



# School's Out Regatta

## June 12-13, 2021

Pontchartrain Yacht Club • 140 Jackson Ave. • Mandeville, Louisiana 70448  
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### NOTICE OF RACE

#### 1. Rules:

1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).

1.2 The RRS are changed by this NOR as listed.

<u>NOR SECTION</u>	<u>RRS</u>
5 Safety	63.1, 40.2
11 Signals Made Ashore	Race Signals
12.2 Start	63.1, A5
13 Penalty	App V
14.2 Time Limit	35, 63.1, A4, A5
15.2 Scoring	RRS A2.1
16.3 Protest and Request for Redress	RRS 63.2 Prescription is Deleted

2. Sailing Instructions: Sailing Instructions will be available at the registration desk first day.

3. Eligibility: Viper 640, Club 420, (GYA circuit #3) Laser and Laser Radial, RS Aero, Sunfish, Optimist (red, white, blue and green fleets), and/or any other class with three or more boats. At the discretion of the organizing authority, there may be a Portsmouth class combining boats from those classes with fewer than 3 boats.

4. Entry: Registration will be held online at <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/21823> by 2000 on June 11, 2021, or at Pontchartrain Yacht Club on June 12, 2021 between 0900 and 1030 in the Regatta Room.

#### 5. Fees:

5.1 Optimist and Optimist Green fleet: \$35.00 US Sailing Membership number required, otherwise \$40.00.

5.2 All other entries: \$40.00 US Sailing Membership number required, otherwise \$45.00.

5.3 Fees may be paid online using a credit card, or in the Regatta Room Saturday, June 12, 2021 by cash, credit card, or check payable to Pontchartrain Yacht Club.

## **6. Safety Regulations**

- 6.1** Before the warning signal of the first race of each day, each boat shall sail on starboard tack past the stern of the race committee boat that is flying Code Flag L and is anchored in the vicinity of the starting line. When passing astern, the boat shall hail her number until acknowledged by the race committee repeating the boat's sail number. A boat failing to do so will receive a scoring penalty equal to 20% of the number of boats starting in that race. The scoring penalty will be calculated as stated in RRS 44.3(c). This changes RRS 63.1.
- 6.2** A competitor who retires early shall notify the Race Committee on the water or alternately the Safety Officer on shore. A boat failing to do so may be banned from future races at PYC.
- 6.3** Rule 40.1 applies at all times.

## **7. Schedule of Events:**

### **Saturday June 12, 2021**

- 0900 - 1030 Registration and Complimentary Breakfast and Bagged Lunch for sailors  
**All Sailors must check in and sign waiver.**
- 1030 Skipper's Meeting - At the meeting the Optimist PRO will announce a time and meeting place for the Opti sailors to have another meeting before going on the water.
- 1125 Warning signal for all classes.
- 1700 Jambalaya Dinner \$10

### **Sunday June 13, 2019**

- 0800 Complimentary Breakfast and Bagged Lunch Available
- 1025 Warning Signal for all classes, additional races to follow.
- 1500 No Warning Signal after this time

Awards ceremony will be as soon as possible following the conclusion of all races.

## **8. Racing Courses:**

- 8.1** Windward-Leeward, twice around with offset.
- 8.2** Windward-Leeward, twice around
- 8.3** Triangle Windward-Leeward

**9. Number of Races:** The race committee will attempt as many races as possible each day.

**10. Venue:** The sailing area will be in Lake Pontchartrain east of the Lake Pontchartrain Causeway and south of the Pontchartrain Yacht Club, in the vicinity of mark M-1.

**11. Signals Made Ashore:** Signals made ashore will be displayed from the flagpole located at the South of the PYC lawn. If a postponement is signaled ashore, the warning signal will not be less than 30 minutes after the AP is lowered. This alters the "RRS Race Signals".

**12. The Start**

**12.1** The starting line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the Race Committee boat and the course side of the nearby mark.

**12.2** A boat starting later than 4 minutes after her starting signal will be scored DNS. This changes rules 63.1 and A5.

**13. Penalty System:** For all classes, Appendix V applies.

**14. Time Limits:**

**14.1** The time limit for each class for each race will be 45 minutes for the first boat to finish.

**14.2** Finish Window – boats failing to finish within 15 minutes after the first boat sails the course in accordance with rule 28 will be scored TLE (Time Limit Expired) without a hearing. This changes rules 35, 63.1, A4 and A5.

**15. Scoring:**

**15.1** One (1) completed race will constitute a series.

**15.2** The low point scoring system of RRS Appendix A will be used, except that a boat's worst score shall be discarded if six (6) or more races are completed. This changes RRS A2.1.

**15.3** The Basic Portsmouth Numbers (D-PN) as published shall be used to determine corrected times for the Portsmouth class.

**16. Protest and Request for Redress:**

**16.1** Protest Forms are available at the race office, located in Pontchartrain Yacht Club. Protests and request for redress shall be delivered there within the appropriate time limit.

**16.2** For each class, the protest time limit is one hour after the class's race committee signal boat docks at the conclusion of that day's racing.

**16.3** The US Sailing Prescription for RRS 63.2 is deleted.

**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. Contact:** Sailing Director Alex Johnson 985-626-3192 or [sailingdirector@pontyc.org](mailto:sailingdirector@pontyc.org)

**19. Lodging:**

**Area Hotels**

Comfort Inn & Suites	Covington, LA 985-809-1234
Courtyard Marriot	Covington, LA 985-871-0244
Hampton Inn	Covington, LA 985-809-0019
Holiday Inn & Suites	Covington, LA 985-893-3580
Homewood Suites	Covington, LA 985-809-6144
La Quinta Inn & Suites	Covington, LA 985-871-0356
Super 8	Covington, LA 985-892-4470

**Bed & Breakfast**

Mar Villa Guest House	2013 Claiborne Street, Mandeville, LA 70448 985-626-5975, <a href="http://www.marvilla.com">www.marvilla.com</a>
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Pontchartrain Winds	434 Girod Street, Mandeville, LA 70448 225-939-8098, <a href="http://www.pontchartrainwinds.com">www.pontchartrainwinds.com</a>
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de La Bleu B & B	124 Lafitte St, Mandeville, LA 70448 (985) 629-4646, <a href="http://www.delableau.com">www.delableau.com</a>
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Blue Heron B & B	510 Girod Street, Mandeville, LA 70448 985-373-8902, <a href="http://www.blueheronmandev">www.blueheronmandev</a>
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## GUEST CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION FORM

Event: School's Out  
Regatta

Event Date: 6/12/21-  
6/13/21

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Phone Number: ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) - \_\_\_\_\_

Club Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Member #: \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to allow Pontchartrain Yacht Club to charge the credit card I provided here for products and services I receive from Pontchartrain Yacht Club during the event or dates indicated above.

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Signature Date

Pontchartrain Yacht Club Guest Member Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please use this number for any purchases during the event!**

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