

Galway Sailsports Club

Some Suggested Dinghys

Note: PN - Portsmouth Number - the higher the number the slower the boat.

Children 7yrs to 12yrs (upto 14yrs allowed for competition)

- Optimist dinghy - Length 2.36m Weight 35kg PN 1646 singlehanded

Beginners child 12yrs up and Adult

- Topaz Uno - Length 3.68m Wt. 60kg PN 1218 - singlehanded
- Topaz Tres - same hull - different mast step + bowsprit to give jib and spinnaker - doublehanded PN not known
- RS Feva - Length 3.66m WT. 63kg PN 1200 - doublehanded

Intermediate Juniors and Adult

- 420 - Length 4.2m Wt.80kg PN 1087 - doublehanded with trapeze
- RS Vision Length 4.57m Wt 125kg PN 1085 - doublehanded
- Laser 4.7m² / Radial (5.7m²) same hull - Length 3.81m Wt 56.7kg PN 1175 / 1106 - singlehanded

Experienced Juniors and Adult

- Laser (7m²) - Length 3.81m Wt 56.7kg PN 1080 - singlehander
- 29er Length 4.4m Wt 90kg PN 924 - skiff type doublehander with trapeze, assymetric spinnaker
- 49er Length 4.88m Wt 74.25kg PN 740 - skiff type doublehander with 2 trapeze , assymetric spinnaker
- Wayfarer - Length 4.83m Wt 169kg PN 1101 - 2,3,4, crew - very stable!

There are many other dinghys !!

Multi hulls - experienced crew

- Dart 16 Length 4.8m Wt 125kg PN 853
- Dart 18 Length 5.48m Beam 2.28m Wt 130kg PN 800
- Hobie 16 Length 5.05m Wt 145kg PN 805

For details of boats see www.wikipedia.org , for PN numbers see www.rya.org

For boats for sale see www.apolloduck.ie or .co.uk and www.dinghyforsale.co.uk

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