

BWSW National Ski Racing Championships

Round 1: 20th & 21st April 2013

Race Information Pack



Welcome to round 1 of the 2013 BWSW National Water Ski Racing Championships hosted by The Stone Watersports Club on the weekend of the 20th & 21st April 2013. Please find enclosed details about the club and program of events for the race weekend.

The venue: The Stone Watersports Club
 58 Main Road
 St Lawrence
 Essex, CM0 7NT
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 www.stonewatersports.net
 admin@stonewatersports.net

Organiser: Martyn Robinson
 Tel: 07916 587242
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Officials: Chief Judge: Derek Blackmore
 Assistant Judge: TBA
 Start Boat: TBA
 Scrutineers: Darren Elliot
 Rod Hawkins
 Gary Clark
 Time Keeper: Cathy Bird

 First Aid/Paramedics: 1st Medicare

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Campers

There are a limited number of spaces for campers within the club car park for race weekend, these spaces do NOT have water or electric hookup. There are plenty of spaces for campers on the St Lawrence Holiday Park, situated less than 500 yards up the road, with both water and electric hookup. Email Martyn to book spaces at the St Lawrence holiday Park.

Parking campers at the club will need to be pre booked with Martyn via email and will be at a cost of £45 for the weekend, By reply, Martyn will supply a plot number. If you do not have a plot number you will not be able to park on the club grounds.

Car parking

The club has limited parking for visiting teams and spectators and as we need to cater for our members, we are requesting that only 1 car per race team park within the club, additional cars can park just round the corner at the sailing club or further up the road in the public car park.

Club House

The club house will be open from 5pm to 11pm on Friday 19th April with basket meals and drink available. Saturday 20th April, the club house will be open from 8:30am to 12:00pm with a buffet style dinner served from 6:00pm. Entertainment on the Saturday evening will be a live music act. Sunday 21st April, the club house will be open from 7:00am with a buffet style breakfast being served from 7:15.

Noise

The Stone Watersports Club is situated in the small village of St Lawrence and although most of our neighbours are very accommodating could you please make sure that noise is kept to a minimum after 10:30pm and no generators after 9:00pm.

On The Water

If you Practice on Saturday afternoon/evening, please turn right towards the power station when exiting the moorings and the 8 knot buoys. We have some shallow areas at lower tides so please ask advice at the club if you don't know the waters. There can be a large number of sailing boats on the river blackwater, please remember that they have right away over powered crafts, please pass to the right when passing from behind. There is an 8 knot speed limitation 200 meters around the whole of the river blackwater.

Anyone who needs to arrange scrutineering and signing in on the Sunday morning must do so by appointment only, please contact Martyn to arrange.

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Local Accommodation

The Green Man

Bradwell-On-Sea, Distance 4.7 Miles

<http://greenmanbradwellonsea.co.uk/>

Twin/Double

£80.00 pppn B&B

The Star

Steeple, Distance 2.8 Miles

<http://www.starsteeple.co.uk/>

Twin/Double

from £40.00 pppn RO

Bellropes

Bradwell-On-Sea 2.5 Miles

<http://www.bedandbreakfast-bradwellonsea.co.uk/>

Single/ Double/Twin/Family

from £30.00 pppn B&B

Waterside Holiday Park

01621 779248

St Lawrence Bay

Essex

The Red Lion

01621 740298

47 The Street

Latchingdon

Essex

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Directions to Stone Watersports Club

The routes to Stone from the main roads are country lanes with little other than countryside views. The routes given below should help most people reach their destination with little problem. Although there are some petrol stations on the local roads nearer to Stone, they are necessarily recommended for larger campers and boats, so we suggest you fill up before you get to Stone. There is a large BP garage on the A13 that is more than suitable for the larger setups.

Directions from the West of London or the South of London.

Follow the A13 east to the A130,

Turn left onto the A130 from the A13,

Come off the A130 at the first junction onto the A132 to South Woodham,

Use near side lane and follow sign for 'All Other Routes' NOT Wickford,

At the 1st roundabout take the 3rd exit to South Woodham,

Straight over the next 2 roundabouts, then take a left (1st exit) at the next roundabout towards Burnham. A short distance up the hill, turn left towards Cold Norton,

Follow road through Stow Maries, then Cold Norton, straight over 2 mini roundabouts, through Latchingdon, At next mini roundabout turn left towards Bradwell, follow road through Mayland then Steeple. After a couple of miles follow the signs and take a left towards St Lawrence Bay and Stone,

Follow road through St Lawrence and Stone Watersports Club is a right turn near the end of the road.

Directions From North of London

Come off the M25 @ Junction 29 the A127. Follow the A127 to the junction with the A130, take the A130 towards Chelmsford, then follow directions above from the A130.

Direction Signs

There will be Stone Watersports Club signs placed from the A127 and A13 which will hopefully assist in the directions.