



## NOTICE OF RACE

### 2019 OKANAGAN LAKE END TO END RACE

Vernon Yacht Club, Kelowna Yacht Club & Summerland Yacht Club  
September 13-16, 2019

#### INVITATION

The Kelowna Yacht Club is pleased to chair the annual Okanagan Lake End to End Race to be held with the dedication and support of the Vernon and the Summerland Yacht Clubs. The race weekend kicks off at the North end of Okanagan Lake on Friday, September 13 with late registration and a BBQ at the Vernon Yacht Club, followed by a race to the Kelowna Yacht Club and music in the Member Lounge on Saturday, September 14, and then on to the Summerland Yacht Club and the awards BBQ on Sunday, September 15.

#### RULES

The races will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing [2017-2020], the prescriptions of the Canadian Yachting Association, this Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions and Class Rules where they apply together with any other applicable rules. All entries must be able to accurately record their position on the race course (latitude & longitude) with a GPS device or GPS equipped smart phone in the event that the finish line is not attainable within the allotted time of a day's race. **All entrants must also have a VHF radio (channel 72).**

#### SPONSORSHIP

Advertising on boats will be permitted as long as it is in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20, as stated in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.

#### ELIGIBILITY

The Okanagan Lake End to End Race is limited to keelboats. Boats should have a current PHRF certificate. Any boat not holding a valid B.C. Sailing PHRF Certificate will be issued a rating by the End to End Race Committee. Provision might be made for a separate race with a separate start for non-keelboats if the demand is warranted.

#### REGISTRATION

All skippers, crew and guests may register online for [racing](#) and [reciprocal moorage](#). Regular registration is available online, at [www.kelownayachtclub.com](http://www.kelownayachtclub.com), starting Monday, July 15, 2019 at 3:00PM PST until Saturday, September 14 2019 at 07:00AM PST. Registration packages will be available for pick up at the Vernon Yacht Club clubhouse, 7919 Okanagan Landing Road, Vernon, BC, on Friday, September 13 from 5:00 to 9:00 PM PST, and on Saturday, September 14 from 7 to 7:15 AM PST. If you are unable to attend during these times, please contact **Dennis Young** to coordinate pickup or mailing of your package.

#### RACING

The Race Committee will start the Saturday race from Vernon at 9:00 AM PST & the Sunday race from Kelowna also at 9:00 AM PST.

#### FLEETS

The Okanagan End to End Race will consist of two fleets and a single start for each leg.



## SCORING

Scoring will be in accordance with The Racing Rules of Sailing 90.3 and Appendix A, using the low point system [appendix A4.1] and will be calculated by time on distance. In the event that the finish line is not attainable by the allotted time of 5:00 PM PST, scoring will be based upon the distance achieved and the PHRF handicap. A boat may retire at any time during a race provided that their GPS position is accurately recorded upon retirement. An early retirement will automatically assume the 5:00 PM PST maximum time.

## PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded at the Summerland Yacht Club on Sunday the 15th of September at 6:00 PM PST or earlier if time permits.

## MOORAGE

### VERNON YACHT CLUB:

Please contact the [Fleet Captain](#) to arrange reciprocal moorage.

### KELOWNA YACHT CLUB

Please complete the reciprocal moorage request form that is included in the online registration package or by visiting the [moorage page](#) on the club's site. The assigned moorage location may be found on the moorage page of the website under "Marina Layout Plan". Key cards for the Kelowna Yacht Club access can be obtained at the office with a \$20 refundable cash deposit or upon arrival up to 9:00 PM PST on Saturday evening.

### SUMMERLAND YACHT CLUB

Please complete the reciprocal moorage request [form](#) to request moorage or visit the club's website at [www.summerlandyachtclub.com](http://www.summerlandyachtclub.com) to access the form there and request a key fob (\$40 deposit).

## ENTRY FEES

**Early Bird Registration\*:** \$80.00

**Regular Registration:** \$90.00

**Early Bird Single Leg Registration\*:** \$60.00

**Regular Single Leg Registration:** \$70.00

Entry fees include all applicable taxes & processing fees.

Refunds and/or cancellations will be accepted up to 72 hours prior to 05:00PM PST on Friday, September 13, 2019. Please note, all refunds and/or cancellations will be subject to a \$20.00 administration fee. No refunds and/or cancellations will be processed after this time.

*\*Early bird registration is available until Sunday, August 25 at 11:59PM PST.*

## DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY



All competitors participate in the Commodore's Cup Regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, *Decision to Race*. The organizing authority, management, Board of Directors and volunteers, 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.

#### **INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of \$2,000,000 CDN per incident or the equivalent.

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

**Regatta Chair:** Dennis Young, Kelowna Yacht Club

**Registration:** Nicole Kiatipis, [nicole@kelownayachtclub.com](mailto:nicole@kelownayachtclub.com) or (250)762-3310 x213.