



Bluenose Regatta October 28-29, 2017 Notice of Race

Kitsilano Yacht Club invites you to join us as we wrap up our dinghy racing season with our Bluenose Regatta. This is a One Design event open to One Design Fleets. Local Fleet representatives should email manager@kitsilanoyachtclub.com or call the Club at (604) 730-1646 no later than Monday October 23 to express the level of interest within their Fleet and to request a start. A minimum of 5 entries in a class is required for a start. An X-Class may be started at the discretion of the PRO. Portsmouth ratings will **NOT** be applied to X-Class participants.

1 LOCATION & GOVERNING AUTHORITY

Kitsilano Yacht Club (KYC)
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Vancouver, BC, Canada V6K 1A1
www.kitsilanoyachtclub.com
Phone: (604) 730-1646
E-mail us: Manager@KitsilanoYachtClub.com

- 1.1 The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020 (RRS) except as specifically noted in the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2 The prescriptions of Sail Canada will apply except as specifically noted in the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.3 The class rules of each class will apply, except any of those altered by the sailing instructions.
- 1.4 Official Sailing Instructions will be issued to competitors upon payment of registration fees. Any sailing instructions included in this Notice of Race may be modified up to and including time of registration.

2 ENTRIES

- 2.1 This is a One Design event open to One Design Fleets. Local Fleet representatives should email Manager@kitsilanoyachtclub.com or call the Club at (604) 730-1646 no later than Monday October 23 to express the level of interest within their Fleet and to request a start. A minimum of 5 entries in a class is required for a start. An X-Class may be started at the discretion of the PRO. Portsmouth ratings will NOT be applied to X-Class participants.
- 2.2 Participation must be confirmed by completing registration and payment of fees before 1030 Saturday, October 28, 2017, at the Kitsilano Yacht Club (KYC). The Registration desk is open Saturday between 0900 and 1030 hours. Sailors under age 19 must have signed approval of parent or guardian to participate. Registration forms will be available at www.kitsilanoyachtclub.com. Registration will also be available online.

- 2.3** Entrant must be a member in good standing of both their Fleet's Class Association, a Club recognized by their National Authority, and Sail Canada or the corresponding national authority of the entrant's home club.
- 2.4** KYC reserves the right to refuse entry of any person or boat by refunding money paid upon registration.
- 2.5** All those taking part in the racing do so at their own risk and responsibility. The hosting organization is not responsible for the seaworthiness of a yacht or for the safety of those whose entry is accepted. Attention of the competitor is drawn to RRS Part 1, Fundamental Rule 4.

3 SCHEDULE – REGISTRATION, RACING & SOCIAL

3.1 Registration:

Registration will be available from October 14 to 27 via the online registration and payment system. All participants (skippers and crew) must include emergency contact information as part of the regatta safety plan. A late registration fee of \$20 will apply to any registrations completed after Tuesday October 25, 2017.

The Check-in desk is open Saturday October 28, 2017, between 0900 and 1030 hours.

Sailors under age 19 must have signed approval of parent or guardian to participate.

Registration is online at www.kitsilano yachtclub.com

3.2 Racing:

The scheduled time of the Warning Signal for the first race each day will be:

Saturday – 1200h

Sunday – 1100h

A maximum of nine (9) races will be run.

No warning signal will be made later than 1600 on Sunday

3.3 Social & Food

Coffee, bagels etc. available Saturday morning. Lunches are not provided.

Hot Soup will be available as soon as sailors are off the water on Saturday.

Dinner (included in registration fee for sailors) will be served at about 1700h.

Additional dinner tickets should be ordered on line for \$20/each at time of registration.

Cash only bar will be open Saturday 1500-2000h and Sunday 1530-1900h

4 CLASSES

Coaches – please register on line.

Classes with five or more entries will be scored separately

One X Class made up of those Classes that have fewer than five entries may be permitted to race at the discretion of the Principal Race Officer. No handicap scoring will be applied.

5 PRIZES

- 5.1** Prizes will be awarded to each member of the crews placing first, second and third.

6 FEES

\$50 for Single handed boats (Includes 1 dinner ticket) – extra dinners \$20/each

\$75 for Double handed boats (Includes 2 dinner tickets) – extra dinners \$20/each

\$100 for Triple handed boats (Includes 3 dinner tickets) – extra dinners \$20/each

Coaches no registration fee. Dinner available for \$20/each.

A late registration fee of \$20 will apply to any registrations completed after Tuesday October 24, 2017. Fees must be paid at time of registration. KYC can accept payment in online credit card payment, Canadian cash, US cash at par or Canadian cheque