

BUCS Yachting Championships 2018 Entry Information

Dates & Venues

Registration and first briefing: Sunday 25th March 2018 at The Port House Café, Port Solent

Briefings: Sunday 25th and Monday 26th March 2018 at The Port House Café, Port Solent. Tuesday 27th-Thursday 29th March 2018 at Tiger Tiger, Gunwharf Quays.

Racing days: Monday 26th - Thursday 29th March 2018 in the Solent

Berthing: Sunday 25th March 2018 at Port Solent, Monday 26th – Wednesday 28th March at Gunwharf Quay, Thursday 29th March 2018 at Port Solent (return boats before 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

19 December 2017

Entry closing date

23.59 Tuesday 23th January 2018.

Entry costs

In order to compete, teams must pay both an entry fee to BUCS/BUSA for the administration and hosting of the event, as well as an entry charter fee and deposit to Sunsail for the boat they will need to charter.

Entry fee per mixed team: £180 (payable to BUCS/BUSA on BUCScore)

Entry Charter fee per mixed team: £1,595 (payable to Sunsail) Entry Charter deposit per mixed team: £3,000 (payable to Sunsail)

BUCS points available

BUCS Yachting Championship:	50	35	24	16	14	12	10	8
BUCS Yachting Trophy:	35	21	14	12	11	9	7	5

Boats

Sunsail Match First 40s



No. Berths	Max No of Berths	Heads	Cabins	Showers	Length	
6	8	1	3	1	41ft	



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 to Peter Fozard. 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 27 spaces, and BUSA will decide the allocation of boats should more than 27 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 Changing, or duplicating, an email address for an entrant may result in the entry being overwritten and, therefore, withdrawn.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. The final crew list must be confirmed by the 16th March 2018 by emailing busa@rya.org.uk.

Please make sure that for each entry you sort competitors into the following order: Helm/Tactics-Pit2/Main/Trim1/Trim2/Pit/Mast/Bow. As well as all crew, any reserves must also be registered on BUCScore by 23.59hrs on Thursday 22nd March 2018.

All sailors planning to enter BUCS/BUSA Sailing Championships this year need to complete the **Confidential Medical Form 2017/18**. 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 found here.

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 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 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 20th March 2018.



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

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Related Downloads on the BUCS website

BUCS Yacht Racing Championships NoR
BUCS Yacht Racing Championships SIs (to be published before the event)
BUCS Yacht Racing Championships Accepted Entries List (to be published after entries close)
BUCS Yacht Racing Championships Sunsail Charter Form and CVs