



BRUCE WAKE 2010 ACCESS CLASS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS SKUD 18 International Championship

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Entries to Date

When entries closed on 24 April there were 80 entries from 10 countries with 27 requests for chartered boats. See www.accessclass.org.uk/sspage-events-2010-combined-access-worlds-2010-access-worlds-entries-to-date.html for the full list.

Evening Meals during the Event

All competitors are automatically booked in for the Opening Dinner on Sunday, 6th, the Barbeque on Tuesday, 8th, and Closing Dinner on Friday 11th June. Some helpers and supporters have also booked these meals. As numbers are critical for the two dinners, no additional requests can be accepted.

On other evenings, the kitchen will be open, but those wishing to have their evening meal at the Sailing Club will need to book these by the end of the lunch period on the day. Full details, including evening meal times, will be notified to all participants on registration. On Thursday, 10 June, meals must be taken before 7.30pm so that the kitchen staff can cater for the club members who race on that evening.

Special Dietary Requests

All sailors and helpers who have already booked evening meals or packed lunches must advise any special dietary requirement – vegetarian, gluten free etc. – as soon as possible to the Race Office, access2010@live.co.uk. **No notification, no special meals!**

Equipment to bring

For chartered boats, competitors are required to bring their **own sails** correctly marked up as required by the Notice of Race Amendment 1, unless special arrangements have been made.

Competitors are also required to bring their own **Personal Flotation Devices (PFDs) with permanent buoyancy** as notified in the recent amendment to the Notice of Race. Those who need transferring by hoist will also need to bring their **own slings**.

Helpers who will need to go onto the pontoons must also bring their **own PFDs** or they will not be allowed to assist on pontoons.

An additional item for those boats with batteries for servo control systems is a **Battery Charger** which can be used with a UK electrical socket. Batteries will have to be removed for recharging at overnight accommodation.

Useful websites:

1. Access Class Association (UK) – www.accessclass.org.uk/ – for all information;
2. International Access Class Association – www.accessclass.org/ – for class rules etc.;
3. Rutland Sailing Club – <http://rutlandsc.co.uk/cms/index.php> – for local information;
4. Rutland Sailability – www.rutland-sailability.org/.

Race Office email address: access2010@live.co.uk – for all queries.