

## NOTICE OF RACE

# RORC NORTH SEA RACE

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2015

Harwich to Scheveningen  
RORC Overall Series (Points Factor 1.20)  
EAORA Overall Series  
EAORA Youth Programme Race

### Organising Authority:

Royal Ocean Racing Club in association with the Royal Harwich Yacht Club; East Anglian Offshore Racing Association and the Yacht Club Scheveningen



**Prize giving:** At "Visafslag" in Scheveningen at 1600 (local) on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2015.

**High Water:** Harwich 1006 BST 3.8M

**Warning Signals:** First warning signal is at 1020 near the entrance of Harwich Harbour.

**Classes:** IRC; IRC Two-Handed; ORC, ORC Two-Handed; Class40; Multihull.

**Start Line:** A line near the entrance of Harwich Harbour

**Course:** Harwich to Scheveningen via Smith's Knoll and MSP buoys. The full course including all marks will be detailed in the RORC Sailing Instructions. (180 miles approximately)

**Finish Line:** See the RORC Sailing Instructions.

**Trophies:** Goeree Challenge Cup – BCT IRC; Wylie Trophy – IRC Z; Lutine Trophy - IRC 1; Joannes Pompejus Memorial Cup - IRC 2; Carter-Ruck Trophy – IRC3; Jan Moreton Salver - IRC 4; Golden Dragon Trophy – for the Two-Handed class; Smith's Knoll Trophy – for the first long course yacht at Smith's Knoll Buoy; City of Hague Trophy – for the best yacht from Yacht Club Scheveningen; C70 Trophy – Holland v GB; RORC Prizes – Multihulls, RORC Medallions. For the ORC Club classes - Cruising YC of Australia Trophy; Veerhaven Trophy; Lora Challenge Cup; ; Maas Challenge Cup; Zwerver Cup; Charlie Mills Memorial Trophy – Best overall EAORA East Coast Club yacht

**Entries Close:** Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2015

**Tracking:** It will be mandatory for all boats to carry an Offshore Tracker unit. These are standalone units which will be provided by RORC. A signature will be required against the value of the tracker.

**Charts:** 1408; 1406; 1183 or Imray C1 & C25

**Entry Fee:** Entry via RORC entry system - see RORC web site [www.RORC.org](http://www.RORC.org)

**Notes:** SPECIAL RORC REGULATIONS: Offshore Special Regulations Category 3 with RORC prescriptions plus Category 2 Liferaft and AIS Transponder. See RORC Notice of race 1.5.6.

STABILITY AND SAFETY INDICES: See the RORC notice of race 1.6

**Safety:** When leaving the River Orwell/ Harwich Harbour all competitors must follow the yacht track advised by Harwich Haven Authority and not race in the deep water channel

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