

Squib East Coast Championships 2024

Additional Competitor Information

RSGYC Royal St George Yacht Club, Dun Laoghaire. Co. Dublin (adjacent Carlisle Pier). Eircode A96

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Arrival Please let us know by way of <u>return email</u>, of your expected arrival time on Friday or

Saturday morning. The Club will be accessible from 0800 on Saturday morning.

Upon Arrival Drive up to the side gate of the Club and call 086 734 5413 (Club Boathouse) to request

access. Access will be available on Friday up to 2000, and Saturday from 0800. When the gate opens, drive down to the bottom of the ramp, and unhook your trailer/ boat. Any gear required should be removed from your car immediately. Remove your car at this point, to the adjacent public car park (€5 p/ day). Be sure to use a parking ticket- some say that the parking wardens hide behind walls ready to ticket as soon as cars are left

without tickets! We do not have space on the Club deck for any cars.

Rigging Please have your mast rigged before requesting a launch on our cranes.

Launching Please allow plenty of time for launching and recovery. We are a busy Club with multiple

activities taking place all weekend, patience and cooperation with your fellow sailors will

be appreciated.

We will be launching boats up to 1900 on Friday evening and from 0900 on Saturday morning. Please have your lifting strops attached and ready for use. If you don't have a lifting strop, some strops will be available. Shackle the strops to the keel bolts and tie the ropes securely and tightly to both sides of the boat. Do not attach your backstay until

launched.

Berthing Remember to bring adequate fenders and lines, it may be choppy at the berths, plenty of

fenders are recommended. Upon launch, please move your boat away from the crane to the berths as advised by the Boathouse team. We expect Squibs to be docked three deep.

Use your own painters and fenders.

Trailer Storage Trailers will be stored on the RSGYC deck or adjacent to the Club. The RSGYC Boathouse

team will advise upon arrival. Please ensure that your trailer is clearly identifiable with

the Boat Name and sail number.

Race Office <u>Virtual Race Office</u>

Jury office Deck level of the Royal St George Yacht Club.

Results & **Official Notice Board**

Available via the Virtual Race Office.

Catering

Catering will be available each day in the Royal St George Yacht Clubs-morning coffee from 0900 daily with pastries, lunch rolls & sandwiches, fresh soup, bar food all day, and evening meals. Menus in Bar & Dining Room. Saturday evening's dinner will be at 1900 in the Club Room downstairs where the bar will also be open. If you need extra tickets for Saturday's dinner, ring 012801811 and make a booking as soon as possible.

First Aid Platform, Royal St George Yacht Club

Lost & Found Inside the internal doors of the Men's and Ladies Changing Rooms

Wifi Wifi is available in the club for competitors: RSGYC Password: george00

Water It is safe to drink water from the tap and fountains. Please bring your refillable bottles.

Electricity 220 V

Security

A secure facility is offered to sailors for small items such as phones, wallets etc. while on the water. Items can be deposited outside the Men's changing room in the RSGYC in the small lockers. No personal belongings should be left in the changing rooms unattended or the Clubhouse overnight. Valuables should not be left in the changing rooms. The Club will accept no responsibility for any loss or damage.

Commercial Shipping – Strict warning is given by the Dun Laoghaire Rathdown County Council and the Dublin Port Authority that competitors must always keep well clear of ferries and other commercial shipping in the area. Competitors must comply with these warnings. Boats must keep to the sides of the harbour and not attempt to cross the bows of any commercial shipping. Any boats obstructing Commercial Shipping are liable to face large fines.

Recovery

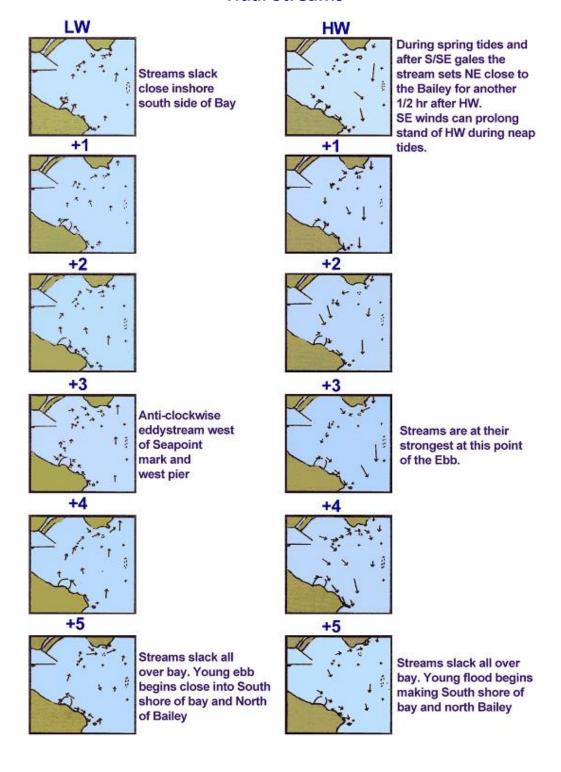
Boats will be lifted out as soon as they are ready after racing concludes on Sunday. With two cranes, we can lift boats quickly. Please only request a lift once you are ready to be lifted to ensure efficient lifting for all. Once lifted, boats must be relocated away from the crane to allow continued use of the crane.

Boat collection When ready for collection, boats should be wheeled to the bottom of the Club ramp where you can then reverse your car down the ramp to hitch up and take away the boat. Please do not request access to the deck for your car until your boat is ready to take away. There are no cars permitted on the deck other than for quick collection.

Questions?

Please email us or call the Sailing Office on 01 280 1811. RSGYC Boathouse can be reached at 086 734 5413

Tidal Streams



Venue Map





Dun Laoghaire Harbour (click link for additional information)

Dún Laoghaire Rathdown County Council (DLRCOCO) is the statutory commercial body charged with 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 Harbour's 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.