Wimbleball Sailing Club

Notice of race. The "Exmoor Beastie" 3 hour Pursuit Race, 18th March 2018

1. **Eligibility Limits.** This is an open invitation event for boats having a PY of 1205 and faster, Wimbleball Sailing Club will use "Great Lakes" handicap system maximum hull length 20 feet. At the absolute discretion of the Race committee slower boats may be started at times before the 3 hour start. It is recommended that any such entrants contact the Race committee before arrival.
2. **Entry Fee. £10 for single hander's, £5 if under 18, £15 for double hander's**, which sum includes temporary Club Membership for competitors and guests for the duration of the event.
3. **Racing.** Racing will be governed by the "rules" as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing, RYA prescriptions, Class and Wimbleball Sailing Club local rules.
4. **Rules.** The following rules will be changed by the sailing instructions,
    - Rule 40 & the Part 4 preamble (personal floatation devices),
    - Rules 61.3 & 62.2 (time limits for protest and requests for redress)
5. **Registration.** This is required on the attached slip, not later than 30 minutes before the initial start. Under 18 competitors must have parental consent (form to be completed).
6. **Race Start Time**. Not before 12.00hrs for boats having a PY of 1205 and faster, except as set out in 1 above. A table of later start times will be displayed for other faster craft.
7. **Warning Signal.** 5 minutes before the initial start.
8. **Finishing.** Finishing positions will be directly related to actual finishing order on the Lake at the end of the 3 hour period, timed from the initial start.
9. **Prizes.** Will be determined in relation to the number of entries.
10. **Sailing Instructions**. These and local rules, together with a course map will be available in the Clubhouse from 10.00 hrs onwards.
11. **Insurance**. Each craft must be insured with valid third party liability insurance, the minimum cover to be £3m per event.
12. **Protection.** Wet suits or dry suits must be worn when afloat.
13. **Camping.** Not permitted inside Club grounds.
14. **Data Protection Act 1998.** The data entered below will be used by Wimbleball Sailing Club (WSC) to process your race entry and publish results on the WSC website and sailing press. Photographs may also be taken and used by WSC for publicity purposes. If you object to this use please mark the 'No publicity box with a 'X'. ☐
15. **Further information.** Contact Tony Paine 01823 663906 appaine@aol.com
    www.**wimbleballs**c.org.uk

ENTRY FORM for the "Exmoor Beastie" 3 hour Pursuit Race at Wimbleball Lake on Sunday 18 March 2018

Helm Name		Home Club	
Address		Craft	
		Sail number	
		PY	
Post Code		**START No**	
Crew Name			

I enclose my entry fee of £ as above,
I confirm that I will be bound by the rules, conditions and restrictions referred to on the "Notice of Race" accompanying this entry form.

Signed. Dated 18 March 2018

E-mail address for future "Beastie" details .....