



2024 Kelowna Yacht Club (KYC)

Women's Monday Night Racing

April -June 2024

## 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, and The Sailing Instructions (SIs) for this series.

### 2.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available after 12:00 PM (noon) on or before March 25, 2024, at [kelownayachtclub.com/racing/womens-sailing/](https://kelownayachtclub.com/racing/womens-sailing/).

### 3.0 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 The KYC Flagpole and on-dock bulletin board, located south of the ramp to the main dock. NoR and SIs updates will also be posted at [kelownayachtclub.com/racing/womens-sailing/](https://kelownayachtclub.com/racing/womens-sailing/).
- 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 keel boats with female only crew (male coaches are permitted in Fleet 2). All boats must be able to show a certificate of public liability insurance, as outlined in Section 13. All boats without a valid PHRF certificate will have a PHRF assigned by the race chair and fleet handicapper.
- 4.2 Skippers may enter the event at the Kelowna Yacht Club office or by registering online at [kelownayachtclub.com/racing/womens-sailing/](https://kelownayachtclub.com/racing/womens-sailing/).
- 4.3 Crew must register by paying their entry fee at the Kelowna Yacht Club office.
- 4.4 All boats will be handicapped using the Time on Time PHRF system.

4.5 Classes are defined as follows:

Fleet 1	PHRF	Women Only
Fleet 2	PHRF	Women plus coaches

4.6 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements.

**5.0 FEES**

- 5.1 All Crew members as well as coaches must complete the ‘KYC Registration - for Crew’ form located on the KYC website. If one boat position is shared by two ladies, both are required to register, only one needs to pay.
- 5.2 Skippers and Skippers of coached boats must register by completing the ‘KYC Women’s Sailing Registration’ link located on the KYC website.
- 5.3 Entry fees for all Classes are as follows:

Skipper and Boat registration	\$40 Plus Regatta Network Fee + GST
KYC Member Crew	\$40 per person Plus GST
Non-Member Crew	\$70 per person Plus GST
Coaches	\$0.00

**6.0 SCHEDULE** 6:00 PM Local time on Monday evenings. See Addendum C for dates.

**7.0 EQUIPMENT INSPECTION**

- 7.1 Boats may be inspected at any time.
- 7.2 The following equipment must be on board at all times and may be inspected at any time. Safety equipment as per Transport Canada (see Addendum B)

**8.0 VENUE**

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

**9.0 COURSES**

- 9.1 The course will be around permanent KYC marks A, B, C, D, and E. All turning marks are to be left to port. The start line will be comprised of the Race Committee boat and Mark X. The finish line will be comprised of the Race Committee boat and Mark Y.

## **10.0 SCORING**

### 10.1

- a) When fewer than four races have been completed in a series a boat's score for that series shall be the total of her race scores within that series.
- b) When four or more races have been completed in a series a boat's score for the series shall be the total of her race scores within that series excluding her worst score.
- c) One or more completed races will constitute a series.

10.2 Rules A5.3 applies.

## **11.0 RISK STATEMENT**

- 11.1 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.
- 11.2 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 this race series.

## **12.0 INSURANCE**

- 12.1 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.

## **13.0 PRIZES**

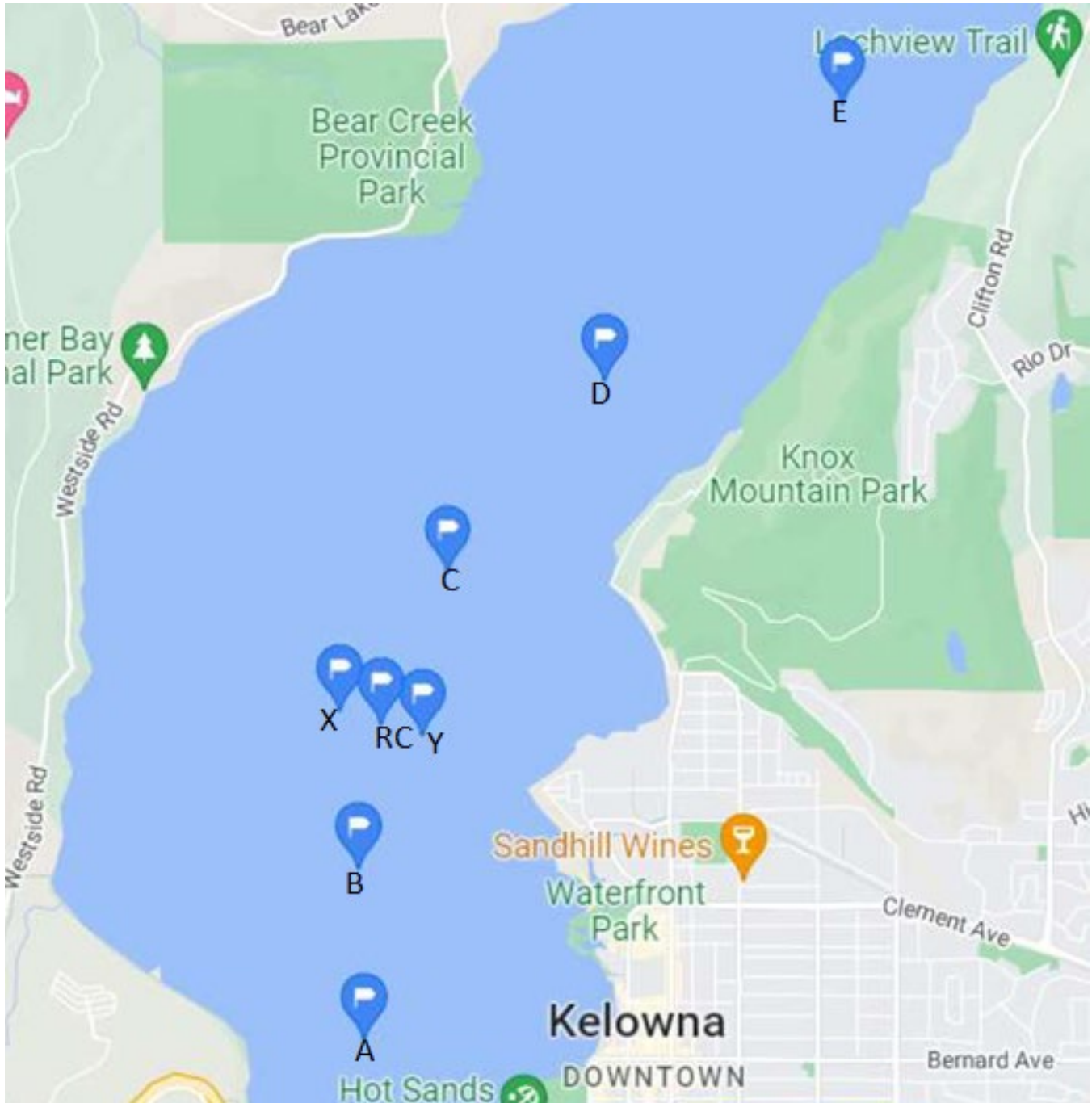
- 13.1 The top winners in each fleet will be calculated in Series A and Series B. Prizes will be given to boats placing First, Second, and Third Overall in each fleet.
- 13.2 The Club Trophy shall be presented to the overall winner of series A and B for each fleet.

## **14.0 FURTHER INFORMATION**

- 14.1 For further information please contact Christine Musgrave [cmusgrave.pm@gmail.com](mailto:cmusgrave.pm@gmail.com)

# ADDENDUM A

## Racing Area and Marks



## ADDENDUM B

### Safety equipment as per Transport Canada:

<p><b>Sail and Power Boats over 6 m and up to 9 m (19'8" - 29'6")</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) lifejacket or PFD for each person on board</li> <li>One (1) reboarding device (See Note 1)</li> <li>One (1) buoyant heaving line at least 15 m (49'3") long OR One (1) lifebuoy attached to a buoyant line</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) watertight flashlight</li> <li>Six (6) flares of type A, B, C or D, only two (2) can be type D (See Note 2)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) manual propelling device OR One (1) anchor and at least 15 m (49'3") of cable, rope or chain in any combination</li> <li>One (1) bailer or manual bilge pump (See Note 3)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) sound-signalling device or appliance</li> <li>Navigation lights (See Note 4)</li> <li>One (1) magnetic compass (See Note 5)</li> <li>One (1) radar reflector (See Note 6)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) 5BC fire extinguisher if equipped with a motor</li> <li>One (1) 5BC fire extinguisher if equipped with a fuel-burning cooking, heating or refrigerating appliance</li> </ul>
<p><b>Sail and Power Boats over 9 m and up to 12 m (29'6" - 39'4")</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) lifejacket or PFD for each person on board</li> <li>One (1) reboarding device (See Note 1)</li> <li>One (1) buoyant heaving line at least 15 m (49'3") long</li> <li>One (1) lifebuoy attached to a buoyant line at least 15 m (49'3") long</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) watertight flashlight</li> <li>Twelve (12) flares of type A, B, C or D, only six (6) can be type D (See Note 2)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) anchor and at least 30 m (98'5") of cable, rope or chain in any combination</li> <li>One (1) manual bilge pump (See Note 3) OR Bilge-pumping arrangements</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) sound-signalling device or appliance</li> <li>Navigation lights (See Note 4)</li> <li>One (1) magnetic compass (See Note 5)</li> <li>One (1) radar reflector (See Note 6)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) 10BC fire extinguisher if equipped with a motor</li> <li>One (1) 10BC fire extinguisher if equipped with a fuel-burning cooking, heating or refrigerating appliance</li> </ul>
<p><b>Sail and Power Boats over 12 m and up to 24 m (39'4" - 78'9")</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) lifejacket or PFD for each person on board</li> <li>One (1) reboarding device (See Note 1)</li> <li>One (1) buoyant heaving line at least 15 m (49'3") long</li> <li>One (1) lifebuoy equipped with a self-igniting light or attached to a buoyant line at least 15 m (49'3") long</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) watertight flashlight</li> <li>Twelve (12) flares of type A, B, C or D, only six (6) can be type D (See Note 2)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) anchor and at least 50 m (164'1") of cable, rope or chain in any combination</li> <li>Bilge-pumping arrangements</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One (1) sound-signalling appliance. Two required if the boat is 20 m and over that meets the applicable standards set out in the <i>Collision Regulations</i></li> <li>Navigation lights (See Note 4)</li> <li>One (1) magnetic compass that meets the requirements set out in the <i>Navigation Safety Regulations</i> (See Note 5)</li> <li>One (1) radar reflector (See Note 6)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>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.</li> <li>One (1) axe</li> <li>Two (2) buckets of at least 10 L each</li> </ul>

## ADDENDUM C

### Women's Monday Night Sailing Schedule

<b>KELOWNA YACHT CLUB 2024 WOMEN'S RACE SCHEDULE</b>				
<b>Date</b>		<b>Start Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Time Limit</b>
<b>Series A</b>				
April 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2024 * Dock Party After	Monday	6:00 PM	SA1	2 Hours
April 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Monday	6:00 PM	SA2	2 Hours
April 29 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	6:00 PM	SA3	2 Hours
May 6 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	6:00 PM	SA4	2 Hours
May 13 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	6:00 PM	SA5	2 Hours
<b>Series B</b>				
May 27 <sup>th</sup> * Dock Party After	Monday	6:00 PM	SB1	2 Hours
June 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Monday	6:00 PM	SB2	2 Hours
June 10 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	6:00 PM	SB3	2 Hours
June 17 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	6:00 PM	SB4	2 Hours
June 24 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	6:00 PM	SB5	2 Hours
<b>Wrap Up &amp; Awards</b>				
July 8, 2024	Monday	TBD		