

NOTICE OF RACE
(Updated February 18, 2019)

2019 Yngling Open North American Championship
Organized by Sail Sheboygan and the United States Yngling Association
July 23-25, 2019 Sheboygan, WI USA

The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the NoR means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*.
- 1.2 US Sailing prescriptions 60.3, 61.4, 67, 76.1 will apply.
- 1.3 The International Yngling Class Championship rules will apply.
- 1.4 If there is a conflict between languages the text in the English language will take precedence.

2 Safety

- 2.1 Competitors personal flotation devices (PFD's) shall be inherently buoyant approved by the U.S. Coast Guard (or for international competitors, the equivalent authority of their home country.)
- 2.2 All boats shall have a USCG approved Type IV throwable PFD (cushion) and a sound signaling device (whistle or horn). Type IV throwable devices and whistles will be supplied to non-US competitors at registration.

3 ADVERTISING

- 3.1 Competitor advertising will be restricted according to World Sailing Regulation 20.
- 3.2 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.
- 3.3 Competitors may be required to carry on-board cameras, sound equipment or positioning equipment supplied by the Organizing authority.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Yngling class with IYA eligibility as described in International Yngling Class Championship Rules.
- 4.2 To be eligible for the Youth Trophy all the crew shall be born on or later than 1Jan 1996.
- 4.3 Teams from all nations can enter the Open North American Championship.
- 4.4 All crew members shall be member of their NYA.
- 4.5 Competitors under 18 years of age shall present a signed and completed parent or guardian consent and declaration form at registration.

4.6 REGISTRATION and ENTRY

Competitors shall register online via the Regatta Network link found at usa.yngling.org. Note that payment will not be taken via the website. See Section 5. Fees, for payment instructions.

5 FEES

- 5.1. Entry fee per boat is USD \$225 (200 €) The regatta fee includes hoisting, berthing, opening ceremony, regatta banquet for three crew members, and prize giving ceremony.
- 5.2 NON-USA competitor's entry payment shall be made by the NYA for each country by wire transfer by 10 July 2019 to the USYA at the following bank.

Beneficiary Bank:

**Associated Bank
200 N Adams St
Green Bay, WI 54301
SWIFT: ABGBUS44**

Beneficiary:

**mBank
130 S Cedar St
Manistique, MI 49854
Account #90002964**

Final Beneficiary:

**United States Yngling Association
102 S Third Ave
Alpena MI 49707
Acct #1114009898**

- 5.3 US competitors shall print the registration forms and mail with a check from an American bank to include the \$225 entry fee to the following address by July 10, 2019.

**United States Yngling Association
102 S Third Ave
Alpena MI 49707**

- 5.4 Late entry fees will be accepted at regatta registration in the amount of USD\$ 250 cash or check from an American bank.

6 SCHEDULE

Tuesday 23 July	Registration and Launch	1200
	Competitor's Briefing	1700
	Regatta Welcome Brat Fry	1800
Wednesday 24 July	Race Day	
Thursday 25 July	Race Day	
	Awards Ceremony and Pizza	1800

- 6.1 Maximum number of races are 6. There may not be more than 3 races in a day.

- 6.2 The warning signal for the first race on each race day will be 1000

- 6.3 On the last day of the event no warning signal will be made after 1600.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at registration.

8 VENUE

- 8.1 The race office is located at the Sheboygan Yacht Club.

- 8.2 Attachment A shows the location of the regatta harbor.

9 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be outlined in the Sailing Instructions.

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

- 10.1 RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

11 SCORING

11.1 Three (3) races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.2 (a) When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores this changes RRS A2.

(b) When 5 -6 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score per RRS A2.

12 BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the marina from the end of the practice race until the last race of the event. [DP]

13 HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

Keel boats shall not be hauled out during the regatta except with and according to the terms of prior written permission of the race committee from the end of the practice race until the last race of the event. [DP]

14 DIVING EQUIPMENT AND PLASTIC POOLS

Underwater breathing apparatus and plastic pools or their equivalent shall not be used around keel boats between the preparatory signal of the first race and the end of the regatta [DP]

15 RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones. [DP]

16 PRIZES

16.1 Yngling Open North American Championship Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the regatta winner, regardless of nationality.

16.2 The Bud Berlin Memorial Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the runner up (second place) team.

16.3 The Alpena Cup perpetual trophy will be awarded to the top Youth team.

16.4 All perpetual trophies are and remain the property of USYA and are to physically remain in North America.

17 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4 Decision to Race. The organizing authority 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.

18 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1,000,000. USD per event or the equivalent.

19 FURTHER INFORMATION

19.1 For more information, visit usa.yngling.org

19.2 Information about accommodation will be shared online at usa.yngling.org

19.3 For charter boats during the event please contact sally.jacquemin@gmail.com

19.4 For boat shipping information from Europe, please contact ralf.teichmann@dr-clauser.com

Attachment A: Location of harbor and Yacht Club.

