

# 2024 J/105 Chesapeake Bay Championship

October 19-20, 2024 (CBYRA Sanction #322 & #323)



Organizing Authority: Annapolis Yacht Club, Annapolis, MD USA

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

## NOTICE OF RACE (NoR)

*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).*

*All times are US Eastern Daylight Time.*

### 1 RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 The J/105 Class Rules (J105CR) are modified by Article IX of the local J/105 Fleet 3 Article/Rules (found at: <https://www.j105fleet3.org/rules>). This event is designated a Level 1A event.

### 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 official notice board is online and located at <https://yachtscoring.com/emenue.cfm?eid=16360>
- 3.2 [DP] All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on US channels .
- 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 boats of the J/105 class.
- 4.2 Boats may enter online at <https://yachtscoring.com/emenue.cfm?eid=16360>
- 4.3 Entries will be accepted until 1200 on October 18.
- 4.6 To be considered a valid entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements including the waivers and pay all fees.

### 5 FEES

- 5.1 For registrations received and paid by 1700 on October 11, the entry fee is \$115.
- 5.2 After 1700 on October 11, the entry fee is \$140.
- 5.3 The entry fee includes racing, awards, and a post-race gathering on Saturday, October 22 for up to 6 crew.

### 6 SCHEDULE

- 6.1 The scheduled time of the first warning signal each racing day is 1100.
- 6.2 Three races are scheduled each day.
- 6.4 The racing days will be Saturday, October 19 and Sunday, October 20.
- 6.5 On the last scheduled day of racing, no warning signal will be made after 1530.

### 8 VENUE

- 8.1 The racing area will be the Chesapeake Bay off the mouth of the Severn River.

### 9 COURSES

- 9.1 The courses to be sailed will be drop mark courses.

## **10 SCORING**

10.1 RRS Appendix A4, Low Point System, will apply as changed by the SIs.

## **11 RISK STATEMENT**

11.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks, which are assumed by the competitor.

## **12 INSURANCE**

12.1 **Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$300,000 combined single limit. Competitors are solely responsible for obtaining the required coverage.**

## **13 PRIZES**

13.1 Prizes will be awarded for first through third place.

13.2 The following perpetual trophy will be awarded (as further described in the SIs):

(a)The Steve Gale Memorial Trophy - Bowman

13.3 Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organizing authority.

## **14 FURTHER INFORMATION**

14.1 For more information contact: AYC Harborside Director: Linda Ambrose, [lambrose@annapolisyc.org](mailto:lambrose@annapolisyc.org), 410.858.4964