

NYRA
Once de Mayo Regatta
New Bern, NC May 11 2013

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1 RULES.

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and the rules of the several classes participating.

2 ENTRIES

Competitors may enter by delivering a completed entry form and paying the entry fee by Saturday, May 11 at 8:30. Late fees apply after May 10.

3 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located on the glass panels at the east end of the BSC Clubhouse.

4 SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

Signals made ashore will be displayed from the BSC flag staff.

If AP is displayed from the Signal Boat at dock, 1 minute is replaced by not less than 30 minutes in Race Signals.

5 SCHEDULE AND CLASS FLAGS

A competitors' meeting will be held at 10:00 on the deck of BSC Clubhouse. The warning signal for the first race will be at 11:00. Subsequent warning signals will be not less than 1 minute after the preceding start.

Class flags will be announced at the Competitors' meeting.

6 RACING AREA

The racing area will on the Neuse River in the vicinity of marker 2, 17 and 19, or in Broad Creek off of Blackbeard Sailing Club.

7 COURSES AND MARKS

The courses will be either "T" triangle, windward, leeward or "W" windward, leeward twice around all with downwind finishes.

PHRF class boats will round a yellow weather mark, One Design boats will round an orange weather mark.

Marks all classes except Opti's will be orange or yellow inflatable tetrahedron. The Opti Class will use spherical marks. All marks are to be left to port.

8 STARTING AND FINISHING LINES AND STARTING SYSTEM

The start/finish line will be between an orange flag on the Signal Boat and a 3' orange tetrahedron at the port end.

For all classes except Opti's, starts will be made in accordance with rule 26. For Opti's starts will be in accordance with rule 26 except the duration of the sequence will be 3 minutes.

9 TIME LIMIT

There will be no time limit for any race.

10 PROTESTS

Protests shall be delivered to the Signal Boat within 30 minutes of when it docks at the end of "C" dock after the last race. Hearings will be held as soon as possible in the order of filing.

11 SCORING

5 races are scheduled. A boat's worst score will be excluded if more than three races are completed. One completed race constitutes a series.