



Notice of Race
JY15 North American Championship
Sayville Yacht Club
Blue Point, NY.
July 28 & 29, 2018



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.

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.2 The US Sailing Prescriptions to RRS 63.2 and 63.4 shall not apply.

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Boats are urged to refrain from displaying advertisements for businesses or products competing with those of the primary and support sponsors of the event. [DP]

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 Each boat entered in the regatta may have only one helmsperson during the regatta, who shall be identified in the boat's regatta registration, along with the expected crew for each day of the regatta. A boat may change crew (but not helm) for one or more days if the Race Committee is notified in advance of the first warning signal on the first day of any such change and does not object. The Race Committee may object if it determines in its sole discretion that the purpose of the crew substitution is to achieve more favorable overall weight for the expected conditions on a particular day. The Race Committee may permit emergency crew changes due to illness or injury or other exigent circumstances at any time.
- 3.3 Entries shall be submitted online at the 2018 JY15 North American Championships page on the Yachtscoring.com website. Paper entries will not be accepted.

3.4 Entry fees per boat are as follows:

\$190 per boat for boats sailed by one or more adults.

\$50 per boat for boats where both skipper and crew are juniors (18 years or younger as of July 28, 2018)

- Entry fees must be paid via the regatta tech registration website.

Entry fee includes the following for skipper and crew: racing, awards, and Saturday dinner.

Additional dinners are available for \$25.00.

3.5 Entries must be received no later than the time of the skippers meeting on July 28, 2018 in order to participate in races held that day. Persons registering after that time will be scored DNC for races missed.

3.6 Additional information is available on the regatta website page at www.

4. REGISTRATION

4.1 A representative of each boat shall check-in and complete registration in person at the Sayville Yacht Club between 1400-1800 on Friday, July 27, 2018 or between 0800-1000 on Saturday, July 28, 2018.

4.2 Crew lists and waivers of liability must be completed and submitted by the close of registration. To utilize the online waiver form, skippers must complete the Crew List in the "Owner's Corner" during the entry process. Subsequently, individual crew members will be notified by email of their boat's entry and those crew members may complete the waiver online. A PDF of the crew waiver that can be printed and signed will also be available on Regattatech.com.

4.3 A boat's registration will not be complete until the waiver of liability has been signed by all crew. In the event of a crew member substitution during the regatta, the new crew member must submit a signed waiver of liability to the OA prior to racing on that boat.

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5. INSURANCE

5.1 Insurance will not be required for the boat and its' participants. However waivers for the skipper and crew must be completed by registration check in.

6. SCHEDULE OF RACES

6.1 As many races will be sailed as are viable on each scheduled day of racing. A maximum of twelve (12) races may be sailed.

6.2 The first warning signal is scheduled for 1100 on Saturday, July 28th and at 1000 on Sunday, July 29th.

6.3 No initial warning signal will be made after 1430 on Sunday, July 29, 2018.

7. MEASUREMENT

All boats and sails are required to comply with current JY Class Rules and will be subject to spot checks by the JYCA Board at any time.

8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

8.1 Sailing Instructions will be made available no later than Friday, July 27, 2018 at the event registration table at Sayville Yacht Club and online on the regatta web page at <http://Sayvilleyachtclub.org> or on the event page on Yachtscoring.com.

Amendments to the Sailing Instructions will be posted on the Official Notice board located at Sayville Yacht Club and on the race website located at: www.yachtscoring.com

9. VENUE

The primary race course will be set up on the Great South Bay in front of the Sayville Yacht Club. The racing area is typically less than five-minute sail from the SYC beach. The final registrations, Skippers Meeting and Official Notice Board will be located at SYC. Boats may also be stored there overnight. Boats will be dry sailed off of the SYC Beach using owner-supplied dollies.

11. PENALTY SYSTEM

11.1 RRS Appendix T, Arbitration, will be in effect.

11.2 RRS 44.1 may be changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by a One-Turn Penalty for some incidents. Additional details will be specified in the sailing instructions.

12. SCORING

12.1 If less than 6 races are completed, a boats score will be the sum of all her races. If 6 or more races are completed, a boats score will be the sum of her races excluding her worst score.

12.2 One race will constitute a series.

13. RADIO COMMUNICATION

13.1 The race committee intends to make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on Marine VHF radio. The specific channel will be in the sailing instructions.

13.2 Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones. [DP]

14. PRIZES

Trophies will be awarded to the top five boats as well as the highest placing boats in the following categories with at least 3 eligible boats: Husband /Wife, Parent/Child, Master skipper

(50 and older as of July 28, 2018), Junior Skipper (18 years or younger as of July 28, 2018) and Female Skipper.

15. PHOTOGRAPHERS AND TV RIGHTS

Competitors give absolute right and permission for any photographs or video footage taken of themselves or their competing boat to be published in any media whatsoever; for either editorial or advertising purposes, or to be used in press information.

16. RISK, DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY, PERSONAL CONDUCT

16.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS Rule 4, Decision to Race. The OA will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

16.2 The Skipper/Owner of each boat participating in the regatta shall be responsible for the behavior of each member of the crew of his/her boat both on the water and while ashore. The destruction of property, the breach of reasonable standards of good sportsmanship by any crew member, or any other person associated with the boat, or the failure of any of those persons to comply with any reasonable request of any race official, or a representative of the OA, host club or assisting clubs, may result in the disqualification of the boat, and its exclusion from the regatta.

17. HOUSING & LOGISTICS

- There are several motels within 10 miles of the Sayville Yacht Club. Camping is available on the property by request.
- Directions and logistics can be found on the SYC website:
www.Sayvilleyachtclub.org

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