

# 2020 Laser District 20 Championship & Grand Prix



# Sailing Instructions

August 22-23, 2020 Oshkosh, WI

#### 1. Rules

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and the International Laser Class Association (ILCA) Rules.
- 1.2. Each competitor is responsible for ensuring their equipment is in compliance with the ILCA rules. Failure to do so may result in disqualification from the regatta.

#### 2. Entries

- 2.1. Competitors may enter by registering online at <a href="www.regattanetwork.com/event/20449">www.regattanetwork.com/event/20449</a>
- 2.2. Laser Standard, Laser Radial, and Laser 4.7 classes

#### 3. Notices to Competitors

3.1. Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located at registration.

### 4. Signals Made Ashore

4.1. Signals made ashore will be displayed at registration. If a postponement is signaled ashore, the warning signal will be made not less than 30 minutes after flag AP is lowered.

# 5. Schedule and Class Flags

- 5.1. A competitors' meeting will be held at 11:15 a.m. Saturday Aug 22.
- 5.2. The warning signal for the first race will be:
  - 5.2.1. Aug 22, 12:30 p.m.
  - 5.2.2. Aug 23, 9:30 a.m.
- 5.3. Subsequent races will be held as soon as practicable after the end of the previous race.
- 5.4. The class flags are:
  - 5.4.1. Full Rig: Rectangular class flag with white background
  - 5.4.2. Radial: Rectangular class flag with green background
  - 5.4.3. 4.7: Rectangular class flag with yellow background

### 6. Racing Area

6.1. The racing area will be the waters of Lake Winnebago off the Menominee Park Beach, Oshkosh



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#### 7. Courses and Marks

- 7.1. The course will be windward-leeward with a mid-course start/finish as shown in Appendix A
- 7.2. The course will be designated on a white board displayed by the race committee signal boat
- 7.3. All marks, other than the offset, will be orange cylinders. The offset will be an orange ball.

#### 8. The Start

- 8.1. The start will be in accordance with RRS 26 using a 3 minute sequence
- 8.2. The starting and finishing lines will be between an orange cylinder and orange flag on the signal boat.
- 8.3. Separate start for each class

#### 9. Time Limit

- 9.1. The time limit for each race will be 1 hour for the first boat to finish.
- 9.2. Boats not finishing within 15 minutes of the first boat to finish shall be scored DNF
- 9.3. Target time for each race is 30 minutes

#### 10. Protests

- 10.1. Boats wishing to protest must notify the RC finish boat immediately after finishing.
- 10.2. Protests shall be delivered to the registration tent within 30 minutes after the race committee finish boat docks. Forms will be available there.

#### 11. Scoring

- 11.1. 8 races are scheduled.
- 11.2. If at least 6 races are completed, each boat's worst score will be excluded from her series score.
- 11.3. Three races constitute a series.

#### 12. Safety

- 12.1. Boats retiring from a race shall notify RC as soon as possible
- 12.2. Life jackets shall be worn at all times while racing



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# Appendix A

