

Notice of Series

Northern 29er Traveller Series 2023-24

The Northern 29er Traveller Series has been created to encourage participation in 29er racing in Scotland and the North of England.

1 SERIES EVENTS

1.1 The series will consist of the following events:

<i>NS 1</i>	23-24 Sept 2023	North	NEYTYS	Sunderland YC
<i>NS 2</i>	14-15 Oct 2023	GP2	29er National Grand Prix	Pwllheli
<i>NS3</i>	21-22 Oct	Scotland		Dalgety Bay SC
<i>NS4</i>	2-3 Dec	GP3	29er National Grand Prix	Rutland SC
<i>NS5</i>	TBC			
<i>NS6</i>	TBC			

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1 The Northern 29er Traveller Series is open to any 29er sailors who live or attend school in either Scotland or the North of England (as defined by the RYA NW and NE regions)

2.2 There are no entry requirements of fees for this series. (There will be entry fees for the individual events).

3 SCORING

3.1 Scoring for the Northern 29er Traveller Series only, will accrue to the individual crew members, not the boat; all competitors (helms and crews) will be scored individually.

3.2 In events where 29ers are racing in a handicap fleet, the results of the 29er fleet will be extracted from the overall results as if no other boats were present.

3.3 Scores in each event will be awarded to eligible sailors as follows:

1st Helm	Score = Number of 29ers that started in that event +5
1st Crew	Score = Number of 29ers that started in that event +5
2nd Helm	Score = Number of 29ers that started in that event +5 minus 1
2nd Crew	Score = Number of 29ers that started in that event +5 minus 1
3rd Helm	Score = Number of 29ers that started in that event +5 minus 2
3rd Crew	Score = Number of 29ers that started in that event +5 minus 2
And so on	

3.4 Event scores will be excluded as follows:

- When three or fewer events have been completed, no event score will be excluded.
- When four events have been completed, one event score will be excluded.
- When five or six events or more have been completed, two event scores will be excluded.

- 3.5 When a competitor does not enter or register at an event, their event score for that event will be zero.
- 3.6 The competitor with the highest series score wins and others will be ranked accordingly.
- 3.7 RRS A8 will be used to break series ties, replacing “boat” with “competitor” and “race” with “event”.

4 PRIZES

- 4.1 Series prizes will be awarded for first, second and third overall
- 4.2 Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the series organisers and the sponsors.
- 4.3 Prizes will be awarded at the last event of the series, after the prizes for the last event.

5 DATA PROTECTION

- 5.1 The class privacy policy is available on the class website.
- 5.2 By entering and competing in any event of the series, the parents/guardians and sailor agree that any motion pictures, still pictures, live, taped or filmed television and written reports may be published on websites or social media. If you do not agree to this, please notify the organisers by email listed in section 6.

6 FURTHER INFORMATION

- 6.1 For further information please contact:
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