

Summer Kick-Off Regatta

Corinthian Yacht Club of Seattle June 25-26, 2022

Notice of Race

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing, including the prescriptions of US Sailing, as modified by the NWYRC Notice of Series, this Notice of Race, and the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2 Class rules shall be observed and enforced by the competitors, except that competitors may use a "club sail" in place of a class approved sail, provided it is of the same size, shape, material, and construction.
- 1.3 In the event of a protest, boats are exempted from displaying a red protest flag (this modifies Opti Class rules). These changes will appear in full in the Sailing Instructions. The Sailing Instructions may also change other racing rules.
- 1.4 All attendees (parents, coaches, sailors, volunteers, officials, and spectators) agree to abide by the NWYRC Code of Conduct.

2. ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to Optis (Green & Champ), FJs, Laser/ILCA 4.7s & Radials, and C420s (spin/trap)
- 2.2 Classes not mentioned above with at least five (5) boats sailed by eligible NWYRC competitors may petition for entry. Additional classes are subject to the same cut off and registration dates.
- 2.3 Sailors who meet the eligibility requirements of the NWYRC are invited to attend. All sailors must be registered with the NWYRC. <u>Click Here</u> to register (It's FREE!).

3. REGISTRATION & ENTRY

- 3.1 An entry fee of \$60 for double-handed classes (per boat) and \$30 for singlehanded classes (per boat) shall be collected in advance of the regatta using the online registration system. There will be no in-person registration.
- 3.2 There will be no lunches or other meals provided by the organizers.
- 3.3 Competitors shall register online <u>CLICK HERE TO REGISTER</u>. Entries must be received by 5pm Wednesday, June 22, 2022, otherwise a \$20 late fee per competitor will be charged. Online registration will close at 11am on the day of the regatta.

4. SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 25	Sunday, June 26
1000 Doors Open/Check-In Begins	0900 Doors Open

1130 Skipper's Meeting	1100 First Warning
1230 First Warning	1600 No starts after this time
	After Racing - Awards

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be posted on the event website a minimum of 24 hours prior to the first warning. Printed copies will not be available.

6. RACING AREA

- 6.1 There will be two separate race courses (Alpha & Bravo). Alpha will be set further out in Shilshole Bay. Bravo course will be set immediately adjacent to the Shilshole breakwater or Golden Gardens Park. Class assignments are as follows:
 - 6.1.1 ALPHA COURSE: ILCA 6/Laser Radial, ILCA 4/Laser 4.7, C420 (spin + trap)
 - 6.1.2 BRAVO COURSE: Opti Green, Opti Champ, CFJs (doublehanded non-spinnaker)

7. NUMBER OF RACES

- 7.1 For all classes, except Opti Green Fleet, a maximum of 6 races may be conducted in a single day, with a maximum of 10 total.
- 7.2 A minimum of one race shall constitute a regatta.

8. SCORING

- 8.1 This regatta shall be scored in accordance to Appendix A.
- 8.2 Results of this regatta will count toward the 2022 NWYRC Summer Series overall standings

9. SUPPORT & SPECTATOR BOATS

- 9.1 Except in the case of emergencies, support and spectator boats must remain a distance of 75 feet from the racing area at all times, and shall not cause significant wake in the racing area.
- 9.2 Coaches and spectators must carry a working VHF radio and monitor VHF Channel 69 at all times. Support and spectator boats shall provide assistance to competitors if so directed by the Race Committee.
- 9.3 There will be a mandatory safety meeting for all spectator and support boats 15 minutes prior to the skipper's meeting.

10. SAFETY

- 10.1 Competitors shall wear a US Coast Guard (USCG) approved Type III personal flotation device (PFD) while on the water other than for brief periods while adding or removing clothing.
- 10.2 Competitors shall carry a bowline of at least 20' which is to remain affixed to a tow point at all time while racing.
- 10.3 Attendees must follow all relevant COVID precautions and guidance, plus any additional requests made by the host or regatta organizers.
- 10.4 Anyone with a COVID-19 exposure, symptoms, and/or a positive test should stay home and follow CDC guidance. We will happily issue a refund in such circumstances.

11. PARKING

Competitors may launch their boat on the dinghy ramp at the north end of the Shilshole Bay Marina complex, or at the public boat launch (also in the north end of the marina). Please be aware of permit zones (within the marina) and paid parking zones (boat launch parking lot). There will be a designated area for trailers to be stored during the day in the lot adjacent to CYC. We ask that only dinghy trailers and tow vehicles use the reserved area. Coach boat trailers should be stored in the paid boat launch lot or on the street. Non-towing vehicles should park on the street or in visitor parking.

12. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded proportionally, based on the number of entries registered prior to the registration deadline.

13. CHARTERS

There may be a limited number Optis and FJs available for charter. Boats will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. There is a \$20 charter fee. Sailors are expected to return the boats in good working order. Contact Annie Sorensen at juniorsprogram@cycseattle.org for additional info.

14. FURTHER INFORMATION

For regatta info and charters, contact the Regatta Chair: Annie Sorensen at juniorsprogram@cycseattle.org
For NWYRC info and registration help, contact Series Chair Andrew Nelson at ysd@thesailingfoundation.org