

NOTICE OF RACE FOR I.S.C.Y.R.A EVENTS

Star District 6 Championships Shilshole Bay, Corinthian YC August 29-30 2015

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1. Rules

The Regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) and the rules of the International Star Class Yacht Racing Association (STCR). The Organizing Authority is Corinthian Yacht Club in conjunction with the International Star Class Yacht Racing Association (ISCYRA). The host fleet is Puget Sound Star Fleet.

1.2 RRS Appendix P will apply.

1.3 The prescriptions of US Sailing to rules 40, 67, 70.5(a) and 76.1 has apply and will be included in the Sailing Instructions.

1.4 RRS 32 will be changed to provide that courses will not be shortened.

1.5 RRS 33b will not apply.

1.6 RRS 35 will be changed to provide that boats not finishing within 60 minutes after the first boat to finish will be scored "Did Not Finish" without a hearing.

1.7 RRS 62.2 and 66 will be changed to shorten the time for requesting redress and the requesting that a hearing be re-opened on the last day of racing.

1.8 RRS A4.1 will be changed to provide that a boat failing to check in prior to the warning signal will be scored the same as a boat not starting in that race without a hearing.

2. Advertising

Boats may be required to display Event Advertising on the forward part of the hull.

3. Eligibility and Entry

3.1 Entries eligible in accordance with STCR 21, 26, 29 and 30 may compete.

3.2 Entries shall be submitted on the Official Online Entry Form not later than August 22, 2015 by email. One copy to CYC office@cycseattle.org and one copy of District Secretary foss@pacific-research.com

3.3 Only skippers and crew eligible to compete under the ISAF Eligibility Code shall be eligible to compete in this regatta.

3.4 For the purpose of RRS A Scoring: A competitor is not considered an entry until: (a) All fees are paid and (b) Measurement is completed.

4. Fees

The entry fee of \$100 includes boat and trailer parking, launching, hauling and social events for skipper and crew. Entry fees are due at time of registration. Entry fee is payable by check drawn on a US bank made payable to Corinthian Yacht Club or credit card.

5. Schedule

5.1 Registration, Measurement, Crew Weigh in

Friday Aug. 28 1600 – 1900

Saturday Aug. 29 0800 - 1000

5.2 Schedule of Races

Saturday, Aug. 29 Three races scheduled.

1100 First warning

Dinner at CYC Clubhouse following racing

Sunday, Aug. 30 Three races scheduled.

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No Warning after 1600.

Awards at CYC following racing

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6. Measurement

- 6.1 Each participating boat shall have a valid Measurement Certificate in the name of the current owner, and Weight Certificate. Only boats that have completed registration, paid all entry fees, and passed the prescribed measurement check procedure by 1000 on Aug. 29 2015 are entitled to race.
- 6.2 Crews shall demonstrate compliance with crew weight limits in accordance with STCR 31.1.3 prior to 1000 Aug. 29, 2015. .
- 6.3 Each boat shall show the sail number and national letters as indicated on the Official Entry Form and approved by the Measurer.

7. Sailing Instructions

The Sailing Instructions will be available at registration.

8. Venue

Racing will be conducted on Puget Sound in the Shilshole Bay area and areas North of Meadow Point.

9. Courses

Courses will be Course 4, possibly modified by the Sailing Instructions to use the Start/Finish pin as a leeward mark.

10. Scoring

The Low Point Scoring System, RRS A, will apply, modified so that each series score will be the total of her races scores with her worst score excluded if more than four (4) races are completed.

11. Berthing

Boats shall be berthed at the assigned storage area near Corinthian Yacht Club.

12. Haul-out Restrictions

The Organizing Authority may impose haul-out restrictions.

13. Team and Private Support Boats

A yacht shall receive no outside assistance from support boats or otherwise once she has left the dock for the day until the finish of the last race of the day, except in the case of emergency and/or towing supplied by the organizer and available to all participants.

14. Prizes

- 14.1 Perpetual Trophies will be awarded according to STCR 24.
- 14.2 Series prizes will be awarded to the skipper and crew finishing first through third.
- 14.3 Master's trophy will be awarded to the skipper and crew finishing first in the Series for skippers aged 50 through 59 before the start of the first race. Competitors in the Master's Division will also compete for Series prizes (see 14.2).
- 14.4 Grand Master's trophy will be awarded to the skipper and crew finishing first in the Series for skippers aged 60 or over before the start of the first race. Competitors in the Grand Master's Division will also compete for Series prizes (see 14.2). .
- 14.5 Exalted Grand Master's trophy will be awarded to the skipper and crew finishing first in Series for skippers aged 70 or over before the start of the first race. Competitors in the Super Grand Master's division will also compete for Series prizes (see 14.2).
- 14.6 Venerable Exalted Grand Master's trophy will be awarded to the skipper and crew finishing first in the Series for skippers aged 80 or over before the first race. Competitors in the Ultimate Grand Master's division will also compete for Series prizes (see 14.2).
- 14.7 First female skipper will be awarded.
- 14.8 First Classic boat (under 7300) will be awarded.

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15. Disclaimer

The Organizing Authority may require each competitor to sign a waiver for loss, damage or injury to persons or property occurring in conjunction with the regatta or on the property of Corinthian Yacht Club.. The Organizing Authority, their members, employees, officers and/or agents shall not be responsible for any loss, damage or injury that may occur to person or property whether ashore or at sea as a consequence of the participation of any boat.

16. Insurance

Boats sailing in this regatta must be adequately insured against third party liability for racing risks. Proof of same may be requested.

17. Information

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