

Email sent to all competitors on 26.05/21 at 13:30

Good afternoon,

Thank you for entering the ILCA Masters National Championships 2023 proudly hosted by the Royal St. George Yacht Club. We are looking forward to welcoming you to our Club and to a great weekend of racing afloat and fun ashore.

In this mail and attached is all the relevant information you should need to ensure a most enjoyable weekend. A few points to note:

1. All local sailors should launch from their home club, due to the space restrictions at the RSGYC.
2. Travelling sailors please come to the RSGYC gate and call our Boathouse on 086 734 5413 to request access, please note that cars are not permitted on the deck/ forecourt.
3. Sailors briefing will be at 10:30 tomorrow at the RSGYC by the main mast.
4. There is a BBQ planned tomorrow after sailing with seating reserved for all competitors.
5. We will be showing the URC final at 17:00 in the Club house bar.
6. Note that the all available information will be posted via the Virtual Race Office at [this link:](#)
7. Event WhatsApp group can be joined via [this link:](#) and via the Virtual Race Office
8. Tidal information is available in the attached document.

Anything else? Please feel free to reply to this email or contact our office directly on 01 280 1811 ex. 3.

Wishing you the very best of luck and have a great weekend.

Sincerely,

Ronan Adams

Sailing Manager



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Visitor & Competitor Information

Welcome

I write to you on behalf of the Organising Committee of the ILCA Masters National Championships 2023 proudly hosted by the Royal St. George Yacht Club.

We are looking forward to welcoming all sailors and have outlined some relevant information below that will answer some questions and make your trip to Dun Laoghaire stress free.

We have pleasure in granting temporary membership to you and your crew and family members during your stay with us. Please feel free to enjoy the club's facilities and traditional hospitality. I will be available during the event to assist you in any way possible.

We hope that the information below is of assistance and invite you to treat the Royal St. George Yacht Club as your own.

Thank you.

Ronan Adams

RSGYC Sailing Manager

Event Information

Launching/ Recovering

Please note that due to space limitations that all Dun Laoghaire based competitors should launch from their home Club. Visiting boats are to launch from the RSGYC, details below.

Location

Royal St. George Yacht Club, Harbour Rd. Dun Laoghaire. Our Eircode/ Postcode is A96 AY77 . Boats can be dropped off via the side gate at the above address.

Please call our Boathouse on 086 734 5413 if you require access. **RSGYC Boathouse Opening Hours**
Daily 09:00- approx. 21:00 (Sundays close at 20:00)

We are well connected to Dublin City with light Rail (DART) on our doorstep, 24hr service for Dublin City and Airport (Aircoach) and regular taxi services. Dublin City is served daily by Irish Ferries and Stena Line.

Transport Links

Dublin Airport	https://www.dublinairport.com/
Ferry Booking Comparison site	https://www.directferries.ie/dublin_ferry.htm
Stena Line	https://www.stenaline.ie/routes/dublin-holyhead/dublin-port
Irish Ferries	https://www.irishferries.com/ie-en/to-ireland-from-britain/
DART (Light Rail service from Dublin City)	http://www.irishrail.ie/about-us/dart-commuter
The local station opposite the RSGYC is Dun Laoghaire/ Malin	
Airport Transfer (Coach) Hourly service	http://www.aircoach.ie/

Security

Access cards for guests & visitors are available, for a €20 refundable deposit. The access cards provide full access to the Yacht Club and all facilities.

Security cameras monitor the yacht club 24 hours a day. Cards can be collected from the Boathouse upon arrival.

Showers/ Washrooms/ Changing Rooms

Complimentary with access available with access card.

Accommodation

Should you require accommodation it would be advisable to book your accommodation direct as soon as possible as it is high season and it will be very busy.

- Royal Marine Hotel (5 minute walk- Opposite the RSGYC)
www.royalmarine.ie
- Haddington House Hotel: (5 minute walk- Opposite the RSGYC)
<https://haddingtonhouse.ie/>
- Other Bed & Breakfasts & other Hotels:
<https://www.ireland.com/en-us/accommodation/destinations/republic-of-ireland/dublin/dun-laoghaire/>

Car Parking

There is public car parking available throughout Dun Laoghaire Harbour, outside the Royal St. George Yacht Club, adjacent to it on the Carlisle Pier along with an underground car park outside the gates of the Royal St. George Yacht Club. Parking rates start at €5 p/ day. Please ensure that you do pay for parking as cars may be clamped by the Harbour Police. There is no facility for car parking on the Club Forecourt.

Sail Repairs

Downer Sails International available for sail repairs. Paddy Downer can be reached on 086 828 0122.

Club Reading Room

As guests/ temporary member of the RSGYC we invite you to avail of our Club library & Reading Room where complimentary daily papers are available for reading in the room, please do not remove. Complimentary coffee is also available here until 11:00.

WIFI There is complimentary WIFI available throughout the RSGYC, the password is George00.

RSGYC Contact Lists

RSGYC	01 280 1811 ex. 1
RSGYC Sailing Office- Karin Ryan	01 280 1811 ex. 3
RSGYC Boathouse	086 734 5413
RSGYC Sailing Manager- Ronan Adams	086 8900 576

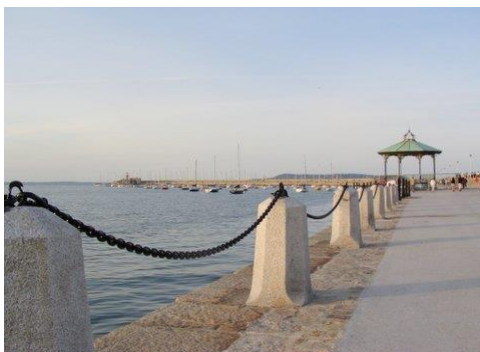
Dun Laoghaire Harbour

Dun Laoghaire Rathdown County Council is developing Dún Laoghaire Harbour as a marine tourism gateway to Ireland, maintaining and enhancing the recreational and amenity value of the Harbour and promoting investment and commercial development to support the historic Harbour's long-term maintenance



It took 42 years to construct the harbour - from 1817 to 1859. During this time, 600 men were employed and the cost was estimated at one million pounds.

Water area:	Approximately 215 acres
Fairway:	Depth 5.5 to 8m with approx. 600 moorings
Throughput:	Over 1,000,000 passengers per annum
Breakwater length:	East Pier 1,290m – West Pier 1,548m
Entrance Width:	232m (between the two piers)



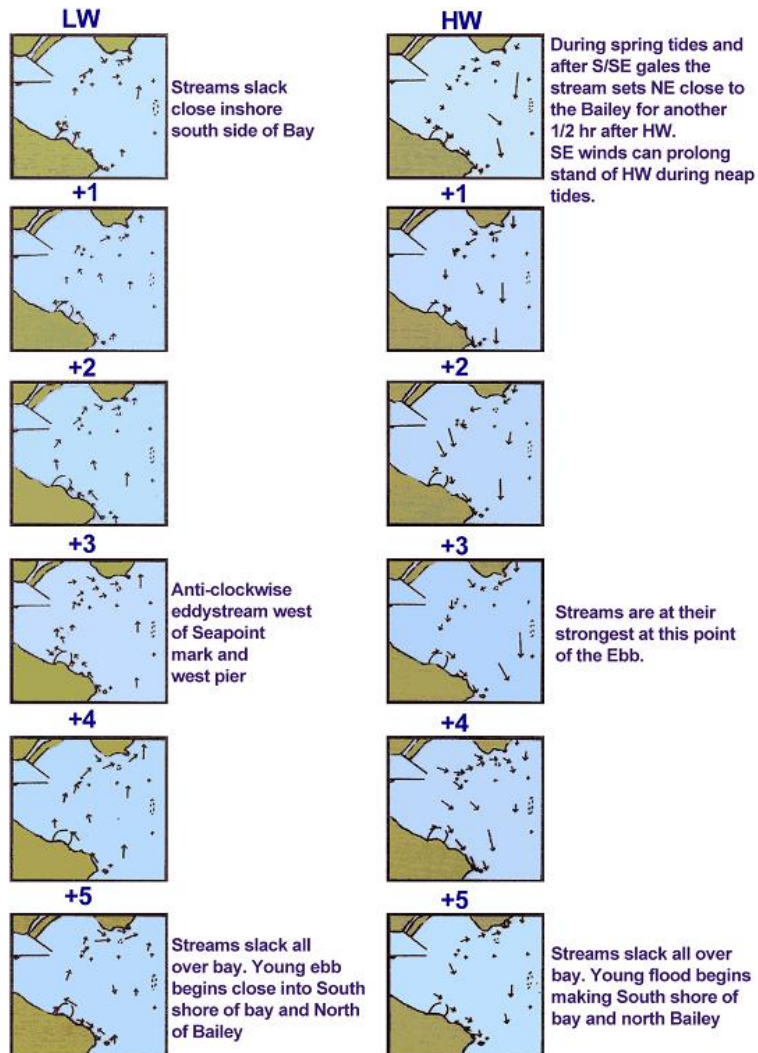
The harbour is notable for its two granite piers, and is widely recognized as being one of the finest artificial harbours in the world

The East Pier is particularly popular with walkers, and approximately 3500 people/day walk the pier.

Ice cream and coffees are served in the Battery, the former munitions store, at the end of the Pier.

Tidal Information Dublin Bay

Tidal Streams



Tide Times- Dun Laoghaire

Date	HW	LW
Sat 27 th May	05:51 (3.4m)	11:56 (1.3m)
	18:43 (3.1m)	
Sun 28 th May	06:56 (3.3m)	12:58 (1.3m)
	19:48 (3.2m)	