



CLEVELAND RACE WEEK – ONE DESIGN  
J/120 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP  
June 14-16, 2019  
Edgewater Yacht Club  
6700 Memorial Shoreway N.W.  
Cleveland OH, 44102

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*The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the NOR means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.*

## **1 RULES**

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 RRS 61 is changed to include: "A boat intending to protest shall notify the RC Signal boat of her intention to protest and the class and sail number of the boat she is protesting, after clearing the finish line. She may do this via direct hail to the Signal Boat or by using the VHF radio channel assigned to her course."
- 1.3 RRS 60.1(a) is changed to read: "Boats failing to display required advertising or bow numbers may not be protested by another boat."
- 1.4 Tartan Ten Class Association Rules regarding weigh-in shall be amended to allow boats to disclose crew weight in writing with their entry form. Weights may be checked during the Regatta to insure compliance. [DP]
- 1.5 The J/120 National Championship Regatta (J/120 NAs) will be governed by the J/120 Class Rules and the J/120 Great Lakes Exceptions to Class Rules – March 2018 (<https://tinyurl.com/y4gfz8fl>).
- 1.6 Removable bow numbers of contrasting color may be required to be attached to both sides of the boat's hull at all times while racing. The bow numbers are to be attached with the top approximately 8-10" below deck level and with the leading edge approximately 10-12" aft of the bow. Bow numbers will be provided in the Regatta Skipper's Package at registration. [DP]

## **2 ADVERTISING**

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. [DP]

## **3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all members of a National Sailing Authority, ILYA Yacht Club, or One Design Class Association.
- 3.2 The regatta is open to any One-Design fleet with 5 or more entries. Starts are scheduled for the following classes:  
J 120, Tartan Ten, J 70, Melges 24, Melges 32, J 22, J 24, J 105, Dragon, Ensign, Jet 14, Interlake, Highlander, Thistle, Lightning and VX One. Classes must have five (5) or more paid entries by May 15, 2019 or the invitation to the regatta is rescinded.
- 3.3 Classes not listed are welcome and should contact the Race Chair to request their inclusion.
- 3.4 Classes with nine (9) or less boats may have their start combined with other classes.

- 3.5 Registration will be available online at: [www.YachtScoring.com](http://www.YachtScoring.com)  
[www.eycweb.com/clevelandraceweek](http://www.eycweb.com/clevelandraceweek) or [www.clevelandraceweek.com](http://www.clevelandraceweek.com) or in person at  
 Edgewater Yacht Club.
- 3.6 Registration deadline for the One Design Regatta is June 12 2019.
- 3.7 A boat is considered registered when the Organizing Authority has received her completed entry form, entry fee, forms required by their Class Rules and Proof of Insurance.

#### 4 ENTRY FEES

- 4.1 Entry fees with early registration discount, if received & completed on or by **May 12, 2019**:  
 2 Day Centerboard boats \$ 90.00 Jet 14, Interlake, Highlander, Lightning, VX Class, Thistle  
 2 Day Keel Boats \$ 120.00 Dragon, J 22, J 24, Melges 24  
 2 Day \$135.00 J105  
 2 Day \$170 Melges 32  
 3 Day Keel Boats \$ 175.00 Tartan Ten, J 70, Ensign  
 3 Day J/120 National Championships \$385  
**US Sailing Members Receive \$10 Off.**
- 4.2 Entry fees, if received & completed after **May 12 to June 12, 2019**:  
 2 Day Centerboard boats \$ 140.00 Jet 14, Interlake, Highlander, Lightning, VX Class, Thistle  
 2 Day Keel Boats \$ 170.00 Star, Dragon, J22, J24, Melges 24  
 2 Day \$185.00 J105  
 2 Day \$220 Melges 32  
 3 Day Keel Boats \$ 225.00 Tartan Ten, J 70, Ensign  
 3 Day J/120 National Championships \$385  
**US Sailing Members Receive \$10 Off.**
- 4.3 Entry Fee includes one wristband, launching, trailer storage, racing and dockage  
 Additional wristbands \$40/person for entire event in advance, On site \$15/day/person.
- 4.4 All regatta parties require a wrist band.

#### 5 TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Thursday, June 13	1700 - 2000	Three Day Fleets - Skippers' packets available
Friday, June 14	0900 - 1100	Three Day Fleets - Skippers' packets available
	1155	Three Day Fleets - First Warning Signal. Additional races may follow.
	1700 - 2000	Two Day Fleets - Skippers' packets available
Saturday, June 15	1800 - 2100	Regatta Party & Daily Awards
	0955	First Warning Signal. Additional races may follow
	After racing	Entertainment, Regatta Party and Daily Awards
Sunday, June 16	0955	First Warning Signal. Additional races may follow
	1300	Deadline for initial warning signals
	After racing	Awards and Regatta Party

#### 6 MEASUREMENT

- 6.1 All competitors shall have a valid Class Measurement Certificate and shall produce it upon request.
- 6.2 A boat or its equipment may be inspected at any time for compliance with **Class Rules, RRS, or the Sailing Instructions.**

#### 7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 7.1 The **Sailing Instructions** will be available after June 11, 2019.
- 7.2 The course for each class and their starting order will be posted June 12, 2019.
- 7.3 Class starting orders may be changed after the 1<sup>st</sup> race of the day.

## **8 VENUE**

- 8.1 Racing will take place on multiple courses in the open waters of Lake Erie, North of Edgewater Yacht Club.

## **9 SCORING**

- 9.1 Back to back races are scheduled each day. For the three day classes the total of races intended will be 10 (ten) and for two day classes the total of races intended will be 7 (seven).
- 9.2 Scoring shall be according to Appendix A except there will be no throw outs. This changes RRS Appendix A. The Sailing Instructions, Class Rules or Class Regatta Regulations may change this rule.
- 9.3 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

## **11 GUEST DOCKAGE AND LAUNCHING**

- 11.1 Complimentary dockage will be provided from Wednesday June 12, 2019 through Tuesday, June 18, 2019. Boats registered for the CRW Offshore Regatta will receive complimentary docking until Tuesday, June 25, 2019.
- 11.2 Launch and haul out travel lift service will be available free of charge for boats arriving on trailers. For travel lift service, owners must call the Club Office (216-281-6470) in advance to make arrangements.
- 11.3 Three (3) two (2) ton hoists and a fixed mast gin pole are available for self-launching.
- 11.4 Complimentary trailer storage is available. All trailers must be moved to the designated area(s) as directed within fifteen (15) minutes of launching. Instructions will be provided upon arrival.

## **12 HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS**

Keelboats shall not be hauled out during the regatta except with and according to the terms of prior written permission from the protest committee. [DP]

## **13 RADIO COMMUNICATION**

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones. [DP]

## **14 PRIZES**

1st, 2nd and 3rd awards in each class with five (5) or more registered and 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th awards in each class with ten (10) or more registered by May 13 .Class provided perpetual trophies may also be presented.

## **15 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See **RRS 4, Decision to race**. The Organizing Authority, Race and Protest Committees and Edgewater Yacht Club 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.

## **16 INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall show proof at or prior to registration that it is insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of \$300,000.00 per incident. [DP]

## **17 PARKING & CAMPING**

- 17.1 Edgewater Yacht Club is a small footprint urban yacht club. Parking space is at premium. Non-members' cars are not allowed to park in the club lot. Competitors may park in designated areas less than 100 yards away in the adjacent Metropolitan Park. Camping is not allowed in the Lakefront Reservation, or on yacht club property. To accommodate competitors who wish to

stay on site, vehicles will be allowed inside the Edgewater Yacht Club gate after 8:00 pm each night. Vehicles must be moved out of the EYC parking lot before 8:00 am each day. Competitors violating 17.1 may not be protested by another boat.” [DP]

17.2 EYC bathrooms will be available 24 hours per day to non-members.

### **18 Responsive Contacts**

Edgewater Yacht Club Office – [office@eycweb.com](mailto:office@eycweb.com) – 216-281-6470

Edgewater Yacht Club Bar –216-281-2441

Regatta Chair – [Hilary](mailto:Hilary.dicenzi@thesailinginc.com) DiCenzi Hilary.dicenzi@thesailinginc.com

Race Chair – [Sam](mailto:Sam.Patterson@gmail.com) Patterson samuelzpatterson@gmail.com

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