2022 MELGES 15 and MC SCOW REGIONAL Tune-Up REGATTA

April 30, 2022

Organizing Authority (OA): TOMS River Yacht Club 1464 Riviera Ave, TOMS River, New Jersey 08753

Notice of Race (NOR)

- 1. RULES
- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS
- 2.1 The sailing instructions will be available on-line at http://www.regattanetwork.com.
- **3 COMMUNICATION**
- 3.1 The official notice board is located on the first floor of the club and posted on-line at http://www.regattanetwork.com.
- 3.2 All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on the RC channel stated in the sailing instructions.
- **4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**
- 4.1 The event is open to all boats of the Melges 15 class and MC Scow class.
- 4.2 Boats may only enter the event by **registering online** at Regatta Network "calendar" at http://www.regattanetwork.com. Registration closes Thursday, April 28, 2022.
- 4.3 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees online.

5 FEES

5.1. The registration fee is as follows:

Melges 15- \$75.00 MC Scow- \$60.00 Youth (19)- \$45.00, includes light breakfast, lunch (Melges 15-2, MC Scow-1), and post-race snacks and beverages. Lunch will be available prior to leaving the dock for consumption on the water during a break between races.

Additional lunches available for purchase, \$10.00

5.2. Entry fee refunds may be granted at the discretion of the OA.

A \$25.00 administrative fee will apply.

6 SCHEDULE

Friday, April 29, 2022.

1800-1930 Early check in, chartroom open for competitors

Saturday, April 30, 2022

0830-0930 Late Check-in, Morning coffee and light snacks will be available.

0930 Competitors Meeting

1030 First Warning Signal, MC Scows (add'l races to follow)
1035 First Warning Signal, M 15s (add'l races to follow)

(5 races scheduled)

Awards to follow chart room open for competitors

Sunday, May 1, 2022. Option to reschedule regatta if Saturday is not sailable.

7 VENUE

7.1 Racing will be on the Wanamaker course at the mouth of The TOMS River or on Barnegat Bay south of the Mathis bridge.

- 8 COURSES
- 8.1 Courses to be sailed will be windward/leeward or trapezoid or a combination.
- 9 SCORING
- 9.1 Low Point Scoring System in RRS Appendix A shall apply.
- 9.2 One race is required to be completed to constitute a regatta.

10 RISK STATEMENT

10.1 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 increased risk of injury.

11 INSURANCE

- 11.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance. The Organizing Authority does not accept any responsibility for verifying a boat is covered by third-party liability insurance.
- 12 PRIZES
- 12.1 Prizes will be awarded to the first three boats and Top Youth, up to age 19 by the end of 2022.

13 PARKING/BOAT STORAGE

13.1 Available for Friday, April 29th and April 30th only. All boats, trailers and vehicles must be removed at the end of race day, Saturday, unless regatta is rescheduled to Sunday, May 1st.

14. AccommodationsDays Hotel by Wyndham (5 Min to TRYC)290 Rt 37 East Toms River, NJ732 244-4000

Clarion Hotel (15 min to TRYC) 815 Rt <u>37 West Toms River, NJ</u> 732 341-2400

Howard Johnson by Wyndham (7 min to TRYC) 955 Hooper Avenue Toms River, NJ 732 908-7694

15. Further Information

For further information please contact:

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