



NOTICE OF RACE

Corinthian Yacht Club of Cape May MAYRA Championship Regatta Laser, Laser Radial, C420 Sunday JULY 30, 2023

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1. RULES and Guidelines

- 1.0 The Corinthian Yacht Club of Cape May is excited to invite sailors of Laser, Radial Laser, and C420 boats to compete in the MAYRA Championship Regatta to be held in the waters of the Atlantic Ocean.
- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and the International Laser Class Association (ILCA) rules and C420 class rules.
- 1.2 The Organizing Authority: Corinthian Yacht Club of Cape May (CYCCM) and the Mid Atlantic Yacht Racing Association (MAYRA)
- 1.3 RRS 40 will be deleted and replaced with: "Competitors shall wear personal flotation devices, except briefly while changing clothing or personal equipment. Wet suits and dry suits are not personal flotation devices." Note that Code Flag "Y" will not be displayed.
- 1.4 The races will take place offshore and sailors should be experienced and competent sailing in coastal ocean conditions where current and waves are likely. If conditions make sailing offshore unsuitable, racing may take place in Cape May Harbor.

2. FLEET ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 Laser, Laser Radial, and C420 competitors with class legal boats and sails may enter by completing registration with the Corinthian Yacht Club of Cape May through Yachtscoring.com. The Regatta is open to competitors regardless of which club or sailing association they are members of, however the MAYRA Champion Award will be awarded to the highest scoring members (in good standing) of MAYRA. All boats and sails must meet class requirements

3. RISK

3.1 Disclaimer of Liability

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk – See Rule 4, Decision to Race. The Corinthian Yacht Club of Cape May will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the regatta.

4. Registration and FEES

4.1 The entry fee is \$60 USD. Payment may be made by credit card on line at yachtscoring.com.

4.2 Online Registration is required and available at: Yacht Score

https://yachtscoring.com/administration/admin_main.cfm?Event_ID=15115

Registration must be completed by Thursday JULY 27. No walk in registrations will be accepted. Competitors must indicate which MAYRA club they are members of, if applicable.

4.3 Registered boats must sign in at CYCCM before 0930 at the Final Check In on Sunday JUL 30 and, all fees and a electronic signature on the Waiver in Yacht Score must be completed. The entry fee includes continental breakfast, on the water snacks and water, after race Pizza and refreshments, and Awards.

4.4 Adult Beverages after racing will be available at the Clubhouse. The cost is NOT included in the entry fee.

4.5 Final check in will close at 0930 prior to the skipper's meeting.

4.6 Tides: Jul 30: Low 1127, High 1819.

5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS JULY 30

800-0930 Check-In, Final check in and Continental Breakfast

0945 Skippers Meeting

1030 Harbor Signal

1130 First warning signal, up to 4 races to follow. Check SI for final schedule. Awards, Pizza and, refreshments following completion of racing.

5.1 No race shall start after 1545 on Sunday. Awards will follow ASAP after the last race.

5.2 The Race Committee intends to run up to 4 races on SUNDAY JULY 30, of which a minimum of one (1) race must be completed to constitute a regatta.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS, COURSES , VENUE, START/FINISH

6.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available during on-site Final Check in and on Yachtscore.com. Course configurations will be Windward/leeward. The start sequence shall be Rule 26. Order of start will be covered in the SI. Start will be between a green tomato shaped mark and an orange flag on the signal boat. The green mark may be replaced by a boat with an orange flag. Finish line will be between a blue flag and a mark and will be described further in the SI.

6.3 Racing will be held in the ocean off Cape May, either on the East Course off Wildwood Crest Beaches, approximately 1.5 miles NE of the Cape May jetty or the West Course off Cape May Beaches approximately 1 mile West of the jetty

(conditions permitting) Alternatively, Cape May Harbor may be utilized if offshore conditions dictate.

6.3 Currents going in/ out and the inlet may be unfavorable and require boats to be towed. Skippers are strongly recommended to carry a tow line of approximately 25 feet to attach to club launch tow bridles.

6.4 Appendix V parts V 1 and V2 shall be in effect.

7. SCORING

7.1 The Low Point Scoring System for a Regatta, Appendix A2, will be used except as modified below.

7.2 There shall be no throw outs.

8. AWARDS

8.1 Laser, Laser Radial, and 420- First through third place; The MAYRA member in each class with the highest place shall be the MAYRA Champion of that Class.

FURTHER INFORMATION

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Additional Information:

Follow the Garden State Parkway to the end to Route 109. The CYCCM is located next to the United States Coast Guard Base at 1819 Delaware Avenue. **When driving on the Delaware Avenue approach to CYCCM, be careful to observe speed limits and watch for children.**

*If there is sufficient interest the club may provide a spectator boat, if interested please contact Jim Forrester no later than **July 23 by email at forresterbrv@gmail.com**. No other spectator boats are permitted. Club Coach Ribs/launches are encouraged to participate and must register with the CYCCM during check in. Coach boats may be asked to assist the RC with RC duties and must comply with the RC directions. CYCCM has hoist options for launching but no trailer ramp launching is available at the club. Ramp launching is available at near by Spicers Creek public Launch area*