

## **NOTICE OF RACE**



### **SNIPE CLASS INTERNATIONAL RACING ASSOCIATION**

### **UK NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP 21 – 23 August 2015**

#### **ORGANIZING AUTHORITY:**

**UK Snipe Class International Racing Association  
and Llyn Brenig Sailing Club**

#### **1. RULES**

The regatta will be governed by:

The rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016, the SCIRA Rules of Conduct for Conducting National Championship Regattas, the rules of Llyn Brenig Sailing Club, and the sailing instructions.

#### **2. ENTRY AND ELIGIBILITY**

The championship is open to SCIRA registered boats and must display a 2015 decal.

No helm or crew shall be eligible to enter unless they are current members of SCIRA UK and SCIRA (International).

Sail numbers must reflect country of registration and correct boat number.

Entry forms will be available to download from [snipe.org.uk](http://snipe.org.uk)

#### **3. REGISTRATION, BRIEFING, RACES AND SOCIAL**

Thu 20<sup>th</sup> Aug Registration from 7 – 8pm

Fri 21<sup>st</sup> Aug Late registration 10 – 11am

Briefing 11:30

Race 1 start time 1.00pm, race 2 back to back

Juniors race 1 start approx. 15:30 Race 2 back to back

Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug: Race 3 start time 11 am, race 4 and 5 back to back (lunch on the water)

Juniors Race 3 and 4

AGM – after racing (approx. 5pm)

Dinner at the club followed by quiz and raffle

Sun 27<sup>th</sup> July: Race 6 start time 10:30am, race 7 back to back

No races to start after 15:00

Prize giving as soon as feasible after racing

3 races shall constitute a championship. Two discards are allowed if 7 races are sailed, if 6 or 5 races are sailed there will be one discard, if 4 races or less are completed then all races to count.

#### **4. MEASUREMENT & BOAT CHECKS**

The following checks will be made: current class decal, towline (15m minimum, 8mm diameter), paddle, centerboard retainer, sails must be signed. All sails must carry correct origin and boat number.

#### **5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The Sailing Instructions will be available at registration on 20<sup>th</sup> Aug (or on 21<sup>st</sup> before 11am).

#### **6. VENUE AND COURSES**

Races will be sailed off Llyn Brenig Sailing Club.

The courses to be sailed are the Class approved courses for National Championship regattas as published in the current SCIRA Official Rulebook.

#### **7. SCORING**

The ISAF low Point Scoring System, RRS Appendix A, will apply.

#### **8. INSURANCE**

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

## 9. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta 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, prior to, during, or after the regatta.

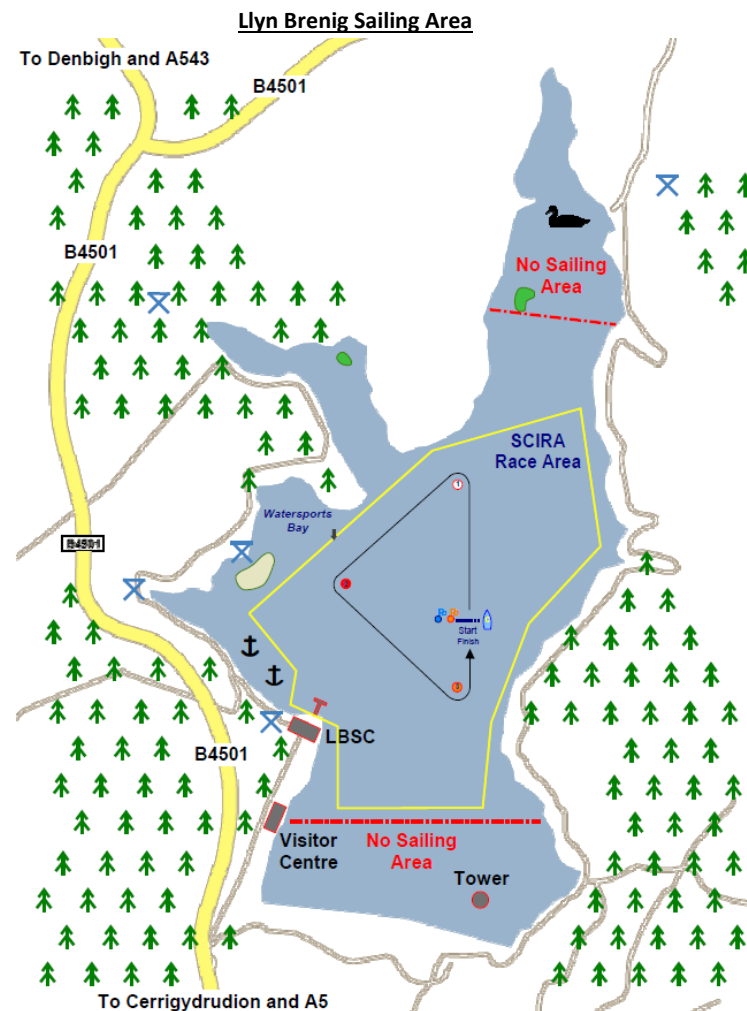
## 10. PRIZES:

Skipper International Trophy	Winning boat in race 1
Manchester Cruising Association Trophy	Winning boat in race 2
Stone Sailing Club Trophy	Winning boat in race 3
Percy Douglas Trophy	Winning boat in race 4
Blue Circle Trophy	Winning boat in race 5
Southern Caernarvonshire YC Trophy	Winning boat in race 6
Broughton Salver	Winning boat in race 7
Gossamer Cup	Helm of the winning boat overall
Mc. Inlay Cup	Crew of the winning boat overall
Medway Cup	Helm of the second boat overall
King George SC Trophy	Crew of the second boat overall
John Broughton Masters Trophy	Highest placed helm over 45 years of age
Harding Junior Trophy	Highest place junior helm
John Love Friendship Trophy	Highest place Orkney helm
Antonelli Cup	1 <sup>st</sup> UK Boat
Dead Weight Trophy	Most unusual sailing tactic

## 11. ACCOMMODATION

Free camping will be available on site – Please follow instructions from club officials on arrival

For other accommodation follow the link on the Llyn Brenig SC website <http://www.llynbrenigsc.org.uk/> or contact the organisers



## **SNIPE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2015**

**Llyn Brenig Sailing Club, Cerrigydrudion, Wales**

### **Entry Form**

This series of races is to be sailed under the burgee of Llyn Brenig Sailing Club

**Registration: Thurs 20<sup>th</sup> August (7pm – 8pm) and Fri 21<sup>st</sup> August (10am - 11am)**

**Racing: Friday 21<sup>st</sup> August – Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> August**

***Note – if you are unable to register at this time please contact Richard Pike on:***

***07739725862 or [natsec@snipe.org.uk](mailto:natsec@snipe.org.uk) in advance.***

	Helm	Crew
Name		
Address		
D.O.B		
Club		
SCIRA Membership 2015 paid in full?		
e-mail		
Emergency contact name		
Emergency contact number		
Boat Number:		Sail Number in use:
Boat name:		Hull Colour:

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

1: The race organisers (including LBSC and the Snipe Association) shall not be liable for any loss, damage, death or personal injury howsoever caused to the owner / competitor, his / her helm or crew as a result of their taking part in the race(s). Moreover, every owner / competitor warrants the suitability of his / her boat for the race(s).

2: The provision of safety equipment and boats neither guarantees that assistance can be rendered to any competitor in need, nor an acceptance of any responsibility for the rescue of competitors. Further, in the event that assistance is rendered to any competitor, neither the Club / Association nor the crew of such safety craft accepts liability for any loss, damage or injury to the competitor and / or the boat and its equipment.

3: RRS Fundamental Rule 4: The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race, or to continue racing is hers alone.

4: I agree to be bound by the racing rules of sailing and by all other rules that govern this event.

5: I declare that I hold a valid certificate of insurance that also covers me whilst racing (including third party liability cover of at least £2,000,000) and which will be valid for the duration of the event.

6: I declare that I and my crew hold valid membership of the Snipe Association

7: 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 to the attention of the person in charge of the boat to the provisions of this entry form. In addition, I will also make the crew aware of these undertakings.

8: I understand that my boat will be subject to a class rules check and that failure to comply may lead to disqualification from the event.

**THIS DECLARATION MUST BE SIGNED**

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

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**FEES PAYABLE WITH ENTRY FORM** - See Next Page for payment information

## SNIPE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2015

**Llyn Brenig Sailing Club, Cerrigydrudion, Wales**

### Payment Form

(also available on the UK Class Facebook Pages)

	Qty		Total	Comment
Entry per boat			£85	
Membership adjustment * (see below)			£	Note:
Free raffle entry?			Y/N	Note: Only if paid by 31 <sup>st</sup> July
Friday Night meal	Main £8	Des £2		State if vegetarian required
Friday night children's (under 12) meal @ £3.25	Main £5	Des £1		
Saturday night meal @ £15/ head				
Saturday night children's (under 12) meal @ £8				
Event Clothing				Ensure clothing order form attached
<b>TOTAL</b>				
Method of payment				
Date of payment				

\* **Membership – UK Helm £20, Uk Crew £12 (temporary£3), Int.l £10 P/P, Decal £6 Junior Helm £5, Junior Crew Free, Int.l Jnr £5 P/P**

**Clothing** Please note: For all early entries we will endeavour to have clothing orders available for the event.

Please send completed forms by email to [natsec@snipe.org.uk](mailto:natsec@snipe.org.uk) or by post to Richard Pike, 50 Goodwin Avenue, Whitstable CT5 2QY

Please make cheques payable to SCIRA UK or electronic transfer to SCIRA UK Bank account with your name and "Nationals 15" as the reference

Bank Details:

Snipe Class International Racing Association

Lloyds Bank

Sort code: 30-90-28

Account number 02099641

**Early entry helps us to organize the event - so please help us to make it a good one!**

#### Directions to Llyn Brenig

**From Denbigh**, follow the A543 to Pentrefoelas. About five miles out of Denbigh, you will start to see the brown Tourist Information Road signs to Llyn Brenig. There is a small Lake, Llyn Bran, just before the left turn onto the B4501 to Cerrigydrudion. Follow this road and you will see the brown road signs to Llyn Brenig Visitor Centre. Just after you start to see the Lake, on your left, you will come to a sharp left, signposted to the Visitor Centre. Turn left and follow this road (1) - beware of speed humps! It's a one way road - unless you meet the Bus or a Delivery lorry! Go past the Visitor Centre Car Parks and as the road turns sharp left, the Club is straight ahead. Go through the gate and turn right at the gap in the trees, into the Car Park. To find any of the Club Officers, just go upstairs into the Clubhouse and ask.

**From Corwen**, follow the A5 to Cerrigydrudion - it's about ten miles west of Corwen. At Cerrigydrudion, bear right off the A5, following the Llyn Brenig signs. joining the B4501, again signposted to Llyn Brenig. Just after you pass Alwen reservoir, which is on your left, go up the hill, you'll see the sign to the Visitor Centre. Turn right and follow the Road from (1) above

**The Post code for the Visitor Centre is LL21 9TT**

### 2015 Snipe Nationals Clothing

We are once again teaming up with Blackjack Clothing to offer a great range of clothing to support this event. Laura Harris, creative force behind Lulu Creative, has very kindly come up with some fresh new designs (impression on the right).



The T-Shirts will sport the Snipe UK logo and the Llyn Brenig Sailing Club pennant as well as Lulu Creative on the sleeve. If you would like to see clothing designs please refer to the catalogue @ <http://www.blackjackdesign.com/>

#### With three Logos; left chest/right chest and sleeve

- UC101** Mens polo (Navy, Red or Light Blue) **£18.50**
- UC106** Ladies polo (Navy, Red, Light Blue or Pink) **£18.50**
- UC103** Childrens Polo (Navy, Red or Light Blue) **£12.50**
- UC301** Mens T shirt (Navy, Red or Light Blue) **£15.00**
- UC303** Ladies T shirt (Navy, Red, Light Blue, Pink) **£15.00**
- GD 11** Mens long sleeved T shirt (white/navy/red) **£18.50**
- GD 76** Ladies long sleeved T shirt (white/navy/red) **£18.50**

#### With 1 Logo Snipe; Left Chest

- RG604** Mens Regatta soft shell jacket (Navy) **£48.50**
- RG614** Ladies Regatta soft shell jacket (Navy) **£48.50**
- RG602** Mens regatta fleece (Navy) **£26.00**
- RG613** Ladies regatta fleece (Navy) **£26.00**
- RG182** Mens regatta fleece body warmer (Navy) **£24.00**
- RG184** ladies regatta fleece body warmer (Navy) **£24.00**
- UC 502** Basic hoodie (Navy) **£18.50**
- BB10** Basic cotton drill cap (Navy) **£9.50**
- BB900** Microfibre neck warmer (Navy) **£6.50**
- BB920** fleece neck warmer (Navy) **£7.50**

### Logos



UK 2015, Llyn Brenig, Wales  
Snipe National Championship

### Rough Guide to Sizes

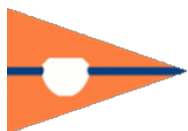
<b>Size:</b>	XS	S	M	L	XL	XXL
<b>Chest</b>	35/3	37/3	39/4	41/4	43/4	46/4
<b>(to fit):</b>	6	8	0	2	4	8

### Order Form (Also available via Snipe Class UK Facebook page)

Code	Item	Colour	Size	Qty	Cost
<b>Total Cost</b>					

Please email completed form to [Richardpike62@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:Richardpike62@yahoo.co.uk) by **3<sup>rd</sup> August** to ensure delivery at the nationals.

If paying as part of entry please include total value on entry form



## What's on at the SNIPE UK NATIONALS 2015



Please note: All timings approximate and subject to change

### **THURSDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> August**

4pm	Galley open for self serve Hot and Cold drinks and snacks – BBQ facilities available
4-8pm	Lake available for practice
7-8pm	Registration

### **FRIDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> August**

9am	Galley open for Breakfast
10:00am	Boat Checks and Measuring
10-11am	Late Registration
11:30am	Briefing
1:00pm	Race 1+2 back to back
3:30pm	Junior races 1+2 back to back (Time permitting)
6:00pm	Committee meeting (half hour max!)
7:00pm	Dinner and early entry draw
8:00pm	Commodore's reception and early entry draw

### **SATURDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> August**

8:30am	Galley open for breakfast
11:00	Races 3,4 + 5 back to back
3:30pm	Junior races 3+4 back to back (Time permitting)
5:00pm	AGM
7:00pm	Championship Dinner
Evening	Quiz, Raffle and Bonus ball draw

### **SUNDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> August**

8:30am	Galley open for breakfast
10:30am	Races 6+7 Back to back
TBC	Prize Giving – As soon as feasible after racing

## Event information

### **Food:**

Galley will be open for breakfast rolls etc. on Fri, Sat and Sun morning.

Food is not provided on Thursday evening, however the galley will be open for self serve T's and Coffees and BBQ facilities will be available:

**Please note: - Anyone bringing their own BBQ's are asked to only use them in designated areas due to risk of fire.**

Dinner on Friday evening will be Lasagne with homemade pasta (Veg option also available) served with Coleslaw, green salad, tomatoes and bread rolls plus dessert if required.

Dinner on Saturday evening will be Pork Loin roast with salad and dessert (Vegetarian option also available).

Lunches: Packed lunch will be available to take onto the water comprising 2 rolls, fruit, drink and snack – Please order the night before.

Lunches will also be available from the Galley for people not sailing, as above or items like Jacket potato etc.

**Drink:** The club do not have a bar.....

We will have 120 pints of local Ale available for which we will run an honesty box **For all other Alcoholic beverages, please bring what you may consume with you!**

**Showers and Toilets:** Will be available 24 hours a day in the club

**Parking:** Trailers and vehicles to be parked just outside the compound (Within 50M)

**Camping:** Camping on site for Motorhomes, trailers and tents available from Thu PM to Mon AM. Limited 3 amp hook up will be available but please try to be as self sufficient as possible

Dogs: Welcome on the lead and not in the club house.

### **Locality**

**Nearest cash machine:** Denbigh 12 miles away

**Nearest mini supermarket and Pub:** Cerigydrudion 4 miles away

**Around the lake:** The Llyn Brenig summer fair is on over the weekend and there are great walks and cycles routes.

Check out [www.llyn-brenig.co.uk](http://www.llyn-brenig.co.uk)

## SNIFE UK Contacts – April 2015

### Committee

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