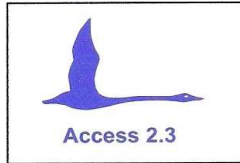


Access Traveller Series

Summary of Main Changes 2010

1. For all ACA(UK) Access racing events 2010 the **Special Class Flags will be used**



as

laid out in the Jan 2010 ACA(UK) Sailing Instructions provided in this events pack.

These flags will be provided on the race day by a member of the ACA(UK).

Before the day check that this has been arranged.

2. Both the **ACA(UK) Sailing Instructions** and the **Special Rules for Access Dinghies** **have changed so please do not** use last year's. The new versions are included in this pack and **are dated as follows: Special Rules = January 2010 and SI's = January 2010 (Amended February).**
3. **The Liberty Class now has its own separate start**, (the liberty start can **only be combined** with the 303 start **if there are less than 3 Liberty's entered**).
4. The Committee of the ACA(UK) decided that taking into account comments made by host club race officers, **the requirement to time each lap be removed** in order to give race officers and their teams less to carry out. In doing so we hope for more reliable ranking of the races and consequently the overall series.
5. Sailors have asked that wherever possible **morning race results are displayed at lunchtime.**
6. **If you intend using club marks** fix a flag to each with its number sequence taken i.e. windward mark = 1 etc. **The Association has dan-buoys** with numbered flags that clip onto the club buoys. If you need these, **please book them at least one month before your event.**
7. We are suggesting an **entry fee** per event of £10 per boat, £7.50 for the host club and £2.50 to be forwarded to the ACA UK. Of course, this is only a suggestion, and each host club is able to make their own decision on the actual entry fee for their event. I remind you that since 2009 entry fees are levied per boat and not per sailor.
8. **Electronic versions of all the documents in this events pack are available on the Association's web site www.accessclass.org.uk.** Go to the "Events" section and the "Running an Access Event" page, and follow the links.

Any questions regarding any of the Events Pack contents or any other issues regarding hosting our events please do not hesitate to contact me on e-mail ron.sawford@btinternet.com / Phone **07710 527536**.

Many thanks. **Ron S**