

SEIDENBERG NEW ENGLAND MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIP

September 21-22, 2019
Cold Spring Beach, Wickford, RI

NOTICE OF RACE

1. **ORGANIZING AUTHORITY:** Wickford Yacht Club
2. **RULES:** The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the Laser Class Rules (ILCA), the NA Masters Rules, this Notice of Race (NOR), the Sailing Instructions (SI) as issued, and any amendments.
3. **CLASS:** Laser Standard, Laser Radial and Laser 4.7. All sail in one fleet. In contrast to ILCA rules, Rigs may be switched back and forth throughout the regatta, provided the sail number is the same.
4. **ELIGIBILITY:** ILCA members who are 35 years of age or older as of the first day of the regatta. ILCA membership is required and can be taken out at online registration.

SCHEDULE:

Saturday September 21

Registration	0900 - 1000
Skipper's Meeting	1030
First Warning	1200
Last Start before	1600

Sunday September 22

First Warning	1100
Last Start before	1500

5. **PRE-REGISTRATION:** On-line only. Go to event website at: www.tinyurl.com/wyc2019nelm or <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/18363>
6. **ENTRY FEE:** Early registration opens February 11 and closes noon CST July 1, 2019 during which time the fee is \$70. After July 1, an \$85 registration fee is in effect through noon CST August 31, 2019. A \$15 late fee will apply to all entries after that time. Fee includes snack bars, coffee, juice and water at the beach on both days, bottled water on the course, and one ticket to regatta dinner, including beer and wine at Wickford Yacht Club on Saturday evening. Additional dinner tickets may be purchased until September 15 for \$30. Extra dinner tickets may not be available on the day of the event.
7. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Available at registration and on event website
8. **SCORING:** Low Point Scoring as per RRS Appendix A. In addition, the North American Masters Age Handicap system will be used to determine the overall winner as follows: GGM (65+) add 0 points per race, GM (55-64) add 1 point per race, M (45-54) add 2 points per race, and APP (35-44) add 3 points per race to their score. There will be one discard after 5 completed races.
9. **PRIZES:** 1st Overall, top 3 APP, top 3 M, top 3 GM, top 3 GGM, top Female.
10. **RACING AREA:** West Passage of Narragansett Bay between Quonset Point and Fox Island.
11. **COURSES:** Combination of windward-leeward, triangle, and modified Olympic courses as per SIs.
12. **ACCOMMODATION:** See event website <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/18363> for more information.
13. **INFORMATION:** Barbara Jackson, C 617-510-0384; Barb@JacksonWhyte.com