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NOTICE OF RACE - September 9th and 10th 2006

FASTSAIL CLASSES Open Meeting – 420, 470, 505, Fireball, FD, Hornet, Javelin, Osprey & Tempest

1. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 1.1. The event is open to the following classes:
420, 470, 505, Fireball, FD, Hornet, Javelin and Osprey and Tempest Classes
- 1.2. Competitors shall comply with their class membership rules.
- 1.3. Entries shall be made on the Event Entry Form which can be obtained from the Club Office or the club website. – contact details shown above.
- 1.4. Registration will take place from 09.15 on September 9th at the GWSC Race office

2. ADVERTISING

- 2.1. The event is classified as Category 'C'.

3. RULES

The events will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing, the RYA Prescriptions contained therein, the Class Association Rules (as appropriate), this NOR, and the Fast Sail standard SIs except as detailed in any Supplementary Sailing Instructions. Where there is a conflict the SI will prevail.

4. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 4.1. Competitors participate in any race entirely at their own risk. See RRoS rule 4, Decision to Race.
- 4.2. Grafham Water Sailing Club, its members and those assisting in the race organisation will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after any race.

5. SAFETY

- 5.1. Each owner/competitor is responsible for ensuring the boat is equipped and seaworthy.

6. INSURANCE

- 6.1. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £2,000,000.

7. FEES

- 7.1. The entry fee will be £25

8. RACING SCHEDULE

- 8.1. The time for the warning signal for the first race will not be before 1300hrs
- 8.2. There will be as many separate starts as feasible, but individual fleets may start together depending on entry mix and numbers.
- 8.3. Six races are scheduled.
- 8.4. The races each day will be back to back unless conditions dictate otherwise.

9. MEASUREMENT

Competitors and their boats shall comply with their appropriate Class rules.

- 9.1. Measurement certificates shall be available for inspection during the event.

10. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 10.1. Sailing Instructions will be available from the club race office on registration from 9.15am Saturday September 9th

11. VENUE

- 11.1. A map showing the location of GWSC can be obtained from the Club Office or website.

COURSES

- 11.2. Courses will be set at the discretion of the race officer.
- 11.3. Marks and course configurations will be specified in the Sailing Instructions.

12. SCORING

- 12.1. The races will be scored as a series and will be valid if one race is completed.
- 12.2. If four or more races are completed there will be one discard
- 12.3. Prizes will be awarded to first and second placed boat overall in each class.
- 12.4. Additional prizes will be awarded to classes with more than 8 entries as follows
 - 9+ entries a third prize
 - 16 + entries a fourth prize
 - 24 + entries a fifth prize.
- 12.5. Other special prizes may be awarded
- 12.6. Prizes will be presented as soon as possible after racing finishes
- 13. **FURTHER INFORMATION** can be obtained from GWSC by contacting the office at the telephone numbers or email address shown above