

2013 Sailing Instructions
Supplementary Information
Race 4 - lynx metmAstS Pwllheli to Wicklow
Saturday 1st June 2013
Amended 2030hrs 31/05/2013

Sailed under the burgee the National Yacht Club



TIME OF START FOR ALL CLASSES

- 07.40 Warning signal - Class flag (Numerals 1 & 2) hoisted
- 07.41 Preparatory Signal - Blue Peter hoisted
- 07.44 Blue Peter down
- 07.45 Start – Class flag down

The start will be broadcast on VHF Channel 37 (M1)

STARTING LINE

The Start Line is a transit of the orange pole on the foreshore, a white mast with an orange top section on the foreshore and the seaward end of the line is bounded by a large yellow outfall buoy 52° 52.747'N 04° 23.960'W

THE COURSE

1. **Start line** (As defined)
2. **Finish Line** (As defined)

The course will be texted and emailed to all entries and shall be available in the Pwllheli Sailing Club on Friday evening before the race. The course shall be broadcast on VHF Channel 37 (M1) before the start.

Lynx metmAstS will be awarding the "lynx metmAstS Perpetual Offshore" Trophy to the Overall winner of the race. A replica of the trophy to be kept by the winner will also be awarded.



FINISH LINE

The finish line will be between the East Pier Light and a red buoy positioned approx 150m north-east of the pier head, leaving the buoy to starboard (crossing the line in a northerly direction) – Note the outer distance mark is **NOT** the Yellow Flashing Outfall Buoy.

(First boat on water to telephone ISORA WICKLOW Finisher on +353 87 2234863 or +353 40467526 when estimate 60 minutes from Finish Line)

Boats approaching the finish should contact "ISORA Finisher" on Ch 37 (M1) when 30 minutes from the finish and again at 10 minutes from the finish. Please note that the finisher will only have a handheld radio and you may not receive an acknowledgment to the first contact.

The time rounding each mark and the finish time should also be recorded in the log by each boat and sent by text to +353 87 2545037. The boats GPS should be used for the time adjusted for BST. This text is by way of a mandatory Declaration.

There is no time limit. At night all boats shall radio the finisher when crossing the finish line. The finisher shall be on the line for 2 hours after the second boat finishes. After that all boats shall record their own finish time.

RETIREMENTS

Telephone Wicklow ISORA Finisher on +353 87 2234863 or +353 40467526 **AND** text +35387 2545037.

For safety it is recommended to also inform the coastguard

BERTHING IN PWLLHELI.

Berthing will be available at Pwllheli marina – Ch 80 and 37 (M1), call sign "Hafan Pwllheli". The marina office has been advised of the race and visiting boats.

CATERING IN PWLLHELI SAILING CLUB.

Catering with a full menu will be available in Pwllheli Sailing Club on Friday evening. Restaurant closes 21.00.

Breakfast will be provided in Pwllheli Sailing Club on Saturday morning in time for racing by arrangement on Friday evening.

Lynx metmAsts PRE-RACE RECEPTION

Lynx metmAsts have invited all entrants and their crew to a Wine & Finger Food Buffet reception to be held in Pwllheli Sailing Club on Friday 31st May from 18.30 till 20.00.



Special Note on Tides at Pwllheli:

All competitors are advised pay careful attention to the tide heights and times and leave the pontoons before 0715hrs on Saturday. Refer to tidal curves provided.

Complementary lynx metmAsts Crew bus to Pwllheli:

Complementary transfer will be available to meet the 13.30 HSS from Dun Laoghaire to Holyhead on Friday. If you intend using this concession, please text Peter Ryan at +353 87 2545037 before mid-day Thursday to reserve your place otherwise places cannot be guaranteed.