



Notice of Selection- RYA Youth Classes

Part 1

**2010 RYA Volvo National Youth Squad
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Part 1 2010/11 RYA Volvo National Youth Squad Selection

1. Introduction

This document should be read in conjunction with the RYA YSG “Guidelines for Selection” which is available from the RYA website

The RYA Volvo National Youth Squad (NYS) has two separate training periods, each with a distinct squad entry point. A main entry point in September and a review point in April. Each uses specified indicator events from which both results based places and discretionary selected places will be allocated. The timings and principles are outlined below:

	Main entry/training period for NYS	Review entry point, International competition period
Time of year	September/October	April (after the RYA Volvo Youth National Championships)
Purpose	Select sailors for main RYA Volvo National Youth Squad training period (October 2010 – April 2011).	Performance review for sailors selected for main training period, additional entry point for talented sailors identified for international regatta period (May – August).
Approximate No. of squad sessions	6 – 7 residential training weekends.	1 or 2 residential training weekends, and an international programme.
Principles of NYS training	Key skill development phase	International competition experience

2. Selection

Selection of the sailors will be determined by independent Selectors who are appointed by the RYA Youth Steering Group (YSG). Their remit is to select those sailors, who in their opinion have a combination of:

- 1. The best prospects of winning medals at World and European Championships now and in the future,**
- 2. The best prospects of winning medals at the Volvo Youth Sailing ISAF World Championships,**
- 3. The best prospects of successfully following an Olympic pathway.**

Process:

A number of places will normally be allocated to the **highest ranked eligible sailors at the primary indicator event(s) using the process and criteria listed in appendices A, B, C and D.** Remaining places will be allocated at the discretion of the selectors using their interpretation of the criteria listed in 2.1 to 2.3 and in item 7. In exercising their discretion **selectors will normally only consider performances at both the primary and secondary indicator events** which are listed in Appendix A and B respectively.

In exceptional cases sailors who are identified at other times may still be selected and invited to join the RYA Volvo National Youth Squad. This may involve being invited to train alongside the RYA Volvo National Youth Squad for one or more camps, and will usually be subject to delivering a satisfactory performance at the ***nominated squad review event(s)***. Should there be no suitable squad review within a reasonable time frame, consideration, will exceptionally be given to other significant class regattas or training in order to confirm a full place in the squad.

Sailors, who are invited to train alongside on a trial basis, or are in the opinion of the selectors are on the periphery of squad selection, may subsequently be invited to join the squad at a later date.

3. Eligibility

Normally, to be eligible for selection, sailors must:

1. At the time of selection be eligible to compete for Great Britain at an ISAF sanctioned event as defined in ISAF Regulation 17.
2. In exceptional circumstances, sailors who do not comply with 3.1 may nevertheless be eligible if expressly confirmed by the RYA Racing Manager. Such sailors will be required to carry GBR on their sails and may be required to sign a written declaration of intent to comply with 3.1.
3. For the International Competition period; be aged U19 on the 31 December 2010, or exceptionally U19 on the 1st September 2010 (see below).
4. For the Main training period be U18 on the 31 December 2010, or exceptionally U18 on the 1st September 2010 (see below).

In order to help sailing partnerships stay together, and allow sailors to progress at a rate consistent with the maturation of their 'academic' peers, sailors remain eligible for selection for the international competition phase when a member of the team is U19 on the 1 September 2010, provided they were born between 1 September and 31 December inclusive. For the main training phase sailors remain eligible for selection when a member of the team is U18 on the 1 September 2010, provided their date of birth is between 1 September and 31 December inclusive. This is also applicable to singlehanded sailors.

Rationale: It is anticipated that this will help older sailors, who in some cases may be in their final school year, to remain part of the programme. Previously they would not otherwise have been eligible due to their 'sailing' age.

Selection to the RYA Volvo National Youth Squad (NYS) is conditional upon a full commitment to all squad training requirements and adherence to a personal competition and training programme.

Sailors who wish to be considered for a place in the RYA Volvo National Youth Squad must be a member of the RYA and also apply on-line at www.ryaracingevents.org.uk

4. Anticipated RYA Volvo National Youth Squad sizes

Appendices A and B outline the intended RYA Volvo National Youth Squad sizes, as well as the anticipated number of places which will be allocated from the results.

5. National Youth Squad Indicator Events

Appendices A and B also detail the three categories of events which contribute to selection decisions. These are:

- 5.1. **Primary**, which govern principally the allocation of results based places.

- 5.2. **Secondary**, which are used in conjunction with **primary** indicators to make discretionary selections, and
- 5.3. **Nominated squad review events** which are used exceptionally to select additional sailors, not invited initially from the **primary** and **secondary** indicator events. More commonly these will be used to review the performance of those sailors invited to train alongside the RYA Volvo National Youth Squad prior to confirming a full NYS status.

6. Selection Committee

The selection committee is appointed by the RYA Youth Steering Group, and currently comprises of the following group of individuals, none of whom will have eligible children within the class:

All Classes:

- Ben Oakley – Chair of Youth Selectors
- RYA Youth Racing Manager- Duncan Truswell
- Sarah Webb, OBE
- RYA Single-handed Pathway Manager, Kirsty Bonar
- RYA Double-handed Pathway Manager, Roy McCubbin

Spitfire/Sirena SL16, 29er, Laser Radial, and Laser Standard:

- RYA Performance Director – John Derbyshire, OBE

7. Selection Criteria

RYA Selectors will normally use one or more of the following criteria to select sailors in accordance with the YSG Guidelines for Selection:

- Performance at the *Primary Indicator event*.
- Performance at the *secondary Indicator event(s)*.
- Performance at *nominated squad review(s)*.

Additionally, in exceptional cases the following may be taken into account:

- Performance at other *identified squad review events*.
- Age, height and weight.
- Performance at a significant international regatta.
- Performance at major national events/training.
- Future potential.
- Goals and aspirations.
- Attitude and behaviour at the events in the series and during previous training.
- Factors affecting results.
- Class ranking lists.
- Any other factors the selectors consider appropriate.

Selectors or their representatives may attend events during the year to gather information upon which to make their decisions. They will also monitor the results and reports from the *primary* and *secondary indicators* and *squad review events*. In making decisions they may also seek input from coaches and class association representatives.

8. Notification

Applicants will be notified in writing as soon as is practically possible after the completion of the final indicator event, and usually within 14 days. Successful sailor's names will be published on the RYA web-site once all attendance confirmation forms/contracts have been returned to the office – it is not our policy to publish this information before this time.

9. Part 2 - 2010 RYA supported international event/grant selection

Following the secondary entry point and NYS review in April the selectors will also, where possible, allocate results based international travel grants and also make discretionary decisions using the criteria listed in item 2 and item 7. The likely size of any RYA teams, the process, number of grants available and the likely notification date is outlined in Appendix C.

Where an age category is mentioned as part of the results based criteria this shall be assumed to be as of 1st September 2010, unless otherwise stated or the eligibility criteria for the regatta differs from this. Where sailors of the nominated age category do not win places via the class selection process then that grant will revert to being offered at the discretion of the RYA Volvo NYS selectors.

Sailors may only accept a grant for a given regatta from either the Youth or Olympic programme, where a selected sailor has already been offered an ODS grant then the grant may either be offered or another sailor or withheld entirely.

Additional support may be provided for other events identified later in the year as relevant international competition experience by the head coach. This will be dependent on funding at that time.

10. Part 3 – RYA Volvo Tailored Support (TS) Programme

The RYA TS programme aims to support those youth sailors with most potential to achieve success and medal at major international regattas now and in the future. It provides additional bespoke, needs-based training for a small number of sailors supplementary to the core RYA Volvo National Youth Squad programme designed to provide the very best progression to Olympic class sailing.

Selected sailors will normally access the following support:

- Additional individual Strength and Conditioning information and advice.
- Access to relevant performance specialists.
- Small group training, usually taking place at October and February half terms.
- Additional international regatta support – where international calendars allow.

11. TS Programme selections

TS Programme selections will be made by the selectors using the eligibility criteria and processes outlined in items 2, 3, 5, 6 and 7 and appendix D.

12. Anticipated TS Group sizes

The anticipated training group sizes, the processes which govern the allocation of places and the **primary and secondary** indicator events are outlined in appendix D.

A number of the TS training group places will be determined from the results of the primary indicator event; other places will be offered on the basis of performance at both the primary and secondary indicator events as well as the identified squad reviews or should there be no suitable squad review in a reasonable time frame, consideration will exceptionally be given to other significant class regattas/training.

13. Sailors who feel they may meet the eligibility criteria for Paralympic competition

The RYA endeavours to keep those sailors who feel they may ultimately be eligible for the Paralympics within mainstream race and race training programmes for as long as is practically possible, as we consider this the most effective way to facilitate their development. Sailors are then either transferred across to the Olympic programme or the Paralympic programme, or invited to participate in both of them in parallel should this be considered most effective. Sailors or parents who would like further advice or feel they may meet the relevant criteria are encouraged to discuss in more detail with the relevant RYA Manager.

14. Further Information

For further information please initially contact either Roy McCubbin, Double-handed Pathway Manager (07717 495581) or Kirsty Bonar, Single-handed Pathway Manager (07900 215851) or by email roy.mccubbin@rya.org.uk or kirsty.bonar@rya.org.uk

15. Appeals

There will be no appeals against the published selection criteria or the actions of the selectors, provided they follow the selection criteria. By entering the selection process sailors agree to this condition. The grounds for appeal are limited to allegations of:

- I. Failure to follow due process
- II. Bias/undue influence
- III. Some other misconduct

The criteria for appeal may not include any alleged error of judgement of the selectors. Should an appeal still arise then it should be submitted to the Racing Manager within 5 days of the selection being announced. The full Appeals document is available on request from the RYA Racing Operations Manager.

16. Status

The Royal Yachting Association (RYA)'s policies and procedures are subject to change from time to time, including variations required to comply with Sports Councils' directions on the investment of National Lottery funds.

The RYA reserves the right to amend, supplement and/or discontinue at its absolute discretion, for whatever reason, any or all of its policies and procedures.

Grants will be repayable upon notification, if the competitor does not attend the regatta(s) for any reason. The RYA reserves the right NOT to provide international competition grants or withhold them for any reason.

Appendix A- Indicator Events, Anticipated NYS size, and the selection process for Main NYS entry point 2010 (Sept/October)

Class	Phase	Primary Indicator	Secondary Indicator(s)	Identified Squad review(s)	Anticipated Squad Size	Anticipated Number of girl boats/boards	Results based places		Discretionary places
RS:X 8.5	Main NYS entry	UKWA Cup Event 5 (18 & 19 September 2010 – Christchurch & RYA/UKWA British Open - WPNSA, 2 & 3 Oct 2010 ⁱ	RS:X Youth European Championship 2010, Sopot, Poland: 24 June – 2 July 2010.	RS:X Youth World Championship 2010, Limassol, Cyprus: 20 – 28 October 2010.	10	3	Top 2 U18 boys and top 2 U18 girls as of 31/12/10	Top U17 as of 31/12/10	5
Laser Std	Main NYS entry	Laser STD Junior World Championship 2010, HISC: 27 August – 5 September 2010.	Skandia Sail for Gold Regatta, 1 st – 14 th August 2010, WPNSA.	UKLA Autumn Qualifiers – see UKLA site for dates etc.	6 - 10	0	Top 3 U18 as of 31/12/10	Top 1 U17's as of 31/12/10	2 - 6
Laser Radial	Main NYS entry	UKLA Autumn Qualifiers 1: Pwllheli, 2 & 3 Oct 10, & 2: WPNSA, 16 & 17 October 2010 ⁱⁱ .	Laser Radial Youth Worlds, Largs, 18 – 25 July 2010.	UKLA autumn Qualifier 3, Whitstable YC – 23 & 24 October 10.	18	5	Top 3 girl aged U18 as of 31/12/10	Top 2 boy and top girl aged U17 on 31/12/10	12
420	Main NYS entry	420 World Championship, Haifa, Isreal.	Nationals: Brightlingsea, 21 – 28 August 2010 & Worlds selector 1, Rutland: 11 & 12 Sept 2010	2010 Worlds selector 1, Rutland – 11 & 12 Sept 2010 and 420 Worlds Selector 2, Highcliffe SC: 2 & 3 Oct 2010.	12	4 - 5	Top 2 U18 boys on 31/12/10	Top 2 U18 girls as of 31/12/10	8
29er	Main NYS entry	29er National Championship – Pwllheli SC, 14 – 21 August 2010.	24 & 25 July, 29er Open & Eurocup – Parkstone YC, 29er Europeans 2010, Spain.	29er Inlands, Northampton – 23 & 24 October 2010 and 29er End of seasons, Grafham WSC, 30 & 31 October 2010.	6 - 8	2 (all girl boats)	Top 2 overall, top all girl boat all aged U18 (on 31/12/10),		3 - 5
Spitfire	Main NYS entry	Spitfire Nationals and Europeans, 24 – 26 September 2010 – Brightlingsea SC.	N/A	Grafham CAT Open and Spitfire Inlands – 6 & 7 October 2010, Grafham Water SC.	3 - 6	TBC	Discretionary, subject discretion of selectors based on sufficient fleet size, ability and welfare/viability of class training.		3 - 6

Appendix B - Indicator Events, Anticipated NYS sizes, and process of selection for secondary NYS entry point 2010 (April)

Class	Phase	Primary Indicator	Secondary Indicator(s)	Identified Squad review(s)	Anticipated Squad Size	Anticipated Number of girl boats/boards	Results based places (in order, left to right)			Discretionary places
RS:X 8.5	April review	RYA Volvo Youth National Championships	Olympic Spring series: WPNSA, 10 & 11 April 2010	UKWA Cup 1, WPNSA: 1 – 3 May 2010, UKWA Folkstone: 29 – 31 May 2010.	10 - 12 boards	3-4	Top 2 overall	Top 2 girls	Top 2 U18's (as of 31/12/10)	6
Laser Std	April review	RYA Volvo Youth National Championships	UKLA Q - Stokes Bay, 13/14 March 2010.	UKLA Q3, HISC – 17/18 April 2010.	6 - 10	0	Top 2 U19's as of 31/12/10	Top 2 U18's as of 31/12/10		2 - 6
Laser Radial	April review	RYA Volvo Youth National Championships	UKLA Q - Stokes Bay, 13/14 March 2010.	UKLA Q3, HISC – 17/18 April 2010.	18	6	Top 3 U19's as of 31/12/10 overall and top 2 girls	Top 2 U17's as of 31/12/10	Top 2 girls U18 as of 31/12/10	9
420	April review	RYA Volvo Youth National Championships	420 Team Selection Trials 1 – WPNSA, 13/14 March 2010.	420 Team Selection Trials 3 - Pwllheli, 1/2 May 2010.	12	4	Top 3 boys U19 as of 31/12/10	Top 2 girls U19 as of 31/12/10	Top U18B & Top U18G	5
29er	April review	RYA Volvo Youth National Championships	9er Open, Rutland SC – 20/21 March 2010.	9er Open, Brightlingsea – 24/25 April 2010.	8	2	Top 2 girls boats aged U19 as of 31/12/10	Top 3 U19 as of 31/12/10 boys/open boats		3-5

Appendix C – 2010 RYA Coach/International travel grant supported events

<u>Class</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Number of grants/sailors</u>	<u>£££ - Grant (G)/ Parental Contribution (PC)</u>	<u>How selected/trip arrangements</u>
RS:X 8.5	Kiel Week	June 19 – 23 2010	2	£300(G)	Top 2 Girls from RYA Volvo Youth National Championship 2010.
RS:X 8.5	RS:X Youth European Championship, Sopot, Poland,	June 24 – July 2 2010	8	£500(PC) including transport, accommodation, coach support. Sailor pays entry fees and food.	Top 3 girls, top 3 boys (U19 as of 31/12/10) and 2 discretionary from RYA Volvo Youth National Championship 2010. RYA makes arrangements.
RS:X 8.5	RSX (Senior) European Championship, Sopot, Poland	July 1 – 10 2010	2 (female)	£250(G)	Top 2 girls discretionary girl from RYA Volvo Youth National Championship – sailor makes their own arrangements.
RS:X 8.5	Youth World Championship, Limassol, Cyprus	October 20 – 28 2010	6	£600(PC) including transport, accommodation, coach support. Sailor pays entry fees and food.	Top 2 boys and top 2 girls (U19 as of 31/12/10) and 2 discretionary from RYA Volvo Youth National Championship 2010. RYA makes arrangements.
RS:X 8.5	Med Cup, Marseille, France	February 19 – 21 2011	4-6	£250(PC)	TS sailors will normally be selected to attend the regatta. RYA makes arrangements.
Laser Std	Hyerès regatta	April 23 – 30 2010	2	£300 (G)	Top 2 U19 from RYA Volvo Youth National Championship – sailor makes their own arrangements in discussion with head coach.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Number of grants/sailors</u>	<u>£££ - Grant (G)/ Parental Contribution (PC)</u>	<u>How selected/trip arrangements</u>
Laser Std	Holland Regatta	May 26 – 30 2010	2	£300 (G)	Top 2 U19 from RYA Volvo Youth National Championship – sailor makes their own arrangements in discussion with head coach.
Laser Std	Kiel Week	June 19 - 23 2010	8	£400(PC) including boat travel, flights, accommodation, coach support, etc. Sailor pays entry fee and food.	Top 8 sailors from the UKLA standard rig youth ladder as of Spring 2010, which forms selection for Youth Europeans – coaching focus on U21 ODS & training group sailors
Laser Std	Youth European Championship, Gdynia, Poland	July 17 – 24 2010	8	£400(PC) including boat travel, flights, accommodation, coach support, etc. Sailor pays entry fee and food.	Top 8 sailors from the UKLA standard rig youth ladder as of Spring 2010, which forms selection for Youth Europeans – coaching focus on U21 ODS & training group sailors
Laser Std	Europa Cup, Warnemunde, Germany	July 3 – 5 2010	8	£350(PC) including boat travel, flights, accommodation, coach support, etc. Sailor pays entry fee and food.	Selected RYA team of from UKLA standard rig youth ladder as of Spring 2010 - discretionary selections but planned to include Top 2 U18 and Top 2 U19 and 4 discretionary – coaching focus will be on RYA VNYS sailors.
Laser Std	Sail for Gold 2010	August 9 – 14 2010	8	RYA to provide coach support, class/sailor to make all other arrangements.	Coach support only to be provided for this regatta – coaching focus will be on RYA VNYS sailors.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Number of grants/sailors</u>	<u>£££ - Grant (G)/ Parental Contribution (PC)</u>	<u>How selected/trip arrangements</u>
Laser Std	Youth and Senior World Championships, Hayling Island, UK	August 29 – September 5 2010	TBC	RYA to provide coach support, class/sailor to make all other arrangements.	Selected RYA team of from UKLA standard rig youth ladder as of Spring 2010 - discretionary selections but planned to include Top 2 U18 and Top 2 U19 and 4 discretionary – coaching focus will be on RYA VNYS sailors.
Laser Std	Princess Sofia	TBC 2011	3 - 4	£300(G)	TS sailors, make own arrangements in discussion with head coach
Laser Radial	Europa Cup, Scheveningen, Netherlands	May 21 – 24 2010	8	£350(PC) including boat travel, flights, accommodation, coach support, etc. Sailor pays entry fee and food.	Top 2 girls, top 2 U18 boys, top U18 girl, top U17 boy and 2 discretionary from RYA Volvo Youth National Championship 2010.
Laser Radial	Women's Senior European Championship, Estonia	June 6 – 11 2010	Up to 4	£400(G) per boat, sailor to make all arrangements	Sailor makes all arrangements, selection by UKLA on UKLA ladder series.
Laser Radial	Women's and Men's Senior World Championship, Largs, Scotland	July 6 – 14 2010	Depending on UKLA selection	RYA to provide coach support, class/sailor to make all other arrangements.	RYA Volvo National Youth Squad and RYA Volvo Transitional Squad
Laser Radial	Youth World Championship, Largs, Scotland	July 20 – 25 2010	RYA Volvo Laser Radial National Youth Squad.	RYA to provide coach support, class/sailor to make all other arrangements.	RYA to provide coach support (x 3) to RYA VNYS 2010.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Number of grants/sailors</u>	<u>£££ - Grant (G)/ Parental Contribution (PC)</u>	<u>How selected/trip arrangements</u>
420	World Championship, Hafia, Israel	July 22 – 31 2010	8	£1600(G) per boat, RYA to provide coach support, class/sailor to make all other arrangements.	Top 4 U19 boys, top 4 U19 girls (both to include min of 1 U18 [pair]), from GBR 420 World selections (as of 1/9/10).
420	Flanders Youth Regatta		TBC	RYA to provide coach support, sailor to make all other arrangements.	Any U19 GBR 420 sailors at the regatta
420	French National Championship	July 12 – 17 2010	TBC	RYA to provide coach support, sailor to make all other arrangements.	Any U19 GBR 420 sailors at the regatta
420	Junior European Championship, La Rochelle, France	August 12 – 21 2010	7	£800(G) per boat, to GBR 420 class association team, RYA to provide coach support, class/sailor to make all other arrangements.	GBR 420 class association
420	World Championship, Buenos Aires	December 27 2010 – January 6 2011	8	£1750(G) per boat, RYA to provide coach support, class/sailor to make all other arrangements	Top 4 U19 boys, top 4 U19 girls (both to include min of 1 U18 [pair]), from GBR 420 World selections (as of 1/9/11).
29er	29er European Championship, Club de Vela La Ballena Alegre, Costa Brava, Spain.	June 29 – July 5 2010 (will also be pre-event training)	6	£600(G) per boat, RYA to provide coach support, sailor to make all other arrangements	Top 1 U19 girl, top U18 girl, top 2 U19's BB/ Mixed, top 2 U18 BB Mixed (all as of 31/12/2010).
29er	29er Open & Eurocup, – Parkstone YC	24 & 25 July 2010	N/A	RYA to provide coach support, sailor to make all other arrangements.	RYA to provide coach support (x 2)
29er	29er National Championship – Pwllheli SC	14 – 21 August 2010	N/A	RYA to provide coach support, sailor to make all other arrangements.	RYA to provide coach support (x 1)

<u>Class</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Number of grants/sailors</u>	<u>£££ - Grant (G)/ Parental Contribution (PC)</u>	<u>How selected/trip arrangements</u>
Spitfire	Eurocat, Carnac.	April 30 – May 2 2010	Up to 4	£300(G) per boat, RYA to provide coach support, sailor to make all other arrangements	100% discretionary from RYA Volvo Youth National Championships 2010.
Spitfire	Spitfire Nationals and Europeans, Brightlingsea SC.	September 24 – 26 2010 –	N/A	£0, RYA to provide coach support, sailor to make all other arrangements	N/A

Appendix D- Indicator Events, Anticipated TS group sizes, and process of selection for 2010

Class	Secondary Indicator(s)	Identified review(s)	Anticipated TS Group Size	Anticipated Number of girl boats/boards	Results based places	Anticipated Number of Discretionary places	Notification
RS:X 8.5	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) UKWA Cup Events 4 (17 & 18 July 2010 - Mumbles) 2) UKWA Cup 5 (18 & 19 September 2010 – Christchurch) 3) RS:X Youth European Championship 2010, Sopot, Poland: 24 June – 2 July 2010. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) RYA/UKWA British Open - WPNSA, 2 & 3 Oct 2010, 2) RS:X Youth World Championship 2010, Limassol, Cyprus: 20 – 28 October 2010. 	4	2	100% discretionary due to complications around indicator events been during term time.	4	After UKWA Cup 5
Laser Radial	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Laser Radial Youth Worlds Largs, Scotland. 2) Laser Radial Nationals – Mounts Bay, 21 – 27 August 2010. 3) UKLA Q – Pwllheli, 2 & 3 Oct 10. 	UKLA autumn Qualifier 3, Whitstable YC – 23 & 24 October 10.	6-8	Minimum of 2	100% discretionary due to complications around some sailors attending internationals instead of nationals.	6-8	After Radial Nationals

Class	Primary Indicator	Secondary Indicator(s)	Identified review(s)	Anticipated TS Group Size	Anticipated Number of girl boats/boards	Results based places		Anticipated Number of Discretionary places	Notification
Laser Std	Laser STD Junior World Championship 2010, HISC: 27 August – 5 September 2010.	Laser Youth European Championship 2010.	UKLA Autumn Qualifiers (counting 2 from 3) – see UKLA site for dates etc.	4	0	Top 2 U18 as of 31/12/09		2	After Laser STD Junior Worlds.
420	420 Junior Europeans, La Rochelle, 2010	420 Nationals: Brightlingsea, 21 – 28 August 2010.	2010 Worlds selector 1, Rutland – 11 & 12 Sept 2010 and 420 Worlds Selector 2, Highcliffe SC: 2 & 3 Oct 2010.	4 - 6	Minimum of 2	Top 1 U18 boys on 31/12/09	Top 1 U18 girls as of 31/12/09	2	After nationals
29er	29er National Championship – Pwllheli SC, 14 – 21 August 2010.	24 & 25 July 2010, 29er Open & Eurocup – Parkstone YC, 29er Europeans 2010, Spain.	29er Inlands, Northampton – 23 & 24 October 2010 and 29er End of seasons, Grafham WSC, 30 & 31 October 2010.	4	Minimum of 1 (all girl boat)	Top boy boat overall aged U18 (on 31/12/09)	Top girl boat overall aged U18 (on 31/12/09)	2	After nationals

ⁱ A number of the RS:X RYA Volvo National Youth Squad places will be allocated using the results of a ranking list compiled using results from the following *Primary indicator events*. The ranking system will be compiled by adding together the individual race scores from the indicator events (counting conventional fleet racing only):

- UKWA Cup Event 5 – Christchurch, 18 & 19 September 2010
- RYA/UKWA British Open - WPNSA, 2 & 3 Oct 2010

Scoring

The following discard system will be used to allow for sailor inconsistency and varying conditions:

Normally, there will be a maximum of 14 races:

14+ races 3 discards
10 – 13 races 2 discards
5- 9 races 1 discard
4 races or less 0 discards

ⁱⁱ A number of the Laser Radial RYA Volvo National Youth Squad places will be allocated using the results of a ranking list compiled using results from the following *Primary indicator events*:

- **UKLA Laser Radial National Championship** August 21 - 27 2010
Mounts Bay Sailing Club
- **UKLA Autumn Qualifier 1** October 3 & 4 2010
Pwllheli SC

Scoring

The ranking system will be compiled by adding together the top 2 overall finishing positions from the indicator events.