

Race the Tide 2019

Saturday, August 24 - Sunday, August 25
Organizing Authority: Charlottetown Yacht Club
Location: Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada



NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.2. Sail Canada prescriptions will apply.
- 1.3. RRS 40 is changed to apply at all times while afloat without the display of code flag Y. This modifies the preamble to RRS Part 4.
- 1.4. RRS Appendix P is in effect except that rule P2.3 is deleted and rule P2.2 is changed so that it will apply to any penalty after the first.
- 1.5. For Optimists, RRS 61.1(a)(2) is deleted so that boats will be required to display a red flag.
- 1.6. Penalties for breaking a rule other than those of RRS Part 2, rule 31, rule 42 or Sailing Instructions marked (DPI) will be determined by the Protest Committee. This changes RRS 64.1(a). The scoring abbreviation for a discretionary penalty imposed under this instruction will be DPI.
- 1.7. Penalties for breaches of Sailing Instructions marked (NP) will not be grounds for a protest by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a).
- 1.8. If there is a conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions the Sailing Instructions will take precedence. This changes RRS 63.7.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. Open to all levels of dinghy sailors, including those who have not raced before.
- 2.2. Classes include Laser, Laser Radial, Club 420, Optimist, 29er, Club 420 Green and Optimist Green.
- 2.3. Onsite coaching and dinghies available on request.
- 2.4. Eligible competitors may enter online at <https://www.cyc.pe.ca/race-the-tide-registration.html>

3. FEES

- 3.1. Payment will be collected at the regatta prior to racing. Fee includes t-shirt.
Single-handed: \$65 per boat.
Double-handed: \$85 per boat.

4. SCHEDULE

- 4.1. Registration and registered boat check-in at CYC Great Hall will be held:
Friday, August 23th 1800 - 2000 hrs
Saturday, August 24th 0800 - 1000 hrs
- 4.2. There will be two (2) days of racing: Saturday, August 24th and Sunday, August 25th
- 4.3. A coaches and team leaders meeting will be held at 0900 hrs on each day of racing.
- 4.4. The first warning signal will be 1100 hrs on each day of racing.
- 4.5. On the last day of racing no warning signal will be made after 1430 hrs.

5. VENUE

- 5.1. The Charlottetown Yacht Club is located at 1 Pownal St, Charlottetown, PE.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 6.1. The Sailing Instructions will be made available online Wednesday August 21st. Copies will also be available upon completion of registration check-in.

7. RACING AREA AND COURSES

- 7.1. The racing area will be either Charlottetown Harbour or Hillsborough Bay.
- 7.2. Windward leeward or trapezoid courses will be sailed. The Green fleet may sail other course configurations.

8. COACH AND SUPPORT BOATS

- 8.1. All coach and support boats shall register and shall prominently display an identifier supplied by the Race Committee at all times while in the water.

9. SAFETY

- 9.1. All boats must be kept at CYC.
- 9.2. All boats must have a towline fixed to their mast. Competitors may not use other lines from running rigging for this purpose.
- 9.3. A whistle shall be attached by a lanyard to the PFD. The lanyard shall be long enough to permit the sailor to use the whistle while wearing the PFD.

10. SCORING

- 10.1. The low point system of RRS Appendix A will apply.
- 10.2. One race is required to constitute a series.
- 10.3. When five (5) or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

11. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 11.1. All Competitors that participate in the regatta do so entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The Charlottetown Yacht Club, the Race the Tide organizers, and all other individuals and entities involved in the organization of this regatta shall accept no liability whatsoever for any injury, damage or loss or claim, whether personal or material, incurred or inflicted to participants before, during or after this regatta.

12. INSURANCE

- 12.1. The competitor is responsible for ensuring that a minimum of \$1,000,000.00 third party coverage is in place for the event. The organizing authority does not accept any responsibility for verifying that a competitor is insured.

13. PRIZES

- 13.1. Prizes will be awarded for the top three in each fleet. Additional prizes may be awarded.

14. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

- 14.1. In participating in the event, a competitor automatically grant the organizing authority and the sponsors of the event the unrestricted right and permission to use the name and/or image for any text, photograph or video footage of either themselves or the boat they are sailing during the event to be published or broadcast in any media whatsoever (including but not limited to press, television, or internet), for either editorial or advertising purposes or to be used in press information.

15. FURTHER INFORMATION & REGISTRATION

- 15.1. Please see the website at <https://www.cyc.pe.ca/race-the-tide-2018.html>



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