

# NOTICE OF RACE

Ontario Sailing Title Event Championship Series 2008 – Regatta 3

Organizing Authority: Ashbridges Bay Yacht Club

## ***Subject to Amendment***

### **1 RULES**

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The class rules of the participating classes will apply. Boats in the 420 class may use any recognized 420 hull form and the standard club training rig (with non-tapered mast) and shall have a minimum weight of 100 kg fully rigged for sailing and in dry condition but without sails and personal equipment.
- 1.3 The preamble to Part 4 and rule 40.1 is changed to require adequate personal buoyancy to be worn at all times while afloat, except when changing clothing.

### **2 ADVERTISING**

- 2.1 Advertising will be permitted under Category C in accord with ISAF Regulation 20.

### **3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 3.1 The regatta is open to competitors in the Byte, Byte CII, Laser Radial, Laser, Laser >> (with and without spinnaker), Club 420 (with and without spinnaker) and 29er classes.
- 3.2 Competitors and teams are asked to register ONLINE at [www.ontariosailing.ca](http://www.ontariosailing.ca). Click on Racing / Racing Schedule/Results / Regatta Registration.
- 3.3 Late registration will be accepted at ABYC subject to the terms and conditions outlined in sections 5 & 6.
- 3.4 All competitors and coaches, including those who have registered online, must check in at the registration desk at ABYC during the hours indicated in 6.1.
- 3.5 All registrants born in 1990 or later are required to submit at CHECK-IN an acknowledgement that they have read and will abide by the CYA Youth Code of Conduct throughout this event.

### **4 CLASSIFICATION**

The ISAF Sailor Classification Code will apply.

## 5 FEES

5.1 Fees (includes welcome bag, lunch both days and BBQ on Saturday night) are as follows:

*Online registration on or before August 3*

All single-handed classes \$75.00 per boat  
All double-handed classes \$140.00 per boat

5.2 *Late registration at ABYC (see 6.1 for times)*

All single-handed classes \$90.00 per boat  
All double-handed classes \$160.00 per boat

5.3 Coaches \$30.00 (includes lunch both days and BBQ on Saturday night)

## 6 SCHEDULE

6.1 Registration:

Friday, August 8 1730 to 2100 hrs

Saturday, August 9 0800 to 0900 hrs

6.2 Dates of racing:

Saturday, August 9 All classes

Sunday, August 10 All classes

6.3 Number of races:

*Class Number Races per day*

All classes (except 29er) - 7 with 4 maximum

29er – 12 with 8 maximum

6.4 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race on Saturday is 1100 hrs. The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race on Sunday is 1030 hrs. No race will be started after 1400 hrs on Sunday.

6.5 A competitors meeting will be held on Saturday May 24 at 0930 hrs on the patio next to the flagpole. A coachs' meeting will be held immediately following. A coachs' meeting may be scheduled for Sunday at 0845 hrs on the patio next to the flagpole if necessary.

## 7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available after 1600hrs on August 8 at the Registration desk.

## 8 VENUE

8.1 Directions to Ashbridge's Bay Yacht Club can be found the on the ABYC website ([www.abyc.on.ca](http://www.abyc.on.ca)) under 'Visiting ABYC'.

8.2 Racing will be in the waters of Lake Ontario, adjacent to the Ashbridge's Bay Yacht Club.

## 9 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be as follows: windward/leeward or trapezoid or triangle windward/leeward.

## **10 PENALTY SYSTEM**

- 10.1** For the 29er class, rules 44.1 and 44.2 are changed so that only one turn, including one tack and one gybe, is required.
- 10.2** Appendix P will apply and be changed to delete rule P2.3.

## **11 SCORING**

- 11.1** One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 11.2** (a) When fewer than five races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- (b) When from five to 9 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- (c) When 10 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

## **12 SUPPORT BOATS**

Support boats shall be identifiable.

## **13 BERTHING & CAMPING**

- 13.1** Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the boat park.
- 13.2** Limited camping is available in designated areas on a first come first serve basis. All campers must have an adult chaperone on site at all times. The name of the chaperone must be provided to the regatta committee at registration. Camping areas will be strictly enforced alcohol-free zones. Any person who is in possession of alcohol (regardless of age), who is unauthorized to be in the camping area, or who creates a disturbance, may be required to leave ABYC property immediately. Any racer or coach contravening these policies may have their registration refused or revoked by the organizing committee without a hearing.

## **14 RADIO COMMUNICATION**

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. Coaches are reminded that in the case of emergency, they will be utilized as safety boats and be under the direction of the Race Officer. It is recommended that coaches have the ability to contact race officials by VHF while on water.

## **19 PRIZES**

Prizes for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> will be given in each class with five or more boats. For classes with less than 5 boats awards will be presented as follows: 3 boats – 1<sup>st</sup> place only, 4 boats 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place only.

**20    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.

**21    INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of \$1,000,000 per event or the equivalent.

**22    FURTHER INFORMATION**

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