



NSSA 12 HOUR RACE INFORMATION



VENUE: Aztec Adventure Upton Warren, B61 7ER
DATE: Saturday 2nd and Sunday 3rd July 2022



Recognised Club

LOCATION

Worcestershire Youth Sailing (WYSA) are delighted to have been selected to host this event and are looking forward to welcoming NSSA members from around the country to Aztec Adventure, Bromsgrove. We are centrally located, within a few miles of exits from the M5, M42, M40, M6 and M1.

ABOUT

This is an exciting new event for NSSA, which we hope will become a favorite and an annual item on our calendar. The 12 Hour Race will run from 8pm on Saturday 2nd to 8am on Sunday 3rd July. We hope to organize other activities (which may incur additional costs), on and off the water including an Aqua Park session. Teams can arrive from 3pm on Saturday and should depart by 11am on Sunday.

SAILING

Teams may enter double-handed dinghies with a PY number of 1100 or higher, excluding boats with bow sprits, and boats will be sailed without trapeze. Sailors should be competent to sail their chosen dinghy. A limited number of pico, vision and bahia dinghies are available for hire. Dinghies and sailors should be illuminated, with a prize for the most dazzling!

ACCOMMODATION, MEALS AND ENTERTAINMENT

There are good changing facilities and showers at Upton Warren. We have use of the camping field where team gazebos can be erected. A gas BBQ will be in operation throughout the event where teams can bring their own food to be cooked; no other form of cooking will be permitted on the campsite. Hot and cold drinks will be freely available throughout the event. We are hoping to arrange additional food provision, including the onsite café for breakfast on Sunday morning. In addition, there is a McDonalds less than a mile away from Upton Warren.

COSTS

Entry Fee:	£20 per sailor (includes hot and cold drinks) TBC
Dinghy hire (if required)	£20 per team TBC
Food:	We are currently having discussions with the on-site café regarding additional food provision.

TROPHIES AND PRIZES

Trophies will be awarded at the end of the event on the Sunday morning for various categories

HOW TO ENTER

Requirements to enter a team to the event:

- Competitors must be aged 18 or under on 31st August in the year of the event.
- and NSSA Membership must be organized before submitting an entry.
- Competitors can only enter as part of a team (minimum of four and maximum of eight sailors in a team)
- Competitors must have an adult Team Manager to be responsible for the team, named on the NSSA Entry Form.
- Competitors must be an individual member of NSSA for the current membership year (1st April 2022 to 31st March 2023).
- The team must be a group member of NSSA for the current membership year (1st April 2022 to 31st March 2023).
- Parents must complete a NSSA Parent/Guardian Declaration Form which is returned to the Team Manager.
- Team managers must produce a NSSA Parent/Guardian Declaration for all sailors at registration for the event.
- Team managers must make full payment for team entry must be made by BACS to WYSA account.
- Team managers (male and female if male and female sailors in the team) must obtain Enhanced DBS clearance for NSSA, RYA or their local association before arriving at the event.
- Entries are limited to 30 teams and will be allocated based on receipt of a completed entry form, full payment of entry fee, full details of current NSSA membership for sailors and the team. If the event is over-subscribed, the NSSA Sailing Committee will reduce the team entries, taking into consideration the above criteria.

WHAT'S NEXT AND CONTACT

As this is a new event for NSSA it is difficult to gauge the level of interest from teams. It would help our organization if team managers would email to indicate their expected level of interest, and any suggestions or requests. We hope to have an entry form available in the near future.

Contact Vivien Brookes – vivien.brookes@gmail.com Updated information for the event will be posted on the NSSA website and Facebook pages – www.nssa.org.uk [NSSA Facebook](#)

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