



## BRITISH INTERNATIONAL 420 CLASS ASSOCIATION TEAM SELECTION SERIES FOR THE 2007 INTERNATIONAL 420 CLASS OPEN & LADIES' EUROPEAN AND JUNIOR EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Organizing Authority is the British International 420 Class Association in conjunction with the host clubs, as follows:

28-29 April Hayling Island Sailing Club  
5-7 May Poole Yacht Club

### NOTICE OF RACE

#### 1 RULES

The Team Selection Series will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing. The Organizing Authority implements the RYA Racing Charter. Competitors shall undertake to sail in compliance with the Charter, which can be found at the front of the RYA rule book (Racing Rules of Sailing 2005-2008) or at <http://www.rya.org.uk/racing/charter>

#### 2 ELIGIBILITY

Entry is restricted to all International 420 Class dinghies, sailed by helms and crews who are eligible for team selection in accordance with the Team Selection Notice.

#### 3 ENTRIES

Eligible boats must pre-enter for the entire Team Selection Series, using the online entry form on the 420 GBR Website.

**Entry Fees:** For the two events comprising the Team Selection Series is £100.00 per boat (£120.00 if received after 16 April 2007).

Payment shall be by cheque payable to *British International 420 Class Association*, submitted by post as instructed on the entry form.

**Parent/Guardian Declarations:** All helms and crews under 18 years of age shall submit declarations signed by their parent or guardian. The declaration form may be printed as part of the online entry procedure, and signed and submitted by post, or brought to the event registration.

#### 4 SCHEDULE

The Team Selection Series comprises will take place over five days, at the two events hosted by Hayling Island Sailing Club and Poole Yacht Club.

Competitors shall register at each event in accordance with the Notice of Race issued by each host club.

The intended schedule is as follows, though this may be amended by the Sailing Instructions for each event.

Regatta Venue	Date 2006	Time of warning signal of first race	Number of Races
Hayling Island Sailing Club	Saturday 28 April	12:55	3
Hayling Island Sailing Club	Sunday 29 April	10:55	3
Poole Yacht Club	Saturday 5 May	11:55	3
Poole Yacht Club	Sunday 6 May	10:55	3
Poole Yacht Club	Monday 7 May	10:55	3

## **5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Sailing Instructions will be issued by each host club. Draft versions may be available in advance for download from the Class Association website.

## **6 THE COURSES**

The intended courses and time limits will be in accordance with the Sailing Instructions issued for each event.

## **7 PENALTY SYSTEM**

Appendix P (Immediate Penalties for Breaking Rule 42) will apply. Any rule 42 penalties incurred will be cumulative within each regatta, but not over the whole selection series. Owing to the need for an immediate result for team selection purposes, decisions of the protest committee will be final as provided in rule 70.4(a).

## **8 SCORING**

The Selection Series will be scored separately from each regatta. In the Selection Series, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores in all the regattas, with discards applied as follows:

6 races completed - 1 discard

12 races completed - 2 discards

## **9 SUPPORT BOATS**

Support boats shall register and operate in accordance with the Sailing Instructions for each event.

## **10 PRIZES**

Prizes will be presented at each event depending on entry numbers.

Trophies will be presented to the first all male or mixed boat, and the first all female boat, in the Selection Series.

## **11 RIGHTS TO USE NAMES & LIKENESSES**

Competitors automatically grant to the organizing authority without payment the right in perpetuity to make, use and show any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television of or relating to the event.

## **12 SAFETY REGULATIONS**

Each crewmember shall wear personal buoyancy in accordance with the Sailing Instructions for each event.

## **13 STATEMENT OF LIABILITY**

The liability of all parties involved in the Team Selection Series shall be in accordance with the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions for each event.

## **14 INSURANCE**

Insurance requirements are specified in the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions for each event.

## **15 FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information please contact the host clubs, or:

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