

2022 Annapolis Labor Day Regatta Saturday, 3 September 2022 CBYRA Sanction # 330 Annapolis, MD



Organizing Authority: Annapolis Yacht Club supported by Eastport Yacht Club Annapolis, MD USA

http://www.annapolisyc.com/racing/regattas

NOTICE OF RACE (NoR) Including Amendement No. 1

The notation '[DP]' in a rule in this Notice of Race (NoR) means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification. The notation '[NP]' in a rule means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that rule. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

1 RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 J/105 Class Rules are modified by Article IX of the local J-105 Fleet-3 Article/Rules. This event is designated a Level 1A event. J/105 Fleet-3 Articles/Rules can be found at https://www.j105fleet3.org/rules
- 1.3 Boats sailing in ORC, ORC Cruiser and ORC Double Handed shall comply with the 2022 ORC Rules and the current ORC of the Chesapeake Rules for their class which can be found at www.orcches.org
- 1.4 ORC and ORC Cruiser class rules are modified by ORC of the Chesapeake and can be found at http://www.orcches.org.

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 The sailing instructions will be posted on the official notice board approximately 10 days before the first scheduled day of racing.

3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 The online official notice board is located at https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=14896.
- 3.2 [DP] All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on channels 9, 13, 16, 68, 69, 70, 71, and 72.
- 3.3 On the water, the race committee will make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on VHF radio. The specific channel will be stated in the SIs.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The event is open to all boats of the ORC, ORC Cruiser, ORC Double Handed, Cal 25, V-Boats, J/22, J/30, J/35, J/80 and J/105 classes.
- 4.2 For a class to have a start, it must have a minimum of 5 valid entries by 1200 on Friday, September 2. Entry fees for boats in classes that fail to meet the minimum will be returned.
- 4.3 The V-Boats class will be comprised of boats from the Viper 640 and/or Vx One classes.
- 4.4 Competitors in handicap classes shall have the appropriate valid 2022 ORC rating certificate.
- 4.5 Boats wishing to enter shall register online at https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=14896
- 4.6 To be considered a valid entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements including the waiver and pay all fees.

5 FEES

5.1 Early registration and entry fee of \$75 are due by 1700 on Monday, August 15. After that registration and entry fee of \$100 will be accepted until 1200 on Friday, September 2. Entry fees are payable in full upon registering and are non-refundable.

5.2 The entry fee includes, at a minimum, racing and awards.

6 SCHEDULE

- 6.1 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race of the regatta is 1100.
- 6.2 Three races are scheduled for Cal 25, J/22, J/30, J/80 and V-Boat classes.
- 6.3 ORC, J/35, and J/105 classes will sail two races.
- 6.4 ORC Cruiser and ORC Double-handed classes will sail one government mark race.
- 6.5 No warning signal will be made after 1530.
- An Awards Party will be held at the Annapolis Yacht Club on Saturday, following racing.

 Additional information will be available on Yachtscoring.

7 VENUE

- 7.1 The event venue will be the Annapolis Yacht Club Sailing Center, 510 Severn Avenue, Annapolis, MD, 21403.
- 7.2 The racing area will be the Chesapeake Bay off the mouth of the Severn River.

8 COURSES

- 8.1 ORC, J/35, J/105, Cal 25, V-Boats, J/22, J/30, and J/80 classes shall sail drop marks courses.
- 8.2 ORC Cruiser and ORC Double-handed classes shall sail a Government mark course.

9 SCORING

- 9.1 RRS Appendix A4, Low Point System, will apply as changed by the SIs.
- 9.2 Corrected times for ORC classes will be calculated using ORC Time-on-Time ratings. The race committee will assign the appropriate course type and wind strength prior to scoring as detailed in the SIs.
- 9.3 The V-Boats class will be scored as a one-design class with no handicapping applied between the Viper 640 and Vx One boats.

10 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

10.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue *racing* is hers alone.'

11 INSURANCE

11.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$300,000 per incident.

12 PRIZES

- 12.1 Prizes will be given in each class for 1st place with 3 or more starters (boats starting in at least one race), 2nd place with 6 or more starters, and 3rd place with 9 or more starters.
- 12.2 The OA anticipates that the following perpetual trophies will be awarded (as further described in the SIs):
 - a) City of Annapolis Trophy: overall performance.
 - b) SpinSheet Junior Varsity and Varsity Trophies: best performance by boats with junior sailors aboard.
 - c) Eleanor Ruth Wilcox Trophy: best performance by a boat with a female skipper.
- 12.2 Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organizing authority.

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

13.1 For more information contact: AYC Harborside Director: Linda Ambrose, lambrose@annapolisyc.org, 410.858.4964