NOTICE OF RACE

ILCA DISTRICT-15 CHAMPIONSHIPS

December 19-20, 2026
Organizing Authority:
ILCA District 15 and
Seabrook Sailing Club

NOVEMBER 24, 2026

1. RULES

1.1. The Organizing Authority will govern the regatta by the rules as defined in the 2025-2028 edition of *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS), including US Sailing Prescriptions, rules of the International Laser Class Association Rules (ILCA), this Notice of Race, and the Sailing Instructions.

1.2. Life jackets/PFD/Buoyancy aids shall be worn on the water except briefly while changing clothing, failure to do so may result in DSQ. Flag Y shall not be displayed. This changes RRS 40.

1.3. Class legal Laser or ILCA sails are required.

2. SAFETY

2.1. Competitors choose to participate in a regatta or to start or continue a race at their own risk (see RRS 3: Decision to Race). Furthermore, each competitor accepts full responsibility for his/her actions during any activity related to the event including on-shore activities**.**

2.2. Competitors will check in with race committee prior to the first start each day.

2.3. Competitors retiring from a race shall notify the race committee at first reasonable opportunity.

3. ELIGIBILITY

3.1. All competitors must be current members of ILCA North America or their equivalent national Class Association. Non-members may join the class at https://ilcanasailing.org/membership

3.2. Competitors under the age of 18, shall have a responsible adult complete a waiver and be available on site.

4. ENTRY

4.1. Entry fee is $60 per competitor through December 11. Thereafter the entry fee is $75.

4.2. Entry fee includes regatta shirt, post-race refreshments both days.

4.3. Registration may be found here:

5. BOATS

5.1. The event is open to class legal boats with ILCA 4/6/7 or corresponding Laser rigs.

6. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

6.1

Friday, December 18	1100	Venue Open to Competitors
Saturday, December 19	1000-1100	Boat set up, Competitor Check in at Registration
	1100	Coaches/Support boat Meeting
	1115	Competitors Meeting
	1230	First Warning
	1700	No Starts After
Sunday, December 20	1030	Competitors meeting,
	1130	First Warning
	1530	No Starts After
	ASAP	Results presentation and Refreshments

6.2 Changes to schedule will be on the Notice Board by 1800 the day before changes go into effect.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available online on or before 1200 hours December 15.

8. RACING AREA

8.1 Races will be sailed on Galveston Bay fronting Seabrook Sailing Club.

8.2 Windward -Leeward courses with offset and leeward gate, with finish separate from start line.

9. SCORING

9.1. The Low Point Scoring System, Appendix A, will apply.

9.2. Nine (9) races are scheduled; three (3) completed races will constitute a regatta.

9.3. If five (5) or more races are scored, the worst score shall be excluded.

10. COACHING

10.1. All coach and support boats shall remain 75 yards away from the race course.

10.2. On the water coaching is permitted between races.

11. PRIZES AND AWARDS

11.1. First, Second, Third Place Prizes awarded for ILCA 4, 6, and 7 Classes.

11.2. Finishes will be reported to ILCA-NA and Gran Prix points awarded to class members.

12. REGATTA CONTACTS

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