



2019-20 One Design Winter Series

November 2019 – April 2020

Organizing Authority: Manasquan River Yacht Club

405 Riverview Lane
PO Box 325
Brielle, New Jersey 08730-0325

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing

1.2 The Sailing instructions may be modified verbally on the water. Racing Rules of Sailing Part 4 preamble will be changed as follows: When flag Y is displayed ashore, RRS 40 applies at all times while afloat. Racing rule A4.1 will be changed as follows: A boat starting later than four (4) minutes after her starting signal will be scored Did Not Start. Racing rule 33 will be changed as follows: During the race, “gate” marks may be repositioned without signal for minor changes in course. Racing rule 33 (a) (2) will be changed as follows: The race committee will display a green rectangular board if the direction is changed to starboard or a red rectangular board if the direction is changed to port. Racing rules 35 and A4.1 will be changed as follows: Boats failing to finish within fifteen (15) minutes after the first boat sails the course and finishes will be scored Did Not Finish.

2 ADVERTISING

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 The regatta is open to MRYC Pram.

3.3 Eligible boats must enter in **advance of racing** at Regatta Network.

<https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/19917>

4 FEES

4.1 Series: \$50.00

5 QUALIFICATION

5.1 To qualify for series awards, a boat must come to the starting line in at least 50% of the scheduled races that are completed.

6 SCHEDULE

MRYC 2019 / 2020 Winter Pram Series				
	Day	Race Day #	Start Time	High
Nov	Sun 17	1	10:00 AM	10:32 AM EST 4.3 ft
Dec	Sun 01	2	10:15 AM	10:59 AM EST 4.1 ft
Dec	Sun 15	3	9:00 AM	9:28 AM EST 4.5 ft
Dec	Sun 29	4	9:00 AM	9:40 AM EST 4.2 ft
Jan	Wed 01	Special	11:15 AM	12:00 PM EST 3.5 ft
Jan	Sun 05	5	2:30 PM	3:18 PM EST 3.1 ft

Jan	Sun 19	6	2:15 PM	3:02 PM EST 3.4 ft
Feb	Sun 02	7	12:45 PM	1:34 PM EST 3.0 ft
Feb	Sun 16	8	1:00 PM	1:41 PM EST 3.5 ft
March	Sun 01	9	11:15 AM	12:04 PM EST 3.1 ft
March	Sun 15	10	12:45 PM	1:25 PM EDT 3.7 ft
March	Sun 29	11	11:00 AM	11:47 AM EDT 3.4 ft
April	Sun 12	12	11:30 AM	12:09 PM EDT 3.9 ft
April	Sun 26	Makeup Day	10:00 AM	10:42 AM EDT 3.5 ft

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available before the scheduled start of Winter Series 1.

8 VENUE

Manasquan River west of the the Route 35 Bridge.

9 THE COURSES

Windward/Leeward/Triangular/Around the Buoys courses.

10 SCORING

10.1 The Low Point scoring system of RRS Appendix A will apply. RRS A.9, Race Scores in a Series Longer than a Regatta, replaces RRS A4.2.

10.2 The number of scheduled races is “multiple” of which 1 must be completed to constitute the series.

10.4 The Low Point scoring system of RRS Appendix A will apply as changed below. RRS A2 is changed so one (1) race will be excluded for every five (5) races completed.

10.5 Points shall be awarded to a boat and may not be transferred except by specific written permission of the Regatta Committee.

10.6 No race shall be declared official unless three or more entrants come to the starting line.

11 BERTHING

Boat Storage is available free of charge, to those intending at least 50% of the races. Skippers intending to store their boat at MRYC during the series should notify MRYC's

12 RADIO COMMUNICATIONS

A boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats..

13 REQUIRED SAFETY EQUIPMENT

	<u>Paddle</u>	<u>Pump or Bailer</u>	<u>Anchor</u>	<u>Anchor/Tow Line</u>	<u>PFD</u>
MR Pram	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Notes: 1. Manual bailer must be a minimum of 4-quart capacity.

2. All boats must carry a readily available line solely dedicated to towing or anchoring and for use at all times, 24' long and able to tow a swamped boat.

14 AWARDS

14.1 Awards will be presented at MRYC's Fall Awards Dinner in November of 2020.

15 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other

organization or official) will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or the injury to any competitor, including death, sustained as a result of participation in this event. By participating in this event, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

16 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of the policy limit of their homeowner's insurance policy per event or the equivalent thereof.

17 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact MRYC Rear Commodore. 732 995-9446 or rearcommodore@mryc.org