



The NECRA committee meeting 6 January 2022

Attendees: Ian Lynch (Chair), Steve Marsden (Sec), Larry Wilkinson (Web), Dave Addison (Tres), David Wheldon (SYC), John Anderson (WYC).

**Apologies:** Ken Murray (RNYC)

**AGM minutes:** the previous minutes were accepted as an accurate record.

**Notice of Race:**

IL – NOR mostly correct just a few minor changes needed.

DA – rule 1.4 should be navigation lights **must** be displayed.

rule 6 doesn't need 6.2

rule 7.2 and 7.4 **races sailed** not to count.

rule 13.1 to include **not less than 10 minutes** before start sequence begins.

JA – why was 4.3 in red?

SM – this sentence unnecessary so should be deleted. All agreed.

LW – number 16 should be 15 and discrepancy in 7 with number of races possible and to count. He would correct.

**2022 Programme:**

SM – what was the format of WYC regatta, which races would NECRA take for their results?

JA – race 2 on Friday 3 June likely to be a coastal race to Boulby and back.

IL – this race may not be acceptable for THYC boats. Could a 3rd race be held Sunday morning before return to Hartlepool?

JA – would enquire.

SM – THYC Olympic courses normally have and suitable to fit in 3 races within the afternoon.

LW – class ratings and courses run by RNYC have been incompatible with NECRA results for the last 2 years.

DW – RNYC wouldn't be upset if removed from NECRA programme.

IL – suggests that we remove RNYC from programme.

SM – shame to lose contact. NECRA confined to just 3 clubs.

**Action: DW & JA to make enquiries as to inclusion of 3rd race on Sunday morning.**

**AOB:**

JA – boat stickers were late in 2021 could we order earlier this year?

LW – did members realise that if membership not renewed then WS results wouldn't count?

SM – had the members been reminded to renew?

DA – no reminders had been sent.

JA – would it be possible to have a flyer that could be sent to perspective new members?

LW – has box of old NECRA trophies. Can someone take charge of them?

IL – bring them to THYC to be stored in office.

**Action: SM - will get quotes for both stickers and burgees.**

**- will email all to appraise of membership renewal.**

**- will design and send a flyer that can be displayed and distributed.**

**Next Committee Meeting:** February 10th 2022 19:00