

**Notice to Competitors**

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Proposed Format for the Practice Races

1. It is the intention of the Race Committee to run a practice race for all three fleets using the planned format that we will be using in the event.
2. The object of the practice race is for the race committee to practice its procedures and give the sailors an opportunity to see how the racing will be organised and to race in the race area.
3. There will be a briefing at 1145 on Sunday 1 September in the front of the Clubhouse for those competitors that wish to attend. This Notice has been written for those who cannot attend the briefing.
4. The B1 fleet will race first with a planned Warning Signal at 1255.
5. The intention is to run one race for the B1 fleet with a target time of 30 minutes which will probably be course LA2. It is our intention to signal a change of course at the gate.
6. The B1 fleet will be sent ashore as they finish and the B2 and B3 fleets will take over the boats and come out as soon as possible for their practice race.
7. It is our intention to start the B2 fleet followed 6 minutes later by a start for the B3 fleet.
8. The intention is to run one race for the B2 and B3 fleets with a target time of 30 minutes which will probably be course LA2. It is our intention to signal a change of course at the gate.
9. If any competitor has any questions they should submit them in writing to the race office. The question and the reply will be posted on the official notice board. Questions may be asked at the briefing and these, along with their answers, will also be posted later.



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