

2026 ILCA Women's Regatta
14th June 2026

Organised by the ILCA UK Class Association

Venue: Rutland Sailing Club

Sponsored by: Rooster & Sailingfast

The Organising Authority (OA) is the Burton Sailing Club in conjunction with the ILCA UK.

NOTICE OF RACE

The notation '[NP]' in a rule in the Notice of Race (NoR) means that a breach of this rule will not be grounds for a protest or request for redress by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1 and 61.1(a).

1 RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- 1.2 RRS Appendix T, *Arbitration*, will apply.
- 1.3 [NP][DP] RRS 40.1 will apply when on or near the water.
- 1.4 Competitors should note that Burton Sailing Club implement the RYA Racing Charter and that they [competitors] will be required to undertake to sail in compliance with the Charter which can be found at the front of the RYA rule book (Racing Rules of Sailing 2025 - 2028)
- 1.5 All competitors agree to be bound by the Bye-Laws of Burton Sailing Club.

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions (SIs) will be available at [Open Meetings](#) by 1st June 2026.

3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 Prior to the event any notices and subsequent changes will be posted on the ILCA UK Portal.
- 3.2 During the event, the official notice board will be in the notice board near the changing rooms in the club house clubhouse. Results will also be posted on ILCA UK Website.
- 3.3 [NP][DP] While racing, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The event is open to ILCA 4, 6 and 7 boats.
- 4.2 Entry is open only to people who identify as female.
- 4.3 Entry will be via the [ILCA UK Portal](#).
- 4.4 All competitors shall be members of ILCA UK. Temporary membership will be available for the event within the entry options.
- 4.5 All sailors less than 18 years of age on 13th June 2026 shall complete and submit a parent/Guardian Declaration with their entry via the ILCA UK Portal.
- 4.6 Entries must be received by midnight on **Tuesday 9th June 2026**. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Race Officer and Class and will incur £40 late entry fee.

5 FEES

The entry fee is for the weekend event including coaching day (Saturday), Saturday dinner, shore activities and racing (Sunday) is £100 for ILCA UK members, £110 to include weekend membership.

6 FORMAT OF RACING

The event will consist of a single series of races for each fleet. Depending on entry numbers, starts for fleets may be combined.

7 SCHEDULE

7.1 Up to six races will be sailed on Sunday 14th June 2026.

7.2 Registration will take place on Sunday 14th June between 08:00-08:30 in the clubhouse

7.3 There will be a briefing for competitors on Sunday 14th June at 09:15 outside the clubhouse near the front doors.

7.4 The first warning signal will be at 10:00. Races will be held back to back with a short break ashore for lunch (not included).

7.5 No warning signal will be made after 16:00.

7.6 A prizegiving will be held after the completion of racing.

8 EQUIPMENT INSPECTION [NP][DP]

There will be no inspection of equipment at the event but competitors are expected to conform to the Class Rules including any rules on clothing weight control.

9 VENUE

The venue is Burton Sailing Club Foremark Reservoir, Repton Road, Milton, Repton, Derby, DE65 6EG. The courses will be sailed on Foremark Reservoir.

10 COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be described in the SIs.

11 PENALTY SYSTEM

Scoring penalty RRS 44.3 does not apply.

12 SCORING

12.1 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

12.2 (a) When three races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

(b) When from four to six races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

13 SUPPORT PERSON VESSELS

Support person vessels are not allowed. Coaches from Saturday may coach the back of the fleet and be available to all for questions between races.

14 BERTHING [NP][DP]

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the boat park.

15 PRIZES

15.1 Prizes will be awarded to the top three in each fleet.

15.2 Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Organising Authority.

16 DATA PROTECTION

The personal information you provide to the Organising Authority will be used to facilitate your participation in the event. If you have agreed to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and the other rules that govern the event (the rules), the legal basis for processing that personal information is contract. If you are not bound by the rules, the legal basis for processing that personal information is legitimate interest. Your personal information will be stored and used in accordance with the Organising Authority's privacy policy. When required by the rules, personal information may be shared with the RYA, your national authority and/or World Sailing. The results of the event and the outcome of any hearing or appeal may be published.

17 RISK STATEMENT

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RRS 3 states: "The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone." Sailing is by its nature an unpredictable sport and therefore inherently involves an element of risk. By taking part in the event, each competitor agrees and acknowledges that:

- (a) they are aware of the inherent element of risk involved in the sport and accept responsibility for the exposure of themselves, their crew and their boat to such inherent risk whilst taking part in the event;
- (b) they are responsible for the safety of themselves, their crew, their boat and their other property whether afloat or ashore;
- (c) they accept responsibility for any injury, damage or loss to the extent caused by their own actions or omissions;
- (d) their boat is in good order, equipped to sail in the event and they are fit to participate;
- (e) the provision of a race management team, patrol boats and other officials and volunteers by the event organiser does not relieve them of their own responsibilities;
- (f) the provision of patrol boat cover is limited to such assistance, particularly in extreme weather conditions, as can be practically provided in the circumstances.

18 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of £3,000,000 per incident or equivalent.

19 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact Chritine Statham (women@ilca.uk).

END OF NOTICE OF RACE

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

NOTICE TO ALL VISITORS - Invasive Species Procedure.

Before launching, all competitors are required to ensure that – your boat has been 'Checked, Cleaned and Dried' for a minimum of two days prior to arriving at Burton Sailing Club.

It is important that the Check, Clean, and Dry principles are adhered to before the boat is launched elsewhere to prevent the spread of the non-native species to other locations in the UK.

ACCOMMODATION

Camping for tents and caravans is free and available on site for 1 night before the event and during the event by prior arrangement email: sailing.sec@burtonsailingclub.co.uk

Please note we do not have electric hookup or waste disposal facilities.

Dogs are allowed on site but must always be under control and are not permitted in the clubhouse or training centre.

SITE ACCESS & PARKING

The car park nearest to the club house is for fishermen and visitors. Cars are permitted within the dinghy park to allow dropping or collection of boats and equipment but must be removed immediately to a designated car parking area.

GALLEY

The Galley will be serving breakfast cobs, lunch and have a selection of hot and cold drinks, which will be available to purchase on the day.

Please indicate on the pre-registration form if you would require the galley and any allergies or dietary requirements.

The bar will also be open after the racing.

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We have arranged for use of the rally field for our event for tents and camper vans/ motorhomes. **This does not need to be booked**; Fiona Attwell will collect the payments on the weekend. Costs range from £7-£14 per night. There is no hook up, but there is 24 hour access to the club toilets.

Contact the RSC office for information about other on site accommodation.

The bar and catering will be on offer throughout the weekend.

Included for competitors:

Saturday dinner of lasagne and salad followed by cheesecake – timing tbc, likely to be from 7pm.

There is an option on entry to add the lasagne meal +pud for accompanying friends/parents/siblings - £12 per person.

There will be a social for all in the dry bar on Saturday after the meal.

Yoga warm up free to all will take place at 8am on Sunday.

Accompanying persons may pay for day sailing at the office, including to join with club racing on Sunday 29 June. Please contact the RSC office for details.

Rooster Sailing are supporting us with a heavily discounted event long-sleeved tech top within the entry price. **Please select your size during entry**. The plan is for these to be in the grey, but we may have to accept blue or white if they run out of sizes. Size chart link on this page [Quick Dry UVF 50+ Tech T-Shirt | Long Sleeve Sun Protection – ROOSTER UK](#)

Dogs – please check the Rutland Sailing Club website for the Club's dog policy.

Drones are not permitted.