

INVITATION: **Richmond Yacht Club** invites all centerboard monohull dinghies to the Totally Dinghy Regatta to be held at a conveniently located short sail from the club. Fleets of 5 or more will receive a separate start. There will be Open Classes based on handicap ratings.

ELIGIBILITY: All skippers and crew members must have agreed to the Waver and Release of Liability, and the skipper must have completed an ON LINE entry form and paid the event fee, including any applicable late fee (see **Entry and Fees**, below), before beginning official competition.

RULES: The Regatta will be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and this Notice of Race, except as any of these are modified by the Sailing Instructions.

COURSES: There will be mark rounding courses on Saturday, Sept. 23 and Sunday, Sept. 24, in the possible areas of either Protero Channel, South Hampton Shoals, or Keller Cove. Fleet assignments will be made at the Skippers meeting Saturday.

SCHEDULE:

Saturday Sept. 23:

Skippers Meeting for all fleets 10:30 AM
First Warning 12 noon
Subsequent races immediately after finish of Race 1 No races will be started after 1600 on Saturday

Sunday Sept. 24

First Warning 12 noon

Subsequent races immediately after finish of first race. No races will be started after 1500 on Sunday.

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS: SI's will be available at www.richmondyc.org before the regatta.

SCORING: The Low Point System, RRS Appendix A4 will apply. (Note: Skippers are responsible for notifying the Race Committee of any sail number changes in timely fashion; scoring will be by sail number only.)

ENTRY and FEES: The entry fee will be \$45 for single-handed boats and \$55 for all others. The entry fee will include all racing and regatta awards and light beverage/food on Saturday. You must register ON LINE at richmondyc.org by Monday Sept. 18 at 21:59 CST or a late fee of \$20 will apply. No refunds available after late fee applies.

SOCIAL: Drink Tickets (one per boat for single handed and two for double handed will be passed out) and a taco bar will be available after the racing on Saturday on the upper deck.

TROPHIES: First, Second and Third Place for fleets of 10 or more, First and Second for Fleets of 7, First for fleets of 5.

REGATTA CONTACTS:

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