



Frog's Cup of Westchester Invitational
Huguenot Yacht Club
New Rochelle, NY
Saturday, September 12, 2026
Classes: RS Feva, Optimist, & ILCA-Laser



NOTICE OF RACE

Class: Opti, ILCA/Laser and RS Feva
Open to: All boats of the above classes that meet CRFW and Regatta Eligibility Requirements

- Huguenot Yacht Club is the Organizing Authority (OA) in partnership with the Junior Sailing Association of Long Island Sound.
- The notation '[DP]' in a rule means that the penalty for a breach of the rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

Abbreviations:

PC	- Protest Committee	RC	- Race Committee
OA	- Organizing Authority	SI	- Sailing Instructions
RRS	- Racing Rules of Sailing	CRFW	- Comité de la Régate Française de Westchester
NoR	- Notice of Race		

1 RULES

- 1.1** The event will be governed by:
- a. the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*
 - c. OPTI, ILCA and RS Feva Class Rules. The use of both "ILCA" and "Laser Performance" boats, as well as practice sails and equipment for such boats is acceptable.
 - d. RRS Appendix V1 Penalty at the Time of an Incident, and Appendix V2, Penalty Taken After a Race, will apply.
 - e. RRS Appendix T, Arbitration will apply

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1** The Sailing Instructions will be available on the CLUB SPOT official notice board:
<https://huguenotyc.com/regatta/DOMhshSY3R/#notice-board>
and a limited amount may be available at check-in.

3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1** This Notice of Race, results, and other information will be available at the Club Spot Notice Board:
<https://huguenotyc.com/regatta/DOMhshSY3R/#notice-board>
and a limited amount may be available at check-in.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 This regatta is open to all competitors who meet CRFW and regatta eligibility requirements.
- 4.2a. **OPTI:** The regatta is open to CRFW members' racing boats of the Optimist Class ages 8 thru 15.
- 4.2b **ILCA / FEVA:** The regatta is open to CRFW members racing boats of the ILCA 6 or ILCA 4, and RS Feva classes whose helmsman and crew members meet the age and weight requirements.
- 4.3 Eligible boats may enter by registering online at the Club Spot Registration Link: <https://huguenotyc.com/register/regatta/DOMhshSY3R/class>. To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.
- 4.4 Questions regarding eligibility and registration should be directed to Laurent Bannon, laurent.banon@gmail.com

5 MEASUREMENT, SAFETY AND EQUIPMENT

- 5.1 Each boat shall carry the safety equipment specified by its Class Association.
- 5.2 Each boat shall have completed a safety check at their home club by of the Head Instructor or Program Chair of the Junior Sailing Program at their club, or a similar competent organization.

6 FEES

- 6.1 The **participation entry fee** collected by Laurent Banon, Regatta Chair. Please make entry by 1700 on August 8, there may be an additional fee for entries submitted after the due date. No refunds of the entry fee will be made after September 8th. A combined fee of \$75 per person fee for Dinghy Charters and Coach Boats (\$75 for each Laser or Opti, and \$150 for Fevas.)
- 6.2 All participants on the water must sign a Waivers
- 6.3 All skippers, crews, and Instructors are required to check in (in person) during registration.

7 SCHEDULE

Day	Date	Time	Activity	Location
		0900	Check-In	Junior Sailing Tent
Saturday	September 12	0930	Skippers Meeting	Junior Sailing Tent
		1000	Harbor Start	RC leaves the Harbor
		1100	First Warning Signal	Starting Area
		Between Races	Lunch	On the Water (BYO)
		1400	No warning signal will be made after 2pm	On the water
		1600	Presentation of awards – Picnic / Barbecue	Front Lawn / Picnic Guest Docking will be available at our JS docks by NYAC

8 VENUE

- 8.1 The racing area will be the south of Goose and Davids Islands in the vicinity of Can 7A, see [Attachment A - Racing Area](#)

9 COURSES

- 9.1 The course to be sailed will be as described in the Sailing Instructions, see [Attachment B – Courses](#).

10 SCORING

- 10.1 Six (6) races are scheduled. One race is required to be completed in order to constitute a series.
- 10.2 When fewer than five (5) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. When five (5) to six (6) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score. This changes RRS A2.1.

11 PRIZES

- 11.1a Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 finishers in the Opti Class
- 11.1b Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 finishers in the ILCA/Laser Class
- 11.1b Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 finishers in the Feva Class: one for Skipper and one for Crew

12 TRANSPORTATION AND PARKING

- 12.1 [DP] boats may not arrive before 0630 Saturday, September 12.
- 12.2 [DP] All boats and trailers that arrive on September 12, shall be stored Lower Parking Lot.
- 12.3 [DP] Non-Members may not park in the upper-lot in front of the Huguenot Club House.

15 RISK STATEMENT

- 15.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes. ***I agree to be bound by all rules that govern this event.***

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