



Notice of Race

NWYRC Development Regatta #1

Corinthian Yacht Club of Seattle

Saturday, June 26, 2021

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.

2 ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to Optis (Green & Champ), FJs, and Laser/ILCA 4.7s.
- 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 All sailors must be registered with the NWYRC. [Click Here](#) to register (It's FREE!).

3 REGISTRATION & ENTRY

- 3.1 An entry fee of \$40 for double-handed classes (per boat) and \$20 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 [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#). Entries must be received by 5pm Wednesday, June 23, 2021, otherwise a \$20 late fee per entry will be charged. Online registration will close at 10am on the day of the regatta.

4 SCHEDULE

Friday, June 25, 2021	
6:30pm - 7:00pm	Online Skipper's Meeting
Saturday, June 26, 2021	
10:00am – 11:30am	Rigging/Launching
11:30am	First Warning
7pm	No starts after this time

*Any changes to the schedule above will be directly communicated to competitors at the skipper's meeting. [CLICK HERE](#) for Zoom Link to skipper's meeting.

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be distributed electronically via email. These will be sent to the email address(es) entered in the registration system. Distribution of Sailing Instructions will happen a minimum of 24 hours prior to the first warning.

6 RACING AREA

Race courses will be located immediately in front of Shilshole Bay Marina and/or Golden Gardens Park.

7 NUMBER OF RACES

7.1 For all classes, except Opti Green Fleet, a maximum of 7 races may be conducted in a single day.

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 2021 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 68 at all times. Support and spectator boats shall provide assistance to competitors if so directed by the Race Committee.

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 times while racing.

10.3 Competitors, parents, and coaches must follow all relevant COVID precautions and guidance. This includes wearing a mask when on shore, whether that's in the parking lot or on the docks, not crowding/gathering in busy areas, practicing good handwashing hygiene, and self-monitoring for any COVID-19 symptoms, including fever, shortness of breath, coughing etc. Any individual with a known COVID-19 exposure, suspected exposure, or COVID-19 symptoms 14 days prior to the regatta should follow CDC guidance and self-isolate. There are certain exceptions to this rule for fully vaccinated individuals and others on the [CDC's "When to Quarantine" Page](#). When in doubt, please stay home. We will happily refund your entry fee.

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 zone (within the marina) and paid parking zones (boat launch parking lot). There will be a designated area for trailer to be stored during the day in the lot adjacent to CYC.

12 PRIZES

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

13 CHARTERS

There may be a limited number of Opti hulls available for charter. However, sailors are encouraged to bring their own sails/spars if chartering. 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 at the end of the regatta. Contact Annie Sorensen at juniors@cycseattle.org to inquire about charters.

14 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact the Regatta Chair: Annie Sorensen at juniors@cycseattle.org.