**British Finn Association Travellers Trophy Series 2019**

The number and location of the qualifying events, and discards, will be determined by the BFA committee annually before the start of the season. The Travellers Trophy must include the National Championships which cannot be discarded from the overall Travellers Trophy results.

**Qualifying events – 2019**

1. Northern Championships - Yorkshire Dales SC – 13-14 April
2. Southern Championships - Mengeham 18-19 May
3. Harwich Town - 25-26 May
4. Nationals - Brixham YC 5-7 July
5. Highcliffe SC Open - 28 - 29 Sept
6. Inland Championships - Oxford SC - 21-22 September
7. Masters and Open - Warsash - 12-13 Oct.

**Rules and Scoring – 2019**

1. The BFA Travellers Trophy is open to all members of the British Finn Association.
2. Attendance at one or more BFA qualifying events will qualify for the Travellers Trophy series.
3. A maximum of two discards is allowed, as long as five or more events are sailed. The result for the National Championship cannot be discarded. For the U23’s only if a Travellers Trophy event clashes with an international event they attend, they receive average points for the Travellers Trophy event
4. Competitors will be awarded points equal to their adjusted overall finishing position in a qualifying event.
5. Any competitor who does not complete a qualifying event will score the number of points equal to the event with the greatest number of qualifying participants plus one point.

**Trophies and Prizes**

* The Travellers trophy will be presented to the overall winner of the series
* A perpetual trophy will be awarded to the highest placed member in each age category (Open; Master; Grand Master; Great Grand Master; Legend)
* In addition to the perpetual trophy each age category winner will receive £100.00, on production of proof of entry, towards the cost of entry for their age category event in the World or European Championships. This prize is not transferable and must be claimed in 2020.
* The winner and second place in the Under 23 age group are eligible for a single payment of £500 on production of proof of entry, towards the cost of entry for the Sliver Cup or U23 European Championships.
* Other prizes may also be awarded.
* The Travellers Trophy awards will generally be made at the final open meeting of the year at Warsash Sailing Club on October 12-13.

**Further information**

Details of all BFA Finn events can be found at www.webcollect.org.uk/bfa and at the BFA homepage www. <http://finnuk.org.uk/>

The BFA events schedule and results of events and open meetings are published on the BFA website <http://finnuk.org.uk/>