



NOTICE OF RACE
International 14 Class Walker Trophy
7th May 2011

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
1.2 The Itchenor Sailing Club (ISC) sailing instructions will apply. These change some rules in the RRS. There will be some amendments to the ISC Sailing Instructions.

2. ORGANISING AUTHORITY

The organising authority is Itchenor Sailing Club.

3. PERSONAL FLOTATION

Adequate personal flotation shall be worn at all times when afloat by all competitors. Neither a wetsuit nor drysuit constitute adequate personal flotation. This amends the preamble to Part 4.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The regatta is open to boats of the International 14 class.
4.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and delivering it together with the required fee, to the Club office by 1000 on 7th May 2011.

5. FEES

The Entry fee is £30 Harbour dues of £2.00 for the series are also payable by non-members of ISC, unless they are members of another Harbour club and have paid harbour dues. Proof may be required.

6. REGISTRATION and SCHEDULE

6.1 There is no registration requirement.

6.2 Dates of racing:

Date	Starting Signal (first race of day)	HW	Height (m)	
7th May	13:00 Up to 5 races		15:02	4.4
8th May	13:00 Up to 5 races		15:46	4.3

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available from 09.00 on 7th May 2011 at ISC office.

8. MEASUREMENTS

Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate upon request.

9. VENUE

- 9.1 The location of the Regatta is Chichester Harbour, West Sussex.
9.2 The racing area will be inside Chichester Harbour. The starting area will be designated in accordance with paragraph 7 of the Sailing Instructions.

10. SCORING

- 10.1 The Low Point System of Appendix A will apply. There will be 1 discard if 4 or more races are sailed and 2 discards if 8 or more races are sailed.

11. PRIZES

The Walker Trophy will be awarded to the 1st placed boat. Prize giving will take place either

For insurance purposes, any overseas winners of trophies will be awarded prizes but asked that any trophies remain in the possession of Itchenor Sailing Club.

12. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISK

12.1A boat is entirely responsible for her own safety, whether afloat or ashore, and nothing, whether in this notice of race or the sailing instructions or anywhere else, reduces this responsibility.

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

12.3 Nothing done by the organisers can reduce the responsibility of the boat nor will it make the organisers responsible for any loss, damage, death or personal injury, however it may have occurred, as a result of the boat having taken part in the racing. The organisers encompass everyone helping to run the race and the event, and include the organising authority, the race committee, the race officer, support boats and beachmasters.

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

12.5 The fact that a race committee may conduct inspections of a boat does not reduce the responsibilities set out in this paragraph.

13. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £3,000,000.

INFORMATION FOR COMPETITORS

14. BERTHING AND TRAILERS

14.1 Boats shall be kept in their assigned area on the ISC landing stage.

14.2 Trailers must be manhandled from the road to the Club stage as vehicles are not permitted down the Club Lane. Parking for cars is available at the Harbour Conservancy car park.

15. CLUBHOUSE

All competitors are invited to use the facilities of the Club, during their stay. Competitors will be deemed to be temporary members for the duration of the event, and as such, shall abide by all the Club's rules and traditions.

16. DRESS

Members and visitors to the Club are asked to change from their sailing clothes in the evenings and dress appropriately for the time of day. It is recommended that valuables are not left in the changing rooms. Items of value may be deposited with the Office for safe keeping, at owner's risk.

17. ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation in the club is available at the sailing club (double/twin/single)

18. CATERING

The Buttery is open from 0815 to 2130 (last orders) on Saturdays and to 1730 on Sundays for breakfasts, lunch, tea, supper and hot and cold drinks.

The Bar is open from 1200 to 2300 on Saturdays and 1730 on Sundays.

There will be an event supper at the Club on Saturday at 1930 for 2000. Bookings must be made in advance either via the Entry Form or directly with the Club Office.

19. FURTHER INFORMATION

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ITCHENOR SAILING CLUB

International 14 Class Walker Trophy

7th – 8th May 2011

Sail Number:_____	Boat
Name_____	
Dinner Saturday? Y/N _____	Number of people_____
Helm_____	Club
Crew_____	
Club_____	

Entry Fee - £30 per Boat

Chichester Harbour Dues (for visiting boats only)	£2.00	£.....
I enclose a payment for	TOTAL	£.....

Please make cheques payable to Itchenor Sailing Club, OR

Please debit my credit / debit card no.....

Start date: / Expiry date: / Security Code:

Entry Declaration

I wish to enter International 14 Class Open Meeting.

Competitors will be deemed to be Temporary Members of Itchenor Sailing Club, and as such, shall abide by all the Club's rules and traditions.

I agree to be bound by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing. I confirm that I hold a valid registration certificate and that I have Third Party Insurance for at least £3,000,000. I confirm that I have read and accept for myself, my crew and our guests the limitation of the Club's Racing Disclaimer.

Signed:..... 2011

