



## Notice of Race

SAILING ASSOCIATION OF INTERMOUNTAIN LAKES

ROCKY MOUNTAIN FINN CLASS

2019 Rocky Mountain Finn Championship

Date Posted: 3/01/2019

### 1 EVENTS

The Sailing Association of Intermountain Lakes and The Rocky Mountain Finn Class as the organizing authorities will conduct the Rocky Mountain Finn Championship at Lake Dillon, CO, Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

### 2 RULES

- 2.1 The regatta will be governed by the Rules as defined by the *2017-2020 Racing Rules of Sailing* except as changed by this Notice of Race (NOR), the Regatta Sailing Instructions and the rules of the International Finn Class.
- 2.2 ALL BOATS MUST COMPLY WITH STATE MANDATED AQUATIC NUISANCE INSPECTION GOING INTO AND COMING OUT OF THE WATER.
- 2.3 It is highly recommended that all competitors wear a wetsuit on this lake, water temperatures rarely exceed 50 degrees during the summer months.

### 3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all members of the Finn Class. Competitors shall be members of the USA Finn Class Association, the Canadian Finn Association or other relevant national Finn Class Associations.
- 3.2 Competitors must arrange for the registered boat to be present at the event.
- 3.3 To enter, complete and sign the enclosed form, pay the entry fee in Section **4 Fees**, and mail the form and entry fee to the regatta chair listed below or register online at [https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet\\_registration\\_form.php?regatta\\_id=17030](https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet_registration_form.php?regatta_id=17030). Entry may also be completed at the time of registration. Boats that have not registered and not paid their entry fee, will not be considered competitors.
- 3.4 On Site registration will be available at the Dillon Yacht Club Clubhouse. Sailing Instructions will be distributed to competitors at Registration and may be posted at [www.regattanetwork.com](http://www.regattanetwork.com). Up to six (6) races are scheduled. Three (3) races completed will constitute a regatta. Competitors who registered by mail or online are required to check-in at the On-Site registration desk to pick up their Sailing Instructions and sign their waivers.

## 4 FEES

4.1 Fees are \$75.00 which provide for beer/beverages, Saturday evening dinner and Sunday awards.

## 5 SCHEDULES

Friday, July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019 –

1200-1800 - Drop off for Out of State boats and on-site registration

1600 – Practice Race

Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019:

0900-1200 On Site Registration

1200 Competitor's meeting

1300 First warning signal subsequent signals & races to follow

1800-2000 Regatta Dinner at DYC tent

Sunday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019

1200 First warning signal, subsequent signals & races to follow No race warning after 1500

Post Race - Awards

## 6 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official DYC notice board located on the South east face of the DYC Club House.

## 7 CHANGES TO THE RULES

The Sailing Instructions may modify the rules. Anticipated changes include but are not limited to: modification of Appendix A Low Point Score System as described in **Section 10: Scoring**, Inclusion of RRS Appendix T. Changes to the Sailing Instructions may be made on the water under Code Flag L.

## 8 PRIZES

Trophies will be awarded for the top three finishers.

## 9 VENUE

All races will be held on Lake Dillon, CO.

## 10 SCORING

10.1 The Low Point Scoring System in Appendix A will be used with the modifications stated in this Notice of Race:

10.2 Each boats' series score shall be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst (that which can be thrown out) scores after five (5) races have been completed.

10.3 Appendix A 4.2 is modified as follows:

**DNF, RET, RAF, TLE** = number of finishers plus 1;

**DNS, OCS** = number of starters plus 1;

**DNC** = number of competitors plus 1,

**DSQ** = total number of boats registered plus 2.

## 11 PHOTOGRAPHY CONSENT

Competitors entering the regatta accept that they may be photographed and/or videotaped participating in the race and/or Lake Dillon or the Dillon Yacht Club's facilities and they consent to the taking of such images and to the use, reuse, publication and republication of such images in

any media, in conjunction with the competitor's name or not, without compensation and without the competitor's approval of such images or any use thereof.

**12 COACHES AND NON-RACE COMMITTEE BOATS**

All support boats and coaches must be capable of communicating with the Race Committee on VHF channel 69

**13 RADIO COMMUNICATION**

The Race Committee reserves the right to make announcements on the water via VHF radio on channel 69 in addition to announcements made under Code L. These may include OCS calls and advanced warning of upcoming starting sequences and schedules.

**14 INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance with minimum coverage of US \$300,000.00 per event or the equivalent.

**15 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

Competitors participate entirely at their own risk. See RRS Rule 4 Decision to Race. The Sailing Association of Intermountain Lakes and Rocky Mountain Finn Fleet as the organizing authorities 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.

**16 INFORMATION**

For more information, contact the regatta chairs:

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## 2019 ROCKY MOUNTAIN

### FINN CHAMPIONSHIP

July 12-14, 2019

Lake Dillon, Colorado

#### 2019 EARLY REGISTRATION FORM

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

BOAT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

MAIN SAIL NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

**FEES: Regatta Registration Includes regatta entry, food, and drink \$75.00**

**TOTAL FEE \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00**

Cash or Check accepted. **Please make checks payable to 'S.A.I.L.'**

Skipper: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**By signing above, you agree to be bound by the *Racing Rules of Sailing* and by all other rules that govern this event.**

**REGISTER ONLINE OR MAIL COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORMS TO:**

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