

GSBYRA Junior Race Week July 20 - 22, 2022

Organizing Authority: Great South Bay Yacht Racing Association

Host Clubs:



Bellport Bay Yacht Club Foot of Bellport Lane Bellport, NY 11713 631-286-3226



Moriches Yacht Club Union Avenue Center Moriches, NY, 11706 631-878-9633



Westhampton Yacht Squadron 9 Yacht Club Drive Remsenburg, NY 11960 631-325-8321

NOTICE OF RACE

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1. **RULES** - This regatta will be governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2022-2024*.

2. CLASSES

- 2.1 Classes will be primarily Optimist, 420, Laser, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7, Sunfish, Mercury, Pixel, Blue Jay, O'Pen Bic, RS Quest, and foiling UFO classes, although any junior instructional class is welcome.
- 2.2 Competitors shall compete in the same class, with the same sail number for all days they race.
- 2.3 Opti Green Fleet shall have a green streamer attached to the end of the sprit.
- 2.3 For Season Scoring Optimist White and Blue Fleet competitors may elect to remain in the Fleet designated based on their age at their first Junior Regatta of the season, and at following Junior Regattas they shall inform the registrar to manually override their age designated fleet.

3. ELIGIBILITY

- 3.1 Competitors must be an individual member or a family member of a Full Member Club of GSBYRA or a registered participant in a sailing program.
- 3.2 All competitors must not have reached their 19th birthday during the calendar year in which these regattas are held.

4. **REGISTRATION**

- 4.1 Competitors are requested to register online well in advance in order to assist clubs in planning.
- 4.2 Register online for each day

Bellport Bay: https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/24447

Moriches: https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/24448

Westhampton: https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/24449

5. ENTRY FEE - None

6. SCHEDULE OF RACES – Subject to change based on when GSBYRA Covid Safety Protocol measures permit these activities.

July 20 Bellport Bay Yacht Club 0800 0930 1000 1030	 Meeting of Senior Instructor or representative from all participating clubs Competitors Meeting
July 21 Moriches Yacht Club 0800 0930 1000 1030 1030	 Meeting of Senior Instructor or representative from all participating clubs Competitors Meeting
July 22 Westhampton Yacht Sqd. 0800 0930 1000 1030	 Meeting of Senior Instructor or representative from all participating clubs Competitors Meeting

7. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS** – will be available at the Competitors Meeting and registration.

8. PERSONAL FLOTATION DEVICES (PFD) AND PERSONAL EQUIPMENT

RRS 40.1 applies for all Junior Regattas. Each competitor shall wear a personal flotation device except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. Wet suits and dry suits are not personal flotation devices.

9. SCORING

- 9.1 Each day will be scored separately.
- 9.2 The Low-Point Scoring System, Appendix A RRS, will apply to each day with Appendix A2 modified as follows: When fewer than six races are completed on a given day, a boat's daily score will be the total of her daily races scored. When six or more races have been completed, a boat's daily series score will be the total of her daily race scores excluding her worst score. Boats failing to Finish within 10 minutes of the First Boat to sail the course and Finishes a race may be scored TLE (Time Limit Expired = DNF) without a hearing (this changes A5).
- 9.3 Optional 420 distance race will be scored separately.

10. PRIZES

- 10.1 **Daily Prizes** for the top 3 finishers for each class will be awarded by each club for races held at their club.
- 10.2 **Overall Prizes** will be awarded on the final day of racing by GSBYRA based on compiled scores from all three venues, To be eligible, a competitor must have sailed at all three venues, in the same class with the same sail number. The compilation will use the Low Point Scoring System, Appendix A RRS with the following changes to Appendix A2: the overall finish position for each day will be treated as if it were a single race, with no throw-outs. Tie breaker will be based on lowest overall place on the last day of racing.
- 10.3 **Optional Distance Race Prizes** will be awarded by GSBYRA for optional distance race scores, which will be scored separately.
- 10.4 **GSBYRA Fauth Trophy** is presented at the GSBYRA Fall Dinner and Awards. It is awarded based on the GSBYRA adaption of the Cox-Sprague Scoring System to determine the best performance at Junior Race Week. To be eligible a competitor must be a junior skipper under age 18 and belong to a GSBYRA Full Member Club.