

Kitsilano Yacht Club Invitational Regatta

Kitsilano Yacht Club, Vancouver, BC Canada

July 8 & 9, 2023

This Regatta is designated the **Canadian Championships for the Cal 20 Fleet**
This Regatta is designated the **Canadian Championships for the Lightning Fleet**
(See a separate NoR for this event)

NOTICE OF RACE

Covid-19 protocols may be in place for the duration of the event. These will be listed on the KYC website and the Clubhouse Official Notice board. For the safety of all we request that you read and follow this information.

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing
- 1.2. The prescriptions of Sail Canada will apply

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. The regatta is open to all boats of the following classes: Star; Lightning; Cal 20; F18; Hobie 18; 505, M242, Melges 24.
- 2.2. Those attending the Lightning Class Championships are required to comply with the requirements for that event.
- 2.3. A minimum fleet of 5 boats is required for a class to be started and scored. There will be no handicapped scoring.
- 2.4. Boats may enter this regatta by completing the registration on the KYC website (www.kitsilanyachtclub.com/kitsinvitational)
- 2.5. Registration must be completed no later than 1800 on Friday, July 7, 2023. Registration link for online registration will be available June 15, 2023 on the online notice board. Check-in is not required for boats registered online. The check-in desk will be open on Friday evening and Saturday morning as per the schedule described in section 6.
- 2.6. All boat crews must provide an emergency shore contact and fees paid before an entry is considered official.
- 2.7. KYC reserves the right to refuse entry of any person or boat by refunding money paid at registration.

3. FEES

- 3.1. The regatta fees are as follows:
 - Early registration, paid in full by midnight, July 5th: \$110
 - After July 5th: \$130
- 3.2. KYC can accept payment by credit card during online registration. KYC will also accept payment in Canadian cash, US cash at par, or Canadian cheque.

4. SCHEDULE

- 4.1. On Site registration/ check-in (not required as a condition of entry):
 - Friday, July 7, 1800-2000
 - Saturday, July 8, 0930-1100
- 4.2. Racing:
 - Scheduled time for First Warning Saturday, July 8 is 1130
 - Scheduled time for First Warning Sunday, July 9 is 11:00
- 4.3. No warning signal will be made later than 1530 on Sunday, July 9th.

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 5.1. Sailing Instructions will be posted online on the KYC website by 1600 June 30th and will be posted on the KYC notice board. Paper copies will be available by request only.
- 5.2. An Official online Notice Board will be available at <https://www.kitsilanoyachtclub.com/kitsinvtational>
- 5.3. The club notice board is located inside the east entrance to the club.

6. PENALTY SYSTEM

- 6.1. For the F18 and Hobie 18 classes only, Rule 44.1 is changed so that a boat may take a One-turn penalty instead of a Two-Turn penalty when she may have broken one or more rules of Part 2 in an incident while racing.

7. SCORING

- 7.1. Each class will be scored separately
- 7.2. One race is needed to constitute a series
- 7.3. When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 7.4. When 5 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

8. LAUNCH/ HAUL OUT

- 8.1. The KYC crane is only to be operated by trained KYC staff or crane-certified members.

9. COMMUNICATION

- 9.1. Boats are encouraged to carry VHF radios. The regatta channel will be stated in the SI's and listed on the Notice Boards
- 9.2. While racing, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make or receive voice or data transmissions that are not available to all boats. This restriction also includes mobile phones.

10. PRIZES

- 10.1. Prizes will be awarded as deemed appropriate by the Organizing Authority.

11. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 11.1. All those taking part in the racing do so at their own risk and responsibility. The Organizing Authority is not responsible for the seaworthiness of a yacht or for the safety of those whose entry is accepted. The Organizing Authority will not accept

any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the regatta. Attention of the competitor is drawn to RRS Part 1, RRS 3.

12. INSURANCE

- 12.1. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of \$100,000 (USD) per event or the equivalent. Proof of insurance may be required at check-in.

13. SOCIAL/ FOOD

- 13.1. Dinner will be served after racing on Saturday, July 8. In addition to the free ticket included with each boat registered, dinner tickets can be purchased on the regatta registration page.
- 13.2. There will be a complimentary barbeque for all registrants on Sunday, July 9 after racing.
- 13.3. Only alcohol purchased from KYC may be consumed on the premises.

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