

NEW ENGLAND MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIP

September 12 & 13, 2026

NOTICE OF RACE

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1. **ORGANIZING AUTHORITY:** Wickford Yacht Club
2. **RULES:** The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), ILCA Rules, the NA Masters Rules, this Notice of Race (NOR), the Sailing Instructions (SI) as issued, and any amendments.
3. **CLASS:** ILCA 6, ILCA 7, ILCA 4.7. All sail in one fleet. In contrast to ILCA rules, rigs may be switched back and forth throughout the regatta, provided the sail number is the same.
4. **ELIGIBILITY:** ILCA members who are 30 years of age or older as of the first day of the regatta. **ILCA membership is required** and can be taken out at online registration.
5. **SCHEDULE:**

Saturday September 12	Sunday September 13
Registration 0900 – 1000	
Skipper's Meeting 1030	
First Warning 1200	First Warning 1100
Last Start before 1600	Last Start before 1500
6. **REGISTRATION:** On-line - Go to event website <https://theclubspot.com/regatta/RWHSgTPYUV>
7. **ENTRY FEE:** Registration opens June 15 and closes 9 AM September 12. Until August 15th the entry fee is \$90. A \$10 late fee will apply to all entries after that time. Entry fee includes snack bars, coffee, juice, and water at the beach on both days, bottled water on the course, and pizza at the beach on Sunday prior to awards.

Sailors and their guests are encouraged to attend the Regatta Dinner with Open Wine and Beer Bar at the Wickford Yacht Club on Saturday after racing. Tickets for competitors and guests can be purchased for \$32 per ticket until September 4th. If tickets are available after that date, they are priced at \$40. Meal tickets are available at <https://theclubspot.com/shop/regatta/RWHSgTPYUV>
8. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Available at registration and on event website
9. **SCORING:** Low Point Scoring as per RRS Appendix A. In addition, the North American Masters Age Handicap system will be used to determine the overall winner as follows: Legends (75+) add 0 points per race, GGM (65-74) add 1 point per race, GM (55-64) add 2 points per race, M (45-54) add 3 points per race, and APP (30-44) add 4 points per race to their score. There will be one discard after 5 completed races.
10. **Disclaimer of Liability:** Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority 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. Competitors will be required to complete a liability waiver at registration.
11. **PRIZES:** 1st Overall, top 3 APP, top 3 M, top 3 GM, top 3 GGM, top Female, top Legend.
12. **RACING AREA:** West Passage of Narragansett Bay between Quonset Point and Fox Island.
13. **COURSES:** Courses as per SIs.
14. **ACCOMMODATION:** Very limited accommodation with Club members may be available. Email Barb@JacksonWhyte.com for information or for names of local establishments.
15. **INFORMATION:** Text or email Barbara Jackson, Cell 617-510-0384; Barb@JacksonWhyte.com