

# Inspection and Measurement Notes for the 2013 J-70 North Americans

As a courtesy, here are a few tips to help make your inspection and measurement experience go as smoothly as possible.

# ALL BOATS WILL INITIALLY REPORT TO THE AYC <u>SAILING CENTER</u>, entering through the vehicle entrance at 550 Severn Ave, Annapolis (see venue map)

- 1. All boats will undergo an inspection of the required equipment as outlined in the class rules (www.j70class.com).
- 2. Safety lines will be inspected for compliance with CR C.7.2 (a) and (b) except that a force of 1kg will be applied.
- 3. All sails will be presented for measurement and stamping.
- 4. All boats will have bow numbers and event stickers applied. Please ensure the bow area of the boat is free of wax or McLube.
- 5. Boats will not be weighed at registration. The race committee will protest a boat for breaking CR C.6 if the event equipment inspector is satisfied that the boat's weight has been altered since the boat was manufactured.

#### How to make it all work for you and your team

As soon as possible after arriving, pick up your registration package at the AYC Junior Annex (see venue map) during registration hours. In the package you will find a few key items, including an inspection/measurement form to be completed as you work through the process. There will also be tags and information labels that are to be attached to the sails you are registering.

PLEASE NOTE: Event volunteers will be on site Monday 9/23 if you want to get a jump on the measurement and inspection process. The inspection/measurement forms will be available through them on that day (since Registration does not open until 9/24).

- Bring your sails to the "Butler" Building in the AYC Sailing Center parking lot (see venue map). Make sure each sail is tagged and in its bag. The sails will be measured while you get your boat ready.
- Please put all safety and required equipment in the cockpit so the inspectors can come by your boat and sign off on the required gear. Safety lines will be inspected at this time.
- A group of event volunteers will install bow numbers and event stickers so make sure the surface is clean of wax,
  McLube and dirt.
- When picking up your measured sails, be sure to have the measurer sign your inspection/measurement form for the sails

After all measurements and inspections have been done, submit your completed forms to the Registration Desk at the AYC Junior Annex during registration hours. Good luck and enjoy the regatta!



(310 ½ 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Annapolis, MD 21403): registration, regatta desk, jury office, protest forms, protest hearings, official notice board.

## 2. Butler Building/Sailing Center

(550 Severn Ave. Annapolis, MD 21403): sail measurement, equipment inspections.

## 3. Vehicle Entrance/Sailing Center

(550 Severn Ave. Annapolis, MD 21403): bow number assignment, boat & trailer storage.

#### **Vehicle Exit/Sailing Center**

#### 5. AYC Clubhouse

(2 Compromise St. Annapolis, MD 21401): skippers meeting, social events, awards party



**AYC Clubhouse**