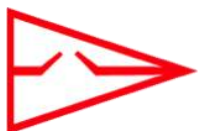


2021 Annapolis Labor Day Regatta
Saturday-Sunday, 4-5 September 2021
CBYRA Sanctions # 327-328
Annapolis, MD



Organizing Authority: Eastport Yacht Club (EYC)

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The notation '[NP]' in a rule means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that rule. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

1 RULES

- 1.1. The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.2. J/105 Class Rules are modified by Articles IX of the local J/105 Fleet 3 Articles/Rules. This event is designated as a Level 1A event. The J/105 Fleet 3 Articles can be found at www.j105fleet3.org/rules.
- 1.3. [DP] Competitors and support persons shall comply with any reasonable request from an event official. Failure to comply may be misconduct. Reasonable actions by event officials to implement COVID-19 guidance, protocols or legislation, even if they later prove to have been unnecessary, are not improper actions or omissions.

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1. The sailing instructions will be available by 2000 hours on Wednesday, 25 August 2021 at <https://www.eastportyc.org/aldr>.

3 COMMUNICATIONS

- 3.1. The online official notice board is located at <https://www.eastportyc.org/aldr>.
- 3.2. [DP] All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on channels 9, 13, 16, 68, 69, 71, 72, and 73.
- 3.3. On the water, the race committee will make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on VHF radio. The channel will be stated in the SIs.
- 3.4. [DP] Except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1. [NP] This race is open to boats of the following classes provided five (5) paid entries must be received by 1200 hours on Friday, 3 September 2021:

PHRF Non-Spinnaker	ORC	ORC Cruiser		
Cal 25	V-Boats			
J/22	J/30	J/35	J/80	J/105

- 4.2. Additional one-design classes will be accepted upon the receipt of five (5) paid entries by 1200 hours on Friday, 3 September 2021.
- 4.3. The V-Boats class will be comprised of boats from the Viper 640 and/or VxOne classes.
- 4.4. Competitors in handicap classes shall have a valid 2021 PHRF or ORC rating certificate.



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4.5. Eligible boats may enter the event by registering online at <https://www.eastportyc.org/aldr>.

4.6. To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.

5 FEES

5.1. The entry fees are as follows:

- \$105 for paid entries, for all classes except ORC Cruisers and PHRF Non-Spinnaker classes, received by 2000 hours on Monday, 23 August 2021.
- \$75 for paid entries for ORC Cruisers and PHRF Non-Spinnaker classes received by 2000 hours on Monday, 23 August 2021.
- \$125 for paid entries, for all classes except ORC Cruisers, received after 2000 hours on Monday, 23 August 2021, but before 1200 hours on Friday, 3 September 2021.
- \$100 for paid entries for ORC Cruisers and PHRF Non-Spinnaker classes received after 2000 hours on Monday, 23 August 2021, but before 1200 hours on Friday, 3 September 2021.

6 EVENT FORMAT

6.1. Two (2) days of racing are scheduled.

7 SCHEDULE

Day	Date	Time	Event
Friday	3 Sep	1200	Entry & registration closes
Saturday	4 Sep	1100	Intended Warning Signal for first race of the day
		After Racing	Post-race party at EYC
Sunday	5 Sep	1030	Intended Warning Signal for first races of the day (drop marks & government marks)
		1500	No warning signal after this time
		After Racing	Trophy and awards presentation at AYC Sailing Center

8 VENUE

8.1. The event venue will be the Eastport Yacht Club, 317 First Street, Annapolis, MD, 21403 and the Annapolis Yacht Club Sailing Center, 510 Severn Avenue, Annapolis, MD, 21403.

8.2. The racing area will be the Chesapeake Bay, in the vicinity of the mouth of the Severn River as shown in NoR Attachment 1.

9 COURSES

9.1. All boats, except ORC Cruisers and PHRF Non-Spinnaker classes, shall sail drop marks courses on Saturday, 4 September. ORC Cruisers and PHRF Non-Spinnaker classes will not race on Saturday, 4 September.



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- 9.2. Cal 25, V-Boats, J/22, J/30, and J/80 classes shall sail drop marks courses on Sunday, 5 September.
- 9.3. ORC, ORC Cruiser, PHRF Non-Spinnaker, J/35, and J/105 classes shall sail government marks courses on Sunday, 5 September.

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

- 10.1. RRS US Sailing Prescription Appendix V, Alternative Penalties, will apply.
- 10.2. Hearings conducted in accordance with the rules of RRS Part 5, [Hearings & Decisions] will be virtual hearings and parties, parties' representatives and witnesses to such hearings shall have access to a device that has internet accessibility with audio and video capability; parties and witnesses must use audio and video to appear before a hearing panel unless advised otherwise by the hearing panel. See *Eastport YC Online Hearing Guidelines - 2021* posted on the Official Notice Board.

11 SCORING

- 11.1. PHRF classes will be scored in accordance with the PHRF Time-on-Time Course ratings for drop marks courses. The A and B factors will be specified in the SIs. The Race Committee will assign the course type rating on race day as detailed in the SIs.
- 11.2. PHRF classes will be scored in accordance with the PHRF Time-on-Time Circular Random Course ratings for government marks courses.
- 11.3. Corrected times for ORC classes will be calculated using ORC Time-on-Time ratings. The race committee will assign the appropriate course type and wind strength prior to scoring as detailed in the SIs.
- 11.4. The V-Boats class will be scored as a one-design class with no handicapping applied between the Viper 640 and VxOne boats.
- 11.5. Each boat's series score shall be the total of all her race scores, this changes RSS A2.1
- 11.6. Rule A5.3 applies to all boats that finish.
- 11.7. RRS 90.3 (e) will apply with the time limit changed to 7 days. This changes RRS 90.3 (e).

12 RISK STATEMENT

- 12.1. Boats participate in the Annapolis Labor Day Regatta entirely at their own risk; see RRS 3, Decision to Race. The OA will accept no liability for material damage, personal injury, or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the event.

13 INSURANCE

- 13.1. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$300,000 per incident or the equivalent.

14 PRIZES

- 14.1. Prizes will be given in each class for 1st place with 3 or more starters, 2nd place with 6 or more starters, and 3rd place with 9 or more starters.



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- 14.2. The OA anticipates that the following perpetual trophies will be awarded (as further described in the SIs):
- a) City of Annapolis Trophy: overall performance.
 - b) SpinSheet Junior Varsity and Varsity Trophies: best performance by boats with junior sailors aboard.
 - c) Eleanor Ruth Wilcox Trophy: best performance by a boat with female skipper.
- 14.3. Additional awards may be presented at the discretion of the Organizing Authority (OA).

15 FURTHER INFORMATION

- 15.1. For further information please contact race.committee@eastportyc.org.



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NoR Attachment 1

The racing area will be on the Chesapeake Bay in the vicinity of Severn River R "2" FI R 2.5s, shown in the diagram below. The approximate GPS coordinates are Latitude 38° 56.501' N, Longitude 076 ° 25.484' W.

