



Official Notice of Race - **Amended**
Wickford Regatta 2014

Wickford, RI, USA
 June 7-8, 2014

Wickford Yacht Club is the Organizing Authority



- 1. Rules:** The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing and the class rules of the invited classes.
- 2. Advertising:** Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.
- 3. Venue:** Cold Spring Beach, end of Beach Street, Wickford, RI 02852. The Viper class will be berthed at Brewer's Wickford Cove Marina. The sailing area will be on the West Passage of Narragansett Bay. The Saturday dinner will be held at Wickford Yacht Club, 165 Pleasant Street, Wickford, RI.
- 4. Eligibility and Entry:** The regatta is open to the **Viper, Int. 505, F-18, Int. 420, Club 420, Laser, and Laser Radial** classes. All entries shall conform to the eligibility rules of the respective classes.

5. Event Schedule

Friday 1500-1800	June 6, 2014 Check in and late registration
Saturday 0830-1000 1000 1200	June 7, 2014 Check-in and late registration Competitors meeting Warning signal first race. Subsequent races to follow immediately
Sunday 1000 1500	June 8, 2014 Earliest possible start time. Subsequent races to follow immediately. No races to start after this time.

6. Registration and Fees

6.1 Online Registration must be completed at the event website before June 6 at <http://WickfordRegatta.com>.

6.2

	Wicked Deal registration Feb 1-Mar 31	Great Deal Registration Apr 1-May 25	Late Registration May 26-June 5	Procrastinator's Registration June 6+7
Viper	\$105	\$150	\$180	\$200
505 and F-18	\$80	\$110	\$135	\$155
International 420, Club 420	\$65	\$90	\$110	\$130
Laser, Laser Radial	\$55	\$75	\$90	\$105
Laser Junior, Laser Radial Junior (18 and under)	\$40	\$55	\$70	\$85

6.3 The entry fee includes light breakfast both days, dinner on Saturday night, and regatta hats (not guaranteed for late registrants). Lunches may only be pre-purchased at the time of **online** registration. Details are available on the event registration web page.

7. Launch and Haul options for Viper Class

7.1 Due to a lack of signups Brewer's Wickford Cove Marina will not be offering a roundtrip single launch and haul package. Trailer parking will be available at Wilson Park.

7.2 Vipers will be launched free of charge at the state launch ramp at Wilson Park. Wickford Yacht Club will provide tows from the launch ramp to Brewer's by appointment on Friday evening and assist hauling by staging boats at Wickford Yacht Club and towing them to the ramp when ready to haul to avoid congestion at the ramp.

8. Sailing Instructions: The sailing instructions will be available at the event website after June 3, at check in or at the competitor's meeting.

9. Courses: Trapezoid or Windward-Leeward courses will be used for I-420, Club 420, Laser and Laser Radial Classes. All other classes will sail Windward-Leeward courses.

10. Scoring: The Low Point Scoring System, Appendix A of the racing rules will apply. There will be one throw-out if 4 or more races have been completed. Eight races are scheduled, of which one shall be completed to constitute a series.

11. Disclaimer of Liability: Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 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. Competitors will be required to complete a liability waiver at registration.

12. Prizes: Prizes will be awarded based upon the number of entries received through May 25th. 10 or more entries, top three. Fewer than 10, top two. Equal prizes will be awarded to both skipper and crew in double handed classes. A single trophy per team will be awarded in the Viper class.