



Welcome to Wexford Harbour Boat and Tennis Club for the Connaught Laser Championships 2021

A special thanks to our sponsors, **ASTONLARK Insurance**, we are delighted to have them onboard.

The following will give you, as competitors, some information about this event and WHBTC.

All competitors and supports must complete the Covid 19 declaration form
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1MmdHCB8UnLKIzz8ZGN6dYmDTyZoyA5U0codWfvRrzGI/edit?usp=sharing_eil_m&invite=CMG1gY0G&ts=60e88515 It must be completed and submitted to the club 24 hours before attending the event. Should you answer YES to any of the questions 1-5, you should not attend the club/event.

Accommodation: https://www.visitwexford.ie/directory-category/stay/

Camping/Caravan: Due to Covid 19 restriction on-site camping at the club is not available https://www.visitwexford.ie/directory/ferrybank-caravan-and-camping-park/

Directions to the Club:

WHBTC Redmond Rd, Ferrybank South, Wexford Y35 Y236

MAP

Parking: The club carpark will remain closed for the duration of the event, paid parking is available on Redmond Road, complementary parking is available at the ARC Cinema carpark 400 metres from the boat club

Support Boats: There are no launching or recovery facilities available at the club, all support boats will launch at the Wexford County Council Slip in Ferrybank. (5 minute drive from club) Moorings will be available. Please contact the Event Organiser if you plan on bringing a support boat Eoin Thompson 086 3836600

https://wexfordcoco.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=933907bee10a42b 3901bae1547908933

Trailer Parking: parking for road trailer and support boat trailers will be provided at Levingstons yard. This is a locked yard, which will be available Friday evening 17.00 – 20.00 Saturday morning 08.30 – 10.15 during registration and again on Sunday afternoon after racing. The yard will remain locked. Trailers are parked at owners risk, all owners must have sufficient insurance, with minimum cover of 3rd party fire and theft.

Arrival: Upon arrival you will drive into the club carpark where you will be met by a club steward who will assist you, remove your boat from its trailer, and make your way quickly to the club entrance where you will receive your welcome park, you will then be directed to a location within the dinghy park. This will be your designated position for the weekend, your boat must remain there except when racing

Changing Room/Toilets: the club changing room remain closed for the duration of the event under current government Covid 19 guidelines. Please arrive dressed and ready to sail in appropriate sailing attire.

Club toilets are open and will be cleaned regular basis. Please follow Covid 19 guidelines regarding hand hygiene

Launching: You will be assisted in the launching of your boat at the club slipway on the race days and there will be help to recover your trailer. Please follow the directions you are given by the Beach Master and his support team as they have planned the most efficient method to launch and recover boats on our slipways.

Tags System: At registration all visiting boats will be given a trailer number along with tags to be attached to their trailer and boat. Please attach this tag as soon as possible as this will assist recovery each day. Please adhere to this system and the volunteers providing the administration.

Race Office and Registration: Entry is only via Online system on the Laser Ireland Website. As per the NOR there are no late entries permitted. There no race office, registration takes place at the entrance to the boat club compound. Registration on Friday evening 1800 - 2000. Registration on Saturday 0900 - 1015. The NoR & SI are online at the Laser-Ireland Website with links from the Club Website.

Protests: In the event of a protest please read the Sailing Instructions. Protest Forms will be available in the Race Office. A racing rule book will be available form the event organiser for reference, please return this as soon as possible if removed. Protest schedules will be located on the Official WhatsApp group. Note that the onus is on each competitor to check for protests. Please note you will not be contacted personally in the event of a protest.

Security: Please ensure you do not leave any valuables laying around. WHBTC except no responsibility for lost of stolen property

Event WhatsApp Group:

All information, including weather, tides, results, protest and general event information will be posted on this WhatsApp Group. Please scan the QR code below for access to the group



Wexford Harbour Boat & Tennis Club

Laser Connaught Championships
17th &18th of July 2021
WhatsApp group
Just scan and complete

Covid-19 Guidance and Restrictions: As there are still restrictions in place, it is very important that all visitors adhere to the procedures and guidelines put in place by WHBTC. Anyone who is experiencing Covid-19 symptoms i.e. a cough, fever, loss of taste or smell or who has been in contact with someone experiencing these symptoms or who has had a positive Covid-19 test MUST NOT TRAVEL TO THE EVENT.

BBQ: WHBTC will host a BBQ on Saturday night, This

is a ticket only event, we encourage all competitors to join us and enjoy a social evening. Tickets must be purchased at: https://bit.ly/3c5dPJd

Access to changing rooms and toilets:

- · Changing rooms remain closed for the event
- Toilets are accessible and will be cleaned and sanitised on a regular basis

Inside the Clubhouse:

- The bar will be open to purchase drinks, a one-way system is in place, please follow the instructions of our staff. All food and beverage must be consumed outside
- Please wear a mask when entering and leaving the club. Your mask can be removed once seated. (where it is not compulsory to wear a facemask outside, we recommend that you do while on club property, for your safety and the safety of others

Hand Hygiene:

- Hands Free sanitisers have been placed at various points throughout the premises.

 EVERYONE MUST SANITISE THEIR HANDS BEFORE ENTERING THE PREMISES.
- Visitors should regularly sanitise whilst in the Clubhouse building and on leaving Premises.

Social Distancing:

• The seating within the club has been arranged to maintain social distancing. Everyone, must distance where possible. Outdoor tables and chairs will be provided. Please do not rearrange the furniture.

Bar Service

- A BBQ will be run on Saturday night, each table will be called one by one to collect their food
- Plastic screens have been installed at the bar for the protection of the staff and customers.
- When not behind the bar, Staff will be wearing PPE for the protection of our customers. A strict cleaning regime of bar surfaces, till and card machine will be in operation. Tables will be sanitised as soon as they become vacant.
- In addition, visitors are reminded to wear a face covering, unless exempt, at all times other than when they are seated. Toilets
- Male and female toilets will be open with restricted cubicles cordoned off.
- Given the limitation of cubicles, these must not be used by sailors for the purpose of changing clothes.
- Changing Rooms remain closed for the duration of the event. Please come ready dressed and ready to sail

• Signage has been put up around the Club to ensure everyone on the premises is aware of
the safety procedures.
We look forward to welcoming you all to WHBTC
Fair Thompson
Eoin Thompson
Event Organiser
086 383 6600