Series	May Series
	Summer Series	Summer Series
	(June / July / August)	(June / July / August)
Sundays	May Series	May Series
	Early Summer Series	Early Summer Series
	(June / July)	(June / July)
	Late Summer Series	Late Summer Series
	(August / Sept)	(August / Sept)
		October Series



SSC Club Helmsman Championship's 2023

***This years Club Helmsman Championships will take place on Saturday
16th of September in the Eboat Class.***

Any winner of the 8 completed series up to the end of August (Cruiser & Dinghy) will automatically qualify for this event.

Wildcards will also be available at the discretion of the committee.

Crew will be provided by the eboat owners.

Qualifying helm can bring 1 crew

NOR & SI's to be posted closer to the event.



FIXTURES 2023

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MAY

Day	Date	HW (24HR)	Height	1st Gun	Event in SSC	Trophies	Training in SSC	Other Events	Sunset
Sat	06-May	12:35	4.1					Topper Northern Champs - EABC	21:03
Sun	07-May	13:16	4.1	11:00	Sun Pts (All)	McGowan Cup (Dy)		Topper Northern Champs - EABC	21:04
Wed	10-May	15:41	3.6	19:45	Wed Pts (All)	Paddy Hand (Dy) R1 / Mariners Cup (Cr)			21:10
Sat	13-May	19:16	3.4				Just Sailing @ 9.30		21:15
Sun	14-May	20:27	3.5	11:00	Sun Pts (Dy)				21:17
Wed	17-May	10:25	4.0	19:45	Wed Pts (All)				21:22
Sat	20-May	12:24	4.0	12:00	Islands to Port (Dy)	McNally Cup (Dy)	Just Sailing @ 9.30	GP14 Ulster Champs - East Antrim BC	21:26
Sun	21-May	13:14	3.9	11:00	Sun Pts (All)	May Cup (Mer)		GP14 Ulster Champs - East Antrim BC / IODAI - National YC	21:28
Wed	24-May	15:15	3.4	19:45	Wed Pts (All)				21:32
Sat	27-May	18:04	3.1				Just Sailing @ 9.30	ILCA Irish Masters - R St George YC	21:37
Sun	28-May	19:08	3.1	11:00	Sun Pts (All)			ILCA Irish Masters - R St George YC	21:38
Wed	31-May	09:02	3.6	19:45	Wed Pts (All)				21:42

JUNE

Day	Date	HW (24HR)	Height	1st Gun	Event in SSC	Trophies	Training in SSC	Other Events	Sunset
Fri	02-Jun	10:41	3.9	20:00	Isle of Man (Cr)	Boland Trophy			21:45
Sat	03-Jun	11:28	4.0	12:00			Just Sailing @ 9.30	Mermaid Munster Champs - Foynes YC	21:46
Sun	04-Jun	12:16	4.0	11:00	Topper Traveller 2			Mermaid Munster Champs - Foynes YC	21:47
Wed	07-Jun	14:50	3.8	19:45	Wed Pts (All)				21:50
Fri	09-Jun	16:39	3.5						21:52
Sat	10-Jun	17:44	3.5	16:00	Islands to Starboard	Tower Cup (Dy)	Just Sailing @ 9.30		21:53
Sun	11-Jun	18:50	3.4	11:00	Rockabill Race	Tommy Rooney (Dy) McIntyre (GP)			21:53
Wed	14-Jun	09:04	3.7	19:45	Wed Pts (All)				21:56
Fri	16-Jun	10:48	3.8						21:57
Sat	17-Jun	11:33	3.8	10:00			Just Sailing @ 9.30	GP14 Munsters - Tralee Bay SC / Topper Southernns - WHSC	21:57
Sun	18-Jun	12:15	3.8	11:00	Sun Pts (All) / Rockabill (Cr)	Lifeboat Pennant (Dy) / Fitzpatrick Trophy (Cr)		GP14 Munsters - Tralee Bay SC / Topper Southernns - WHSC	21:58
Wed	21-Jun	14:15	3.5	19:45	Wed Pts (All) / Longest Day Of The Year Race	(DY - Dollard Cup / Cr- ? Cup)	ISA Course (L4): 19th - 30th June	Sovereigns Cup 2023 - Kinsale	21:59
Fri	23-Jun	15:38	3.3	19:00	Friday Evening Series 1 - Pier Start (Dy)		ISA Course (L4): 19th - 30th June	Sovereigns Cup 2023 - Kinsale	21:59
Sat	24-Jun	16:24	3.3	12:00	SKERRIES REGATTA - Eboat Nationals & Fireball Leinsters	Red Island Cup (1st race SSC Regatta, Mermaid) / Brown Cow (Mermaid) Brian Leahy Memorial (1st Single hander), Challenge Cup (Cr-HYC to SSC)		Sovereigns Cup 2023 - Kinsale / SSC Regatta	21:59
Sun	25-Jun	17:12	3.2	11:00	SKERRIES REGATTA - Eboat Nationals & Fireball Leinsters	Red Island Cup (1st race SSC Regatta, Mermaid) / Brown Cow (Mermaid) Brian Leahy Memorial (1st Single hander), Challenge Cup (Cr-HYC to SSC)		Sovereigns Cup 2023 - Kinsale / SSC Regatta	21:59
Wed	28-Jun	20:58	3.4	19:45	Wed Pts (All)		ISA Course (L4): 19th - 30th June		21:59
Fri	30-Jun	09:15	3.6	19:00	Friday Evening Series 1 - Pier Start (Dy)		ISA Course (L4): 19th - 30th June		21:58



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JULY

Day	Date	HW (24HR)	Height	1st Gun	Event in SSC	Trophies	Training In SSC	Other Events	Sunset
Sat	01-Jul	10:12	3.8	15:00	Poolbeg Race (Cr)	Poolbeg Cup		ILCA Ulster Champs - Ballyhome YC / IODAI Munsters Water	21:58
Sun	02-Jul	11:08	3.9	11:00	Sun Pts (All)	Jim Grimes (Mer), Admiral's Hat (Dy)		ILCA Ulster Champs - Ballyhome YC / IODAI Munsters	21:58
Wed	05-Jul	13:46	4.0	19:45	Wed Pts (All)		ISA Course (L4 Racing): 3rd -5th July	Volvo Dun Laoghaire Regatta 2023	21:56
Thu	06-Jul	15:28	3.8				ISA Course (L1,2,3): 3rd -6th July	Volvo Dun Laoghaire Regatta 2023	21:56
Fri	07-Jul	15:28	3.8	19:00	Friday Evening Series 1 - Pier Start (Dy)			Volvo DL Regatta (GP Leinster Champs) / Topper Nats - Bal	21:55
Sat	08-Jul	16:19	3.7		Junior Helms (Cr)	Thomas E Duff	Just Sailing @ 9.30	Volvo DL Regatta (GP Leinster Champs) / Topper Nats - Bal	21:54
Sun	09-Jul	17:14	3.6	11:00	Sun Pts (All) / Commodores Prize	Commodores Prize		Volvo DL Regatta (GP Leinster Champs) / Topper Nats - Bal	21:53
Wed	12-Jul	20:16	3.4	19:45	Wed Pts (All) /	Garryowen (Dy)	ISA Course (All): 10th -14th July		21:51
Fri	14-Jul	09:36	3.5	19:00	Friday Evening Series 2 - Pier Start (Dy)				21:49
Sat	15-Jul	10:30	3.5	12:00	ILCA Leinsters				21:48
Sun	16-Jul	11:17	3.6	10:30	ILCA Leinsters			Skermes Triatlon	21:47
Wed	19-Jul	13:20	3.6	19:45	Wed Pts (All)		ISA Course (All+pre worlds): 17th -20th July		21:41
Fri	21-Jul	14:32	3.6		Friday Evening Series 1 - Pier Start (Dy)				21:41
Sat	22-Jul	15:07	3.5	12:00			Just Sailing @ 9.30	Rush Regatta & Leinster Championships / Topper Worlds RC	21:39
Sun	23-Jul	15:44	3.4	11:00	Sun Pts (All)			Rush Regatta & Leinster Championships / Topper Worlds RC	21:38
Wed	26-Jul	18:04	3.2	19:45	Wed Pts (All)			Topper Worlds RCYC (22-28th)	21:33
Fri	28-Jul	20:16	3.4					Topper Worlds RCYC (22-28th)	21:30
Sat	29-Jul	08:47	3.5	19:45	Lambay Night Race	Matt Davis Trophy (Cr)	Just Sailing @ 9.30		21:29
Sun	30-Jul	09:55	3.6	11:00	Sun Pts (All)				21:27

AUGUST

Day	Date	HW (24HR)	Height	1st Gun	Event in SSC	Trophies	Training In SSC	Other Events	Sunset
Wed	02-Aug	12:45	4.1	11:00	Mmaid Nationals (Practice Race?)				21:22
Thu	03-Aug	13:34	4.1	11:00	Mmaid Nationals				21:20
Fri	04-Aug	14:21	4.1	19:45	Mmaid Nationals				21:18
Sat	05-Aug	15:05	4.0	11:00	Mmaid Nationals				21:16
Sun	06-Aug	15:51	3.8	11:00	Mmaid Nationals				21:14
Wed	09-Aug	18:31	3.3	19:30	Wed Pts (All)		ISA Course (All): 7th -11th Aug		21:08
Fri	11-Aug	20:48	3.3		Friday Evening Series 1 - Pier Start (Dy)				21:04
Sat	12-Aug	09:21	3.3	15:00	Corinthian Race Pursuit	Weighouse Cup	Just Sailing @ 9.30		21:02
Sun	13-Aug	10:19	3.4	11:00	Sun Pts (Dy) / Fox Cup (Crew Helm - R2)				21:00
Wed	16-Aug	12:23	3.7	19:30	Wed Pts (All)		ISA Course (All): 14th -18th Aug		20:54
Fri	18-Aug	13:31	3.8		Friday Evening Series 1 - Pier Start (Dy)			ILCA National Champs - Howth YC (18-20th) / IODAI Nats Ba	20:50
Sat	19-Aug	14:03	3.7		Women on the Water (WOW)		Just Sailing @ 9.30	GP14 SO & Youth Champs - RSC (19-20th)	20:45
Sun	20-Aug	14:35	3.7	11:00	Sun Pts (All)	Bell Trophy (GP) Barkyard Trophy (Mer)		GP14 SO & Youth Champs - RSC (19-20th) / Topper Travelle	20:45
Wed	23-Aug	16:23	3.4	19:30	Wed Pts (All)				20:39
Fri	25-Aug	18:26	3.2	12:00					20:34
Sat	26-Aug	19:45	3.3	15:00	GvG (Eboat)	GvG Cup	Just Sailing @ 9.30		20:32
Sun	27-Aug	08:32	3.4	11:00	Sun Pts (Dy)				20:29
Wed	30-Aug	11:40	3.7	19:15	Wed Pts (All) / (Early Start)				20:22



FIXTURES 2023

Subject to change - Visit club website for up to date fixture list

SEPTEMBER

Day	Date	HW (24HR)	Height	1st Gun	Event in SSC	Trophies	Training In SSC	Other Events	20:18
Fri	01-Sep	13.13	4.3	18.30	Friday Evening Series 2 - Pier Start (Dy)			GP14 Championship of Ireland Sutton DC	20:18
Sat	02-Sep	13.54	4.2	09:00	Wicklow (Cr)	Wicklow 100	Just Sailing @ 9.30	GP14 Championship of Ireland Sutton DC	20:15
Sun	03-Sep	14.37	4.1	11:00	Sun Pts (All)			GP14 Championship of Ireland Sutton DC	20:13
Wed	06-Sep	16.46	3.4						
Fri	08-Sep	19.01	3.1	18.30	Friday Evening Series 2 - Pier Start (Dy)				20:01
Sat	09-Sep	20.19	3.2				Just Sailing @ 9.30	RYA Youth Champs - 9/10 - Ballyhome (Topper/opis)	
Sun	10-Sep	09.07	3.3	11:00	Sun Pts (All) - Class			RYA Youth Champs - 9/10 - Ballyhome (Topper/opis)	19:56
Wed	13-Sep	11.26	3.6						
Fri	15-Sep	12.31	3.8	18.30	Friday Evening Series 2 - Pier Start (Dy)				19:44
Sat	16-Sep	13.01	3.9		Helmsmans	Jim Dempsey	Just Sailing @ 9.30	IODAI Connachts	19:41
Sun	17-Sep	13.31	3.9	11:00	Sun Pts (All)			IODAI Connachts	19:39
Wed	20-Sep	15.08	3.6						
Fri	22-Sep	16.44	3.4	18.30	Friday Evening Series 2 - Pier Start (Dy)				19:26
Sat	23-Sep	17.57	3.3	09:00			Just Sailing @ 9.30		19:24
Sun	24-Sep	19.24	3.4	11:00	Sun Pts (All)	Gun Club Trophy (Trapez boats) Fingal Trophy (GP14)			19:21
Wed	27-Sep	10.32	3.9						12:12
Fri	29-Sep	12.07	4.3						19:07
Sat	30-Sep	12.44	4.3				Just Sailing @ 9.30	GP14 Hot Toddy - Royal North YC	19:04

OCTOBER

Day	Date	HW (24HR)	Height	1st Gun	Event in SSC	Trophies	Training In SSC	Other Events	Sunset
Sun	01-Oct	13.27	4.3	11:00	October Series (Dy)			GP14 Hot Toddy - Royal North YC / Topper Traveller 5 - MYC	19:02
Sun	08-Oct	19.41	3.2	11:00	October Series (Dy)				18:45
Sun	15-Oct	12.31	4.0	11:00	October Series (Dy)				18:29
Sun	22-Oct	17.43	3.4	11:00	October Series (Dy)				18:14
Sat	28-Oct	11.41	4.2	14.00	October Series (Dy)	Murphy Cup (DY - Last Race of Season)			18:01
Sun	29-Oct	11.22	4.2		RIB/Inis Rua Haul				16:59



Trophies - Skerries Sailing Club

All Dinghy Classes

Cup	Event	Race
Jim Dempsey	Helm of the Year	Bay races.
Paddy Hand	1st race of season.	Bay race.
Tommy Rooney	Rockabill Handicap	Rockabill.
McGowan	2nd race of Season.	Balbriggan
Tower Cup	Island Handicap	Isles to Stbd.
McNally Cup	Island Handicap	Isles to Port.
Weighouse Cup	Handicap	Corinthian start.
Smyco	Lady Helm	Bay race.
Fox Perpetual	Crew Helm	Bay race.
Lifeboat Pennant	For the Lifeboat	Bay race
Admirals Hat	Bay Race	Bay race
Murphy cup	Last race of Season	Bay race
Garryowen	Handicap	Bay race.
Dollard	Handicap	Bay race

Mermaid Class

Cup	Event	Race
Barkyard	Handicap	Bay race.
May cup	South Strand	to Pavilion Sth Strand.
Red Island Cup	1st race SSC Regatta	Bay race.
Brown Cow	Regatta winner	Bay races.
Fletcher Trophy	Wed Series	Bay races.
Jim Grimes	Mermaid Handicap	Bay races.
N Hodgeson	Sunday Series	Bay races.
Dardis trophy	Autumn H'cap	Bay races.
J Boylan	Autumn Series	Bay races.



GP14 Class

Cup	Event	Race
Bell Trophy	Specified Race	Bay race
McIntyre	Rockabill	Rockabill
Fingal Trophy	Specified Race	Bay Race

Laser Class

Cup	Event	Race
Brian Leahy Memorial	1 st Laser	Skerries Regatta

Trapeze Boats (Fireballs, RS, etc.)

Cup	Event	Race
Gun Club trophy	Specific Race	Bay Race

Wayfarer Class

Cup	Event	Race
Wayfarer Cup	October Series	Bay Races



Cruiser Class

Cup	Event	Race
Clifden	1st Wed Series	Bay races.
Fitzpatrick	Rockabill	Rockabill.
Kevin Duff	1st Sunday series	Bay races.
Thomas E Duff	Junior Helms	Bay race.
Friendship	2nd Midweek Series	Bay races
Mariners Cup	1st race of Season Incl	Balbriggan
Holmpatrick	2nd Sunday Series	Bay Races

Cruiser Sapphire Offshore Series

Carlingford	1st away weekend	Carlingford
Matt Davis	Night Race	Lambay
Boland	Isle of Man	Isle of Man
Challenge Cup	1st race Regatta	Howth-Skerries
Wicklow 100	Wicklow weekend	Skerries – Wicklow
Poolbeg	Poolbeg weekend	Skerries – Poolbeg



Junior Section Trophies

Cup

Awarded for:

Perch Cup
Rockabill Trophy

Outstanding Achievement worldwide
Best Achievement not in a mirror/optimist

Mirror Class

Mason Cup
AT Ward Trophy
Millenium Plaque
Dorn Trophy
Thomas Duff

Most Improved Mirror
Midweek Points – Mirror
Best Junior Mirror @ Regional Event
Mirror Winner at SSC Regatta
Trophy Juniors in Cruisers Bay Race

Optimist

Brian Malone Cup
Optimist Plaque
Pavilion Cup
Martin Rooney Trophy
Digby Hartford Mem. Cup
Dermot Byrne Mem. Shield
The Grey Mare
Lyttleton Cup
Elsie Ellen
Father's Trophy
Junior Helms
Irish Measle Champion
Skerries Regatta Cup
Optimist Lifeboat Pennant

Most Improved Optimist – Gold Fleet
Thursday Series 1 – Gold Fleet
Thursday Series 1 – Silver Fleet
Thursday Series 2 – Gold Fleet
Thursday Series 2 – Silver Fleet
Midweek Sailing in Main Bay
Most Improved – Silver Fleet
Most improved – Bronze Fleet
Mother's Race in optimist
Father's Race in an optimist
Trophy Winner SSC Regatta – Gold fleet
Trophy Winner SSC Regatta – Silver fleet
Regatta Fleet SSC Regatta
Designated Race



2023 Parking Rates

Annual

Optimist on Racking	€80
Mirror	€110
Topper/Laser 1	€130
Fireball/420/GP14/RS600/Laser 2/Solo	€160
Wayfarer	€190

Summer (May 1st to Sept. 30th)

Mirror	€60
Topper/Laser 1	€70
Fireball/420/GP14/RS600/Laser 2/Solo	€90
Wayfarer	€110

Cruiser / Motor On Request (subject to space available)

Short Term Parking (Maximum 2 weeks)

All Dinghies €20

A €20 reduction on 2nd and each subsequent boat parked in yard applies.



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