

# **BUCS Yacht Racing Championships Entry Information**

#### **Dates & Venues**

Registration and first briefing: Sunday 20th March 2016 at Sunsail, Port Solent

Briefings: Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2016 at Sunsail, Port Solent, Monday 21<sup>st</sup> – Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2016 at

Tiger Tiger.

Racing days: Monday 21st - Thursday 24th March 2016 at Port Solent

Berthing: Sunday 20th March 2016 at Port Solent, Monday 21st – Wednesday 23rd March 2016 at

Gunwharf Quay, Thursday 24th March 2016 at Port Solent (return boats for prize giving).

### **Addresses**

Sunsail Events, Port Solent Marina Office, Lock Approach, Portsmouth, PO6 4TJ Portsmouth Harbour Yacht Club, The Port House, Marina Keep, Portsmouth, PO6 4TH Tiger Tiger, Gunwharf Quays, Gunwharf Rd, Portsmouth, PO1 3TP

## **Entry opening date**

Tuesday 2nd February 2016

# **Entry closing date**

Thursday 3rd March 2016

## **Entry costs**

Entry fee per mixed team: £150 (Payable to BUCS/BUSA on BUCScore) [International teams: £150]

Charter fee per mixed team: £1,575 (Payable to Sunsail) Charter deposit per mixed team: £3,000 (Payable to Sunsail)

## **Events & BUCS points available**

BUCS Yacht Racing Championship: 20 14 10 7 5 3 2 1

#### **Boats**

Sunsail Match First 40s

## **Entry process**

Entries need to be submitted on BUCScore, our online entry system. Please speak to your Athletic Union as they will need to submit your entry on this system. Athletic Unions must also return the Sunsail Booking Form and CVs to Nick Burley by Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2016. BUCS/BUSA will then pass on all applications to Sunsail for them to confirm if Skippers/Crew have the required experience to charter a boat. There are only a maximum of 25 spaces and BUSA will decide the allocation of boats should more than 25 teams enter. All clubs must be members of BUSA Sailing.

Please note: An email address is required to be entered effectively within BUCScore as the system uses email addresses as unique identifiers. The email used for each entrant must be unique to maintain validity of their entry. Changing or duplicating an email address for an entrant may result in the entry being overwritten and therefore withdrawn.

Teams must consist of 8 sailors, including 2 females, while racing. Teams are suggested to list at least 2 reserves on BUCScore, but are encouraged to list as many people as possible. Additional reserves can be added via BUCScore until 23.59 on Thursday 10th March 2016. The final and full crew list must be emailed to <a href="mailto:busa@rya.org.uk">busa@rya.org.uk</a> by Friday 11th March 2016, using only those individual registered on BUCScore.



**All sailors** planning to enter BUCS/BUSA Sailing Championships this year need to complete the **Confidential Medical Form 2015/16**. This is a requirement for registration at all BUCS/BUSA Sailing Championships. It is recommended that potential competitors should complete this at an early stage by going to the online Confidential Medical Form <u>found here</u>.

# Additional information required for the BUCScore entry form

- [1] Please select a team colour.
- [2] Please give the name of the Team Captain.
- [3] Please give the Team Captain's email address.
- [4] Please give a contact number for the Team Captain.
- [5] To enter the BUCS Yacht Racing Championships the Sunsail Charter Booking Form and CVs must be submitted along with the BUCScore entry form. This form is available on the Yacht Racing Championship event page of the BUCS website. Please confirm here that you are aware that you need to submit this Sunsail Charter Booking form and CVs in order to finalise your entry.
- [6] I certify that I am authorised to enter the Championships on behalf of all members of the team and the reserves. I understand that changes to this team can only be made in accordance with the Notice of Race. All members of my team and the reserves agree to abide by the Racing Rules of Sailing, the Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions, the decisions of the race officials and the Organising Authority. I confirm that all team members are aware of the BUSA Code of Conduct (on the BUSA website), which will apply to each competitor. Competitors attend as representatives of their university club and, accordingly, BUSA regards the university club, as well as any individual, responsible for the actions of its members. The team captain is responsible for the conduct and behaviour of the team.

## **Pre-event information**

Please read the Notice of Race (NoR) and any subsequently published amendments for further information. Please see the downloads section on the BUCS website Yacht Racing event page for initial pre-event information. Additional pre-event information including the Sailing Instructions and accepted entries will be published by Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2016.

If you have any questions, please get in touch via your Athletic Union.

## Nick Burley

**BUCS Event Coordinator** 

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# Related Downloads on the BUCS website

BUCS Yacht Racing Championships NoR (and any subsequent amendments)

Sunsail Charter Form and CVs

Sunsail F40 Class Rules

BUCS Yacht Racing Championships Accepted Entries List (To be published after entries close)

BUCS Yacht Racing Championships Sailing Instructions (To be published before the event)