

*Royal Dee Yacht Club  
Keel Boat Challenge Weekend  
Plas Menai, Menai Straits  
September 22nd & 23rd 2012*



Dear Member,

Both Team & Match Racing are becoming a popular branches of sailing. The 2012 Olympics are to have a women's Match Racing event & of course there is the Americas Cup. Royal Dee has, in the past, taken part in inter club keel boat team racing with the last event in being held in Ireland during the Dun laoghaire Regatta and sailed in the Irish Sailing Association's J80's.

The Management Committee is proposing to run a Two Boat Team Racing / Match Racing Event with the aim to get members out on the water to practice this form of racing with the added bonus of a sociable weekend. If the event is successful, then we will look to running an inter club / international competition in the future.

The weekend is to be held at Plas Menai in four J80's. The centre is an RYA Keel Boat Training Centre, with excellent sailing facilities, accommodation, restaurant, bar & swimming pool.

Plas Menai has put together a package for the weekend of September 22-23rd 2012 which will provide 2 days on 4 J80's which can be crewed by four people, ribs & support staff. Non members may be included depending on demand.

**Package includes:**

**Dinner Saturday night, bed & breakfast, packed lunches.**

**£125**

The sailing supper on Saturday night is open to non participants for £12 a head

<b>Friday</b>	<b>*Accommodation Available if required (extra)</b>
<b>Saturday Morning</b>	<b>* Familiarization with boat handling &amp; routines with video review</b>
<b>Saturday Afternoon</b>	<b>* Fleet Racing</b>
<b>Saturday Evening</b>	<b>* Meet in Bar followed by Dinner</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>* Team &amp; Match Racing</b>

**To Register An Interest please contact  
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