

## **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS FOR EAST WIGHT REGATTAS**

Entrants for any race in the East Wight Series must have signed a 2025 Entry Form which includes agreement to be bound by the "Risk Statement" in EWCC SI 22 and that they consent to their entry details being held by the organising Club in accordance with that Club's Data Protection policy (see "Privacy Statement" in EWCC SI 23). By entering a race you are agreeing to follow the RYA anti-doping rules. To find out more click on: <https://www.rya.org.uk/club-centre-support/affiliates/club-anti-doping-guidance>

Entrants for handicap races will additionally be required to provide information about their boat and either a YTC or MOCRA rating certificate for cruisers and multihulls or for dinghies a Portsmouth Yardstick number.

Entry Forms will be available on request through Class Secretaries or from the Club Secretaries/Club Managers of the respective Clubs. The Entry Form for entrants under 18 **must** be endorsed by a parent/guardian.

Although BHYC, BSC, SVYC & RVYC follow common RYA Safeguarding standards, they have their own Safeguarding Policies which apply to their shore based and on the water activity. In the event of any safeguarding concerns during a Regatta, the nominated Welfare Officer of the lead Club shall be informed. Contact information for Club Welfare Officers and links to the lead Club's Safeguarding Policy are included in each NoR.

The Club Annual Entry Forms available from BHYC, BSC, SVYC & RVYC are applicable for any race in the East Wight Series. The respective clubs will, on request, provide the Organising Authority with a list of helms/boats in the specified classes who have validly signed an Entry Form. Entrants must also have paid the relevant entry fee, if any, prior to any race they enter.

Keelboats that appear in the vicinity of the Starting Line prior to their Preparatory Signal will be considered as Starters, provided they have complied with these entry requirements.

In addition to complying with these entry requirements, entrants in centreboard dinghies (including small multihulls) must sign the Sign-On Sheet for each race/event in which they compete in accordance with the requirements of the REGISTRATION & BRIEFING section of the relevant Notice of Race.

Clubs of the EWCC implement the RYA Racing Charter and competitors will be required to undertake to sail in compliance with the Charter, which can be found at the front of the RYA rule book (Racing Rules of Sailing 2025-2028) or at: <https://www.rya.org.uk/racing/rules/racing-charter>

In addition to the events included in this programme, some clubs will be running events to support the RYA 'Discover Sailing'. Additionally, supporting "Barts Bash" on Saturday or Sunday 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup> September.

## **NOTICES OF RACE & SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Notices of Race and Sailing Instructions and Conditions of Entry can be downloaded from the EWCC website ([www.ewcc.online](http://www.ewcc.online)) except for the following events which, whilst part of the East Wight Regatta Series, are governed by the Class Rules of their National Authority and will be issued separately; they can also be obtained from the organising Club or downloaded as shown below.

<b>EVENT</b>	<b>CLUB</b>	<b>WEBSITE</b>
WASZP GP Open	RVYC	<a href="https://racehub.waszp.com/eventdetail/489">https://racehub.waszp.com/eventdetail/489</a>
Prince Philip's Cup	SVYC	<a href="http://www.svyc.org.uk">www.svyc.org.uk</a>
Swallow National Championships	BSC	<a href="http://www.bembridgesailingclub.org">www.bembridgesailingclub.org</a>
IW Youth & Junior Dinghy Championships	BHYC & RVYC	<a href="http://www.iwyouthdinghychampionships.co.uk">www.iwyouthdinghychampionships.co.uk</a>
Squib Southern Championships	RVYC	<a href="http://www.rvyc.org.uk">www.rvyc.org.uk</a>
Bembridge Illusion's 2025-2026	BSC	<a href="http://www.bembridgeillusionclassfleet.co.uk">www.bembridgeillusionclassfleet.co.uk</a>