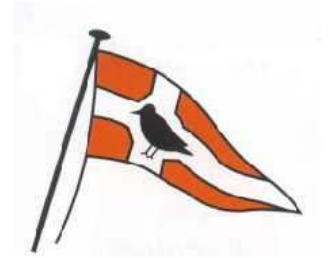


## WIVENHOE SAILING CLUB

### BRIGHTLINGSEA - OSTEND CRUISER RALLY 30<sup>th</sup> July 2010

Entry Fee £60-00 including berthing fees at RYCO on 30<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> July

Sponsors: Brightlingsea Harbour Commissioners, EasternYachts.com  
Grapevine Recruitment Consultants, Heron Yacht Services



Friday 30<sup>th</sup> July 2010      HW Brightlingsea:- 03.20  
Rally Start:- Bateman's Tower, 04.00  
Pre Rally Briefing:- Colne Yacht Club at 2000 on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> July

Meals will be available at CYC on Thursday Evening. Please book early with CYC. Tel 01206 302594.

**The Presentation of Prizes will take place at a Reception at 1700 local time on Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> July at the Royal Yacht Club of Ostend.**

The aim of the Ostend Rally is to encourage yachtsmen of varying experience to make a North Sea crossing in company. It is hoped the Rally will be sailed with the enjoyment and safety of the participant's paramount. It is expected that those of a competitive nature will sail keenly and in a sportsmanlike manner.

The Course* shall be:-	Start	Batemans Tower Line then:- Colne Bar to Port Wallet No 2 to Starboard Long Sand Head to Starboard
	Finish	Binnenstroom Bank Buoy to Port bearing 270°T

\*In the event of light winds at the start, all participants are encouraged to make sufficient speed (even if that means using the engine!) to ensure passing the Long Sand Head before the turn of the tide.

**In all circumstances the entrant's time of passing the Long Sand Head Buoy must be recorded and declared in case it proves advisable in the view of the Rally Committee to consider that time as the starting time of the Rally for that vessel.**

All use of engines should be timed, logged, and entered on the declaration form.

The generous prizes presented by the sponsors will be allocated, entries permitting as follows:-

- First over the line
- First on Handicap
- First in Slow Handicap
- First on Fast Handicap.
- Engine Assisted

No vessel shall win more than one major prize. Novelty prizes will be awarded at the discretion of the Committee, second and third prizes are dependent on number of entries.

In view of the objectives of the rally, the Committee decisions on handicaps etc. are not open to question and no 'protests' will be considered.

**The prize giving will be held at 1700 on Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> July at RYCO and a dinner has been booked for 2000 at the Vossenhol at Stene (same as last year) (See separate booking form for details).**

**Forms are available from and should be returned with payment to: Bernie Hetherington, The Harbour Office, 4 Copperas Road, Brightlingsea, CO7 0AP Tel 01206 302200  
Cheques should be made payable to Wivenhoe Sailing Club.**

**Last Date for entries to be received – 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2010**