



## NOTICE OF RACE

### UK SNIPE CLASS NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP 2007

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August – Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September

**Organizing Authority:** Snipe Class International Racing Association

**Hosting Club:** Stone Sailing Club, Tinnocks Lane, St. Lawrence Bay, Southminster, Essex CM0 7NF.  
Visit the website [www.stonesc.co.uk](http://www.stonesc.co.uk)

**Rules:** The current Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and the prescriptions of RYA, the SCIRA Rules of Conduct for Conducting National Championships, the Deed of Gift and the Sailing Instructions shall be in effect.

In case of conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the sailing instructions shall prevail.

**Advertising:** This regatta is classified as Category C in accordance with the RRS and SCIRA Advertising Prescription.

**Entry and Eligibility:** This regatta is open to SCIRA registered boats, helm and crew in good standing for 2007 and subject to any Deed of Gift trophy restrictions.

**Registration:** Further details for registration will be sent out later and be on the UK Snipe website [www.snipe.org.uk](http://www.snipe.org.uk)

**Accommodation:** There is free camping available on site at Stone SC, other accommodation can be viewed at [www.snipe.org.uk](http://www.snipe.org.uk) or [www.stonesc.co.uk](http://www.stonesc.co.uk)

**Schedule:**

Registration:	In the club house on Friday morning between 9 and 10.30	
Briefing	Outside the clubhouse at 11.00 Friday 31 <sup>st</sup>	
Racing	<b>Race 1:</b>	Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> August 12.30
	<b>Race 2:</b>	Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> August Back to Back with race 1
	<b>Race 3:</b>	Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> September 11.30
	<b>Race 4:</b>	Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> September Back to Back with race 3
	<b>Race 5:</b>	Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> September Back to Back with race 4
	<b>Race 6:</b>	Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 10.30
	<b>Race 7:</b>	Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September back to back with race 6
Prize giving:	After the last race in the club house approx 15.00	

**Measurement:**

(1) All boats shall provide a valid measurement certificate and are subject to measurement at any time at the discretion of the class or the race committee.

(2) All boats are required to have a current Class decal properly displayed

**Sailing Instructions:** The regatta Sailing Instructions will be available at registration

**Courses:** The courses to be sailed are the Class approved courses for National Championships as published in the current SCIRA Official Handbook.

**“Black Flag”:** The Race Officer will have the option to use Rule 30.3 in this regatta.

**Scoring:** The SCIRA Low Point scoring system will be used. If 4 or more race are sailed one result will be discarded. 3 races sailed will constitute a championship.

**Prizes:** The following Trophies and Cups will be awarded for the 2007 UK National Championship

<b>Skipper International Trophy:</b>	Skipper of the winning boat in the first race
<b>Manchester Cruising Association Trophy:</b>	Skipper of the winning boat in the second race
<b>Stone Sailing Club Trophy:</b>	Skipper of the winning boat in the third race
<b>Percy Douglas Trophy:</b>	Skipper of the winning boat in the forth race
<b>Blue Circle Trophy:</b>	Skipper of the winning boat in the fifth race
<b>Southern Caernarvonshire YC Trophy</b>	Skipper of the winning boat in the sixth race
<b>Gossamer Cup:</b>	Skipper of the winning boat overall
<b>Mc. Inlay Cup:</b>	Crew of the winning boat overall
<b>Medway Cup:</b>	Skipper of the second boat overall
<b>King George SC Trophy:</b>	Crew of the second boat overall
<b>John Broughton Masters Trophy:</b>	Highest placed skipper over the age of 45
<b>Harding Junior Trophy:</b>	Highest place junior skipper

**Social:**

Meals will be laid on at the club on Friday and Saturday evening. Breakfast and lunches will be available in the club.

**SCIRA Representative:**

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**Other information:** Information will be published on the UK SCIRA website as it becomes available at [www.snipe.org.uk](http://www.snipe.org.uk)

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