



**Solva Rowing and Watersports Club**

**Ramsey Island Non League Race Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> July 2017**

Under the rules of the WSRA

*'Not for the faint hearted' – an 8 mile row through the legendary Ramsey Sound*

Race Decision by 09:00 on Saturday morning

Please call or text Steve Probert 07970 063074 or Mike Miles 07855 196251

Decision will also be posted on Facebook [www.facebook.com/SolvaRWC/](http://www.facebook.com/SolvaRWC/)

Entries are open for crew or crews of Longboats & Yoles

Race Entry Fees £10 per crew member (includes food)

**Registration from 16:00 – 18:00**

**Coxes briefing 18:30**

**Race Commences 19:30 SHARP**

**Presentation 21:30**

Please note that the race will start on time so that boats can row through Ramsey Sound at slack water.

We strongly advise pre – registering for this race as entries are expected to fill up quickly. Download the registration form from [www.solva.co.uk/srwc/ramsey-reg.pdf](http://www.solva.co.uk/srwc/ramsey-reg.pdf) or from Facebook. Please advise estimated numbers/crews by Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> July to Steve Probert – [steve@solva.co.uk](mailto:steve@solva.co.uk) - this will ensure we can arrange adequate safety boats and catering for everyone!

***Clubs registering attendance after this date may not be accepted.***

***All crews must bring life jackets to the race. Depending on conditions on the day, wearing them may be mandatory as an alternative to cancelling the race. The risk of swamping during a beach launch is real. Good bailers i.e.. small buckets are essential.***



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### **Directions**

The event is taking place from Whitesands Beach near St Davids.

*From the East ... London, Cardiff and the M4:*

Take the A48 to Carmarthen, followed by the A40 to Haverfordwest and the A487 to St Davids. From St Davids, follow signs for Whitesands (B4583), and drive all the way down to the beach - a distance of 2 miles.

*From the North ... Aberystwyth, Cardigan and the A487:*

Take the A487 to St Davids. From St Davids, follow signs for Whitesands (B4583), and drive all the way down to the beach - a distance of 2 miles.

Sat Nav ... SA62 6PS

OS Grid ... SM 73595 27243

### **Unloading and Parking**

On arrival at Whitesands, boats should be unloaded from the slipway at the bottom of the car park onto the beach. Marshalls will be on hand to direct you and help to unload if required. Trailers are to be left in the designated area on the beach. Please park cars in the car park. St Davids City Council have kindly agreed to waive the parking charges for towing vehicles.

### **Catering**

Pre Race - Teas & Coffees, Bacon Rolls & other refreshments available from 14:00

Post Race - Food will be served to crews after the race.

### **Amenities**

Toilets are available in the public car park.

### **Accommodation**

#### **Self Catering / B & B**

The St Davids website has a lot of info on where to stay in St. Davids.

<http://www.stdavids.co.uk/accom.htm>

### **Camping**

This campsite is right next to the beach.

<http://whitesandscamping.co.uk>

More info on Whitesands Beach is available here.

<http://www.visitpembrokeshire.com/explore-pembrokeshire/beaches/whitesands/>

For any enquiries please contact the any of the following:

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This event is also being supported by Porthmawr Surf Life Saving Club

