



2023 NEW ENGLAND 100

Notice of Race Amendment 3

Delete NOR Section 1 and replace with the following:

1 Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.2 Each competing boat shall conform to her Class Rules.
- 1.3 The US Sailing Portsmouth Yardstick shall be used as the handicap system. Neither crew weight nor wind modifications will be used.
- 1.4 Class rules regarding minimum crew weight shall not be grounds for protests by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a).
- 1.5 Class rules restricting the use of radios shall not be grounds for protests by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a).
- 1.6 Official documents, including sailing instructions and course descriptions, will be available online only (at yachtscoring.com). Paper copies will not be provided.
- 1.7 Possession and/or consumption of alcohol is not permitted at Fort Adams.
- 1.8 Vehicle parking is not allowed on the lawn at Fort Adams. All vehicles must be parked in the designated spaces, adjacent to the lawn, or in the paved lot located southwest of the Sail Newport property. (Exception: Trailers may be parked on the lawn for the duration of the regatta.)

(For clarification, the items in red have been changed or added. Original NOR 1.3 has been deleted for compliance with RRS. The section was also reorganized. For the avoidance of doubt, the intention regarding minimum weight is unchanged from the prior version, per NAASA preference, and applies to all boats.)

Add the following to NOR section 2, and renumber as needed:

- 2.2 No single-handed boats are allowed.
- 2.3 Classes will be F-18, and Portsmouth Handicap Open Spinnaker.
- 2.4 All spinnaker beach cats will also compete in an Overall Portsmouth (Spinnaker) class.
- 2.10 Late entries may be accepted with advance OA notification.

Change NOR 4.3 as follows:

4.3 Event schedule is as follows:

DAY	TIME	EVENT
FRIDAY	1600-1815	Inspections
SATURDAY	0730-0900	Inspections
	0915	Competitors Meeting
	1100	Warning Signal
SUNDAY	0915	Competitors Meeting
	TBD, but not prior to 1000 *	Beach Launch
	1100	Warning Signal

* On Sunday, no boats may cross the shoreside walking path until authorized by the RC. The Race for Chase (kids' triathlon) is taking place, and all swimmers and bikers must be clear before any racing catamarans can approach the walking path, ramp or beach. This rule shall not be grounds for protests by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

Change NOR 5.4 as follows:

5.4 "Possible courses" will be made available online no later than August 11, 2023.

Change NOR 6.1.4 as follows:

6.1.4 Required Safety Equipment (in addition to class-required safety equipment):

Change NOR 8.2 as follows:

8.2 The New England 100 perpetual trophy will be awarded to the top finisher in the Overall Portsmouth (Spinnaker) class.

(NOTE: Minor clerical errors have also been corrected throughout.)