

Notice of Race FjordSailing Shetland Race 2013

Bergen - Shetland Races 2013

The Bergen Shetland Races 2013, incorporating a rally for cruising boats, will be conducted on the waters of Bergen, the North Sea and the approach to Lerwick Harbour and vice versa. The race is organized and conducted by the Hordaland Sailing association of Norway with the cooperation of the Lerwick Boating Club of Shetland.

Ålesund - Shetland Races 2013

Ålesund Shetland Races 2013, incorporating a rally for cruising boats, will be conducted on the waters of Ålesund, the North Sea and the approach to Lerwick Harbour and vice versa. The race is organized and conducted by Ålesund Seilforening and the Hordaland Sailing association of Norway with the cooperation of the Lerwick Boating Club of Shetland.

1 RACE

The start signal for the race Bergen Shetland will be signalled at 1100 UTC (1300 local Norwegian time) on Wednesday 19 June 2013. The start of the race will be in Korsfjorden, south of Bergen, Norway and the finish will be in Lerwick Harbour, Shetland. The race is a 194 nautical mile passage race.

The start signal for the race Ålesund Shetland will be signalled at 0500 UTC (0700 local Norwegian time) on Wednesday 19 June 2013. The start of the race will be in Breidsundet, west of Ålesund, Norway and the finish will be in Lerwick Harbour, Shetland. The race is a 251 nautical mile passage race.

The start signal for the return race to Bergen will be signalled at 1000 UTC (1100 local Shetland time) on Sunday 23 June 2013. The start of the race will be in Lerwick Harbour, Shetland and the finish will be in Korsfjorden, south of Bergen, Norway. The return race is a 194 nautical mile passage race. Details of the course will be included in the Sailing Instructions.

The start signal for the return race to Ålesund will be signalled at 1000 UTC (1100 local Shetland time) on Sunday 23 June 2013. The start of the race will be in Lerwick Harbour, Shetland and the finish will be in Breidsundet, west of Ålesund, Norway. The return race is a 251 nautical mile passage race. Details of the course will be included in the Sailing Instructions.

2 RULES

2.1 General

The race is regulated under [ISAF IOSR Category 3 race with Life Raft](#).

Amendments to category 3 with Life Raft:

- 3.28.1 e) An inboard propulsion engine shall be provided for yachts
- At least the skipper or one crew member shall have ISAF Approved Offshore Personal Survival Training course.

The race will be governed by the current versions of:

[The rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing \(RRS\) for 2013-2016](#)

[The International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea \(IRPCAS\)](#)

[ISAF The Equipment Rules of Sailing](#)

[ISAF IOSR Category 3 race with Life Raft](#)

this Notice of Race (“NoR”), except as any of these are modified by the Sailing Instructions.

2.2 International Regulations

Whilst a boat in the Cruising Division is operating under its engine the relevant parts of the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea will replace the rules of RRS, Part 2 in their application to that boat.

2.3 Amendments

The Organizing Authority reserves the right to amend this Notice of Race. Amendments will be published on the event website (www.shetland-race.no). Amendments will also be sent to all entrants.

2.4 Sailing Instructions

The Sailing Instructions will be issued at, and may be available prior to, the skippers meeting. Thereafter, the Sailing Instructions will be available on request. The Sailing Instructions will also be published on the event website.

3 Tracking

TBA

4 Respite system

All yachts will compete in LYS handicap system.

5 Crew limit

Every entered boat shall have a crew of minimum 4 persons. This does not apply to “Double Handed” class where there should be 2 persons onboard.

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