

2021 Kelowna Yacht Club (KYC) Open Racing, Hot Rum Series Kelowna Yacht Club Fall

1370 Water St. Kelowna, BC, Canada

NOTICE OF RACE (NoR)

1.0 RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (2021-2024), the prescriptions of Sail Canada, this Notice of Race, The Sailing Instructions (SIs) for this series, and the Santana 525 class rules where they apply.
- 1.2 The KYC Covid 19 Sail Fleet Safety Plan available at https://kelownayachtclub.com/wp-content/uploads/COVID-19-Sail-Fleet-Safety-Plan.pdf applies.

2.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available after 12:00 PM on or before Oct 1, 2021, at https://kelownayachtclub.com/racing/open-racing/.

3.0 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 The KYC Flag pole and on-dock bulletin board, located south of the ramp to the main dock. NoR and SIs upates will also be posted at https://kelownayachtclub.com/racing/open-racing/.
- 3.2 [Discretionary Penalty DP] All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on Channel 72.
- 3.3 On the water, the race committee will make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on VHF radio, channel 72.
- 3.4 [DP]While racing, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

4.0 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The event is open to all boats owned by KYC members with a valid PHRF certificate. Boats from outside the Club membership must apply to the Sail Fleet for special permission to race in one or more regular series races. Applications may be presented to the Race Chair who will then submit the application to the Sail Fleet. These visiting boats must be able to show a certificate of public liability insurance as well as a PHRF certificate from BC Sailing.
- 4.2 Boats may enter the event by registering online at https://kelownayachtclub.com/racing/open-racing/.
- 4.3 All boats will compete in a single PHRF fleet.

4.4 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.

5.0 FEES

5.1 Entry fees (excluding Regatta Network 8% surcharge and 5% GST) for all Classes are as follows:

Hot Rum Series	\$60*	Includes entry into Caesars Freezer	
		*Included if boat is already	
		registered for any other series.	

6.0 CREW LIMITATIONS

- 6.1 The Santana 525 Class rules include crew limitations. This crew limitation does not apply while racing in the PHRF fleet.
- **7.0 SCHEDULE** 12 PM Sundays in October excluding October 31.

8.0 EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- 8.1 Each boat shall produce or verify the existence of a valid PHRF certificate.
- 8.2 Boats may be inspected at any time.
- 8.3 The following equipment may be inspected:
 - Safety equipment as per Transport Canada (see below)

Sail and Power Boats over 6 m and up to 9 m (19'8" - 29'6")	One (1) lifejacket or PFD for each person on board One (1) reboarding device (See Note 1) One (1) buoyant heaving line at least 15 m (49'3") long OR One (1) lifebuoy attached to a buoyant line	 One (1) watertight flashlight Six (6) flares of type A, B, C or D, only two (2) can be type D (See Note 2) 	One (1) manual propelling device OR One (1) anchor and at least 15 m (49'3") of cable, rope or chain in any combination One (1) bailer or manual bilge pump (See Note 3)	One (1) sound-signalling device or appliance Navigation lights (See Note 4) One (1) magnetic compass (See Note 5) One (1) radar reflector (See Note 6)	One (1) 5BC fire extinguisher if equipped with a motor One (1) 5BC fire extinguisher if equipped with a fuel-burning cooking, heating or refrigerating appliance
Sail and Power Boats over 9 m and up to 12 m (29'6" – 39'4")	One (1) lifejacket or PFD for each person on board One (1) reboarding device (See Note 1) One (1) buoyant heaving line at least 15 m (49'3") long One (1) lifebuoy attached to a buoyant line at least 15 m (49'3") long	 One (1) watertight flashlight Twelve (12) flares of type A, B, C or D, only six (6) can be type D (See Note 2) 	 One (1) anchor and at least 30 m (98'5") of cable, rope or chain in any combination One (1) manual bilge pump (See Note 3) OR Bilge-pumping arrangements 	 One (1) sound-signalling device or appliance Navigation lights (See Note 4) One (1) magnetic compass (See Note 5) One (1) radar reflector (See Note 6) 	One (1) 10BC fire extinguisher if equipped with a motor One (1) 10BC fire extinguisher if equipped with a fuel-burning cooking, heating or refrigerating appliance
Sail and Power Boats over 12 m and up to 24 m (39'4" – 78'9")	One (1) lifejacket or PFD for each person on board One (1) reboarding device (See Note 1) One (1) buoyant heaving line at least 15 m (49 '3") long One (1) lifebuoy equipped with a selfigniting light or attached to a buoyant line at least 15 m (49'3") long	 One (1) watertight flashlight Twelve (12) flares of type A, B, C or D, only six (6) can be type D (See Note 2) 	 One (1) anchor and at least 50 m (164'1") of cable, rope or chain in any combination Bilge-pumping arrangements 	One (1) sound-signalling appliance. Two required if the boat is 20 m and over that meets the applicable standards set out in the Collision Regulations Navigation lights (See Note 4) One (1) magnetic compass that meets the requirements set out in the Navigation Safety Regulations (See Note 5) One (1) radar reflector (See Note 6)	One (1) 10BC fire extinguisher at all of the following locations: at each access to any space where a fuel-burning cooking, heating or refrigerating appliance is fitted; at the entrance to any accommodation space; and at the entrance to the machinery space. One (1) axe Two (2) buckets of at least 10 L each

9.0 VENUE

- 9.1 The venue will be at and around the Kelowna Yacht Club located at 1370 Water St., Kelowna, BC.
- 9.2 NoR Addendum A shows the location of the racing areas.

10.0 COURSES

10.1 The course will be around permanent KYC marks A, B, C, D, and E. The start and finish line will be comprised of the Race Committee boat and Mark X.

11.0 SCORING

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- i. When fewer than four (4) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- ii. When four (4) or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- 11.2 All Boats will compete in the same PHRF fleet.
- 11.3 Rules A5.3 applies.

12.0 RISK STATEMENT

- 12.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event, each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform, and fatigue resulting in an increased risk of injury. Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia, or other causes.
- 12.2 The organizing authority, management, Board of Directors and volunteers, 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.

13.0 INSURANCE

13.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of \$2,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.

14.0 PRIZES

14.1 Prizes will be awarded for series overall 1st, 2nd and 3rd places

15.0 FURTHER INFORMATION

15.1 For further information please contact John Petty.

SI ADDENDUM A Racing Area and Marks

