



9er Regatta, Kingston

August 6-8, 2019

Kingston Yacht Club

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta is open to 29er, 49erFX and 49er entries.
- 1.3 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in 2017-2020 *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RSS).
- 1.4 The Organizing Authority for this regatta is The Kingston Yacht Club (KYC) in conjunction with the related classes.
- 1.5 The prescriptions of Sail Canada will apply.
- 1.6 These Sailing Instructions take precedence over the NOR.

2. NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board, the southwest window of the KYC Clubhouse..

3. ELIGIBILITY and ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is only open to 29ers, 49erFX and 49er entries.
- 3.2 Participants must be members of their Class Association.
- 3.3 Eligible boats must have completed the registration process, and have paid their entry fee.

4. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted before 0900 on the day it will take effect, except that any change to the schedule of races will be posted by 2000 on the day before it will take effect.

5. SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

- 5.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed on the KYC flagpole at the southwest corner of the property. made less than 30 minutes after the AP is lowered.
- 5.2 Code Flag AP with two horns (one when lowered) means that racing is postponed (stay on shore), no warning will be made less than 30 minutes after the AP flag is lowered. This changes RRS Race Signals.
- 5.3 The time that Protest Time will end will be posted on the Official Notice Board.

6. SCHEDULE

Monday, August 5	1600 – 2000	Regatta Check-in
Tuesday, August 6	0900 – 1000	Regatta Check-in
	1000	Competitors' Meeting
	1200	Warning, 1 st Race (as many as five to be held)
	After racing	Coaching and snacks
Wednesday, August 7	1200	Warning, next Race (as many as five to be held)
	After racing	Coaching and snacks, Regatta BBQ
Thursday August 8	1230	Warning next race (as many as five to be held)
		No sequence will begin after 1600 hours.
	After racing	Coaching and Snacks, Awards Ceremony.

6.3 A maximum of 15 races will be sailed.

7. RACING AREA

The racing area will be to the south of KYC.

8. THE COURSE

The course will be a double windward leeward. See course diagram. Target times are 25 – 30 minutes.

9. MARKS

Marks W, LS and LP will be orange inflatable marks.

10. THE START

10.1 Races will be started in accordance with RRS 26. The start line will be between an orange flag on the main mast of the RC boat and the port end starting mark with an orange flag..

10.2 The Warning flags shall be:

29er – Red 29er on white field.
49er FX – Blue 49er on white field.
49er – Black 49er on white field.

11. CHANGE OF COURSE

Course changes will be made in accordance with RRS 33, the new mark will be green.

12. THE FINISH

12.1 The finishing line will be between the orange flag on the mast of the RC boat, left to starboard and the orange flag on the finish mark, left to port.

12.2 Boats failing to finish **within 15 minutes** after the first boat in their fleet sails the course and finishes will be scored Did Not Finish.

13. TIME LIMIT

The time limit for the first boat to finish will be 60 minutes.

14. PENALTY SYSTEM

Rules 44.1 and 44.2 are changed so that only one turn, including one tack and one gybe, is required.

15. PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS

15.1 Protest forms are available from the race committee.

15.2 Protests and requests for redress shall be delivered to the RC within the appropriate time limit, 60 minutes after the

last finish of the day or the display of AP/A, whichever is later.

15.3 Protest Schedule will be posted as soon as possible after the protest time has expired.

16. COACHES and COACH BOATS:

Coaches must register with the regatta organizers when they arrive at KYC. Coaches will be issued a flag which they must display while in the racing area and are expected to monitor the safety channel on their VHF radios and be available to assist in an emergency. Coaches are to stay outside of the race course area (outside the diamond) during races.

17. SCORING

16.1 The Low Point Scoring System, Appendix A2, will be used except as modified below.

16.2 Boats not finishing within the time limit will be awarded points for Number of Finishers plus 2.

16.3 One race will constitute a series.

16.4 If five races are completed, a boat will discard its worst score.

18. SAFETY

18.1 **Life jackets shall be worn at all times while racing.** Failure to do so will result in a **DSQ**.

18.2 Each competitor must check in with the RC before the first race of each day. Failure to do so may result in a **DSQ**.

18.3 A boat that retires from a race shall notify the race committee as soon as possible.

19. TRASH DISPOSAL

Boats shall not put trash in the water. Trash may be placed aboard support and race committee boats.

20. PRIZES

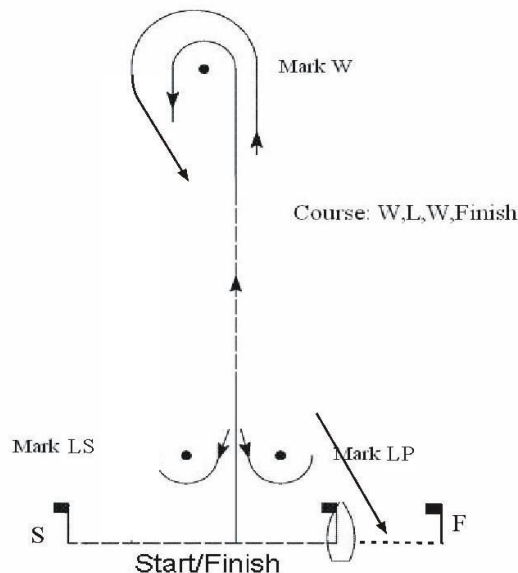
Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 in all three classes, top all female team and top youth team (16 and under) in each class.

21. 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 in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

THE COURSE

Start, Windward, Leeward, Windward, Finish



9er Canadian Championship at the Kingston Yacht Club

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Please treat KYC like your home (keep it clean).

Registration Info

Monday August 5rd 1600 – 1900 Regatta check in at KYC

Details:

Boat Parking - 29ers in the yard, or on the lawn (after 4:30pm Thursday) or on the Breakwater

Trailer Parking - on site, see KYC for direction on this.

Car Parking - on Maitland St. Simcoe St.

Tuesday August 6th 0900 – 1000 Registration at KYC

1000 Skipper's Meeting

1200 Warning Gun, 1st Race of day

After racing Coaching and snacks

Wednesday August 7th 1200 Warning Gun, 1st Race of day

After racing Coaching and snacks

29er Class AGM - Time tbc

Thursday August 8th 1200 Warning Gun, 1st Race of day

No sequence will begin after 1400 hrs

Prize giving to follow after last race.

A maximum of 16 races, no start after 1400 on Thursday August 8th.