

NOTICE OF RACE
ISSA DOUBLEHANDED FALL CHAMPIONSHIP
For the
ATLANTIC COAST CHAMPIONSHIP
To be held at
TOMS RIVER YACHT CLUB
NOVEMBER 13-14, 2010

1. RULES:

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012, the prescriptions of US SAILING, the ISSA Procedural Rules, this Notice of Race, and the Sailing Instructions. The regatta is classified as a Category A event.

2. ELIGIBILITY:

2.1 Competing schools must be members of ISSA and meet ISSA eligibility rules as prescribed in the Procedural Rules.

2.2 Teams must be accompanied by a designated adult team leader, who may be an advisor, coach or parent recognized by the school.

2.3 The regatta has **18 berths**. Selection of competing schools will be by district elimination (or other selection methods designed to select the top teams from the District). Schools should contact their district directors to find out details on district qualifiers. District allocations: MASSA – 4; MWISA – 3; NESSA – 4; NWISA – 1; PCISA – 1; SAISA – 4; SEISA – 1. Qualifying schools must notify organizers before October 20, 2010.

2.4. At-Large berths – Any team may apply to the organizers for an at-large berth. At-large berths will be awarded on a first come, first served basis if any District does not fill all of its allocated berths by October 20, 2010. The open berths will be filled from the list of teams waiting on the “first come” – “at-large” list, unless the District makes special arrangements for qualifiers scheduled after the deadline. Any Berths not filled by the at-large method shall be allocated to the host District.

Apply for at-large berths and/or send notice that your team has qualified to Brian Hull, 173 Silver Bay Road, Toms River, NJ 08753, Ph# 732-255-1285, Cell# 908-278-8929 and brihull@msn.com

3. ENTRY AND COMMUNICATIONS:

3.1 Eligible schools and sailors must enter by submitting an official entry form with the regatta chairperson by October 20, 2010. If the elimination for your district is to be held after this date, please have the district director contact the regatta chairperson immediately so special arrangements can be made.

3.2 Send all forms and checks to:

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3.3 Teams unable to compete must notify the regatta chairperson and ISSA as soon as possible.

3.4 ISSA will reallocate vacant district quotas. The first open allocation will go to the host district. A berth becomes vacant when the qualifying district becomes unable to fill the berth.

4 ENTRY FEE:

4.1 The entry is (\$120.00) per school. This includes snacks, t-shirts and trophies. Team leaders, coaches and parents can buy additional meal packages for \$25.00.

4.2 Make checks payable to: Ocean County College Sailing Club

5 DAMAGE DEPOSIT:

5.1 A damage deposit of \$100.00 must be submitted with each entry. This is refundable if the boat and gear are returned undamaged. In the event damage cannot be attributed to a particular team, the repair costs will be divided evenly amongst all the competing teams.

5.2 Make checks payable to: Ocean County College Sailing Club

6 BOATS:

6.1 420s provided by the Ocean County College Sailing Club. Boats will be sailed as provided.

7 SCHEDULE:

7.1

Friday, November 12, 2010

1500 Practice for teams (Two boats per school)

Saturday, November 13, 2010

0800 Check in/registration

0830 Rigging of boats

0900 Skipper's meeting

0945 First warning and schedule for the day

Sunday, November 14, 2010

0830 Rigging of boats

0930 First Warning and schedule for the day.

1600 No race will start after this time, with the exception of any sail off, if needed

1700 Trophy presentation

7.2 Changes to the schedule will be posted on the official notice board located at the back of Toms River Yacht Club.

8 RACING AREA:

8.1 All races will be sailed on the Toms River in front of TRYC..

9 COURSES:

9.1 Based on conditions, the Race Committee will determine the courses as prescribed in ISSA PR 7.7.

10: SCORING:

10.1 The regatta will be scored in accordance with ISSA Procedural Rules.

11 HOUSING:

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Comfort Inn
2215 Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08753
Phone: 732-929-2900
Fax: 732-929-9090

Holiday Inn Toms River
290 Route 37 East
Toms River, NJ 08753
Phone: 732-244-4000
Fax: 732-244-4052

Hilton Garden Inn
1885 Route 70
Lakewood, NJ 08701
Phone: 732-262-5232
Fax: 732-262-5233

Quality Inn
815 Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08755
Phone: 732-341-2400
Fax: 732-341-6469

12 TRAVEL AND TRANSPORTATION:

12.1 Competitors should use Newark - Liberty International Airport (EWR). Alternative airports are Philadelphia International Airport (PHL), and Atlantic City International Airport (ACY).

12.2 From the Garden State Parkway take exit 82, follow Route 37E 3 miles, hotel on right. From NJ Turnpike take exit 4, follow 73S to 70E Intersect at circle with 37 E, 5 miles make right onto Tennyson Ave then make left at the second stop sign ar.

13 COACHING:

13.1 Team leaders, chaperones, coaches, parents, advisors and other support personnel shall not go afloat in the sailing area from Saturday to Sunday unless explicitly permitted by the regatta chairperson. The penalty for failing to comply with this requirement may be the disqualification of all boats, competitors and teams associated with the infringing support personnel.

14 PRIZES:

14.1 Prizes will be awarded to schools placing 1st, 2nd and 3rd in the regatta. The top school will have its name engraved on the perpetual ACC trophy.

15 OFFICIAL NOTICE:

15.1 No contestant shall use, either on or off the water, alcoholic beverages (beer, wine, or distilled spirits, each as defined in Chap 51 of the US Internal Revenue Code and intended for beverage use), or marijuana, cocaine, or any other controlled substance (as defined in 21 US Code 802), the possession of which, by that contestant is unlawful under 21 US Code 841. Infringements of this regulation and/or other discipline expectations occurring during November 13-14, 2010 may be the basis for a hearing under RRS 69.1 The protest committee for such a hearing shall be the regatta chairperson, a member of the ISSA BOD, and the protest committee chairperson. This protest committee shall, at a time and place selected by them, meet to hear said protest, and their decision to impose scoring penalties, or other sanctions they alone deem appropriate, including summary removal from the regatta, shall be final, without appeal.

16 REGATTA CONTACTS:

16.1 Brian Hull, 173 Silver Bay Road, Toms River, NJ 08753, Ph# 732-255-1285, Cell# 908-278-8929 and email: brihull@msn.com