

NYCC Junior Annual Regatta June 24, 2025 Norfolk Yacht and Country Club Norfolk, Virginia

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- **2.1** The regatta is open to boats of the Optimist Green, Optimist RWB, ILCA 4, ILCA 6, and Club 420 classes.
- The regatta is open to all Junior sailors. Competitors shall not have reached their 19th birthday by December 31, 2025.
- 2.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing online registration and paying the entry fee at https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/29774

3 FEES

Required fees are as follows. There will be a \$10 late fee if registering on/after July 1st. Registration before June 1st includes regatta swag.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Fee</u>
Club 420/29er	\$85
ILCA 4/ILCA 6	\$45
Optimist	\$45

Fee includes registration and post race snacks and drinks.

4 SCHEDULE

4.1 June 24th, 2025

8:00 am-9:00 am Registration on patio outside Sailing Center 9:30 am Competitor's Meeting outside Sailing Center

9:45 am Harbor Start

10:30 am Warning Signal first race

4:00pm No warning signal after this time. Awards to follow

Awards will be presented outside of the Skippers Lounge on the patio.

4.2 Five races are scheduled. However, if time permits, we will allow more races.

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions, and supplementary sailing instructions that will be posted on the Official Notice Board located on the window of the NYCC Sailing Center.

6 VENUE

Lafayette and Elizabeth River locations for 420/29er/ILCA/Optimist RWB are planned. Green Fleet will race in the NYCC Harbor on the Lafayette River.

7. THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be the courses in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions.

8 SCORING

- **8.1** RRS, Appendix A, Scoring
- 8.1 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

9 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall check in upon arrival. Coaches from CBYRA member clubs shall display coach flag. Coaches shall wear PFDs.

10 BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places while they are in the boat park.

11 PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to top three boats in each class. In the Optimist Class, prizes will be awarded to the top three in each fleet and top thee overall. Top girl in each class will also be awarded.

12 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.

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact Duffy Danish, NYCC Waterfront Director, at ddanish@norfolkyacht.com.

Attachment A Additional Information

Support Boat Launching Coach and spectator boats will be ramp launched from NYCC A pier ramp (the one near Hampton Blvd). The other 2 ramps will be used for the sailboats. Trailers will be stored at the Second Presbyterian Church (7305 Hampton Blvd. Norfolk, VA 23505), in the back of the Church.

All boats will be parked in the lower lot (refer to map on event website).

If you need fuel, please contact NYCC Dockmaster.

<u>Accommodations</u> Spring Hill Suites by Marriott is the nearest hotel. Many more hotels in every price range near the Naval Base or downtown Norfolk.

Food A lunch will NOT be provided, please bring your own lunch. Food is available for any families that may be here at the yacht club for purchase, we ask you call ahead for reservations. Competitors should bring their own reusable water bottles. Post race snacks and drinks will be provided.