



The Royal Western Yacht Club of England

Finish Arrangements & Arrival Procedure – Appendix D

It is planned that all yachts will be met at, or near, the Finish Line by a member of the Race Committee (RC), listening on **CH 73 (US)**, and accompanied to the berthing area. If there is no member of the RC at the Finish skippers should take their own time and proceed to the Newport Yacht Club Marina.

After 5th July the Newport Yacht Club (NYC) will host any remaining arrivals. Telephone the number shown under “Arrival” in the Communication Instruction 2 hours before ETA.

Declaration Certificates should be handed in at the Newport Race Office at the NYC as soon as possible, but not less than 6 hours after arrival.

Customs Procedure : A member of the US Customs & Border Protection Agency will pre-arrange a time at the NYC to complete the necessary entry paperwork which will include the checking of **PASSPORTS** and **VISAS** both of which are **MANDATORY**. Boats arriving during the day will be processed as soon as possible. Boats arriving overnight will be processed the following morning. **Skippers may not leave the NYC premises until they have been cleared.**

Two days free dockage will be provided at the NYC. A degree of flexibility may be required as some craft may have to move to accommodate later arrivals. After two days it is hoped to provide some free moorings, however, this facility is not guaranteed and competitors should be prepared to fund any additional berthing requirements.

Several social functions will take place at the NYC during the finish period in Newport. The RWYC Line honours Reception is planned to take place at the NYC on Monday 24th June. The Newport City reception is planned for Saturday 27th June.

For all details and any enquiries, contact the Race Officer at the Newport Race Office which will be manned from 0900 to 1800 daily from 10th June until 4th July,