



LARCHMONT YACHT CLUB

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Saturday, October 16 and Saturday, October 23, 2021

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 Appendix V, Alternative Penalties, will apply.
- 1.3 Each boat shall carry a VHF radio.

2 ELIGIBILITY & BOATS

- 2.1 The regatta will be sailed in Ideal 18 Class boats owned by Larchmont Yacht Club.
- 2.2 Each team shall consist of a skipper and one crew, with skippers invited to participate by the Yachting Committee. The skipper and crew must be a member of the Club or of the immediate family of a member.
- 2.3 Boats will be assigned by lottery.

3 ENTRIES

- 3.1 Skippers shall enter by informing Matt Tym by email (matthew_tym@msn.com) before noon on Wednesday, October 13.
- 3.2 There will be no entry fee, nor will participation in this event incur an Ideal 18 Program fee. Please note, skippers will be liable for the up-to \$1,000.00 damage fee for each incident that results in damage or loss of equipment. No damage charge will be made without prior notification. If two boats are involved, the damage will be allocated: to the skipper losing the protest, to both skippers if the right-of-way boat is found in violation of rule 14, or to the skipper(s) of the damaged boat(s) if no protest is filed.

4 FORMAT

If there are more than eight entries, there will be a qualification series held on October 16. The top eight skippers from that qualification round will race on October 23 to determine the Club Champion. The qualification series will be round-robin, or knockout depending upon the number of entries and the sailing conditions that day.

If there are eight entries or fewer, the finals will be sailed on October 16.

The finals will consist of one or more fleet races.

5 SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 16

0930 Skippers' Meeting

1025 First Warning

Saturday, October 23.

1000 Skippers' Meeting

1055 First Warning

Saturday, November 13

Awards ceremony at Annual Meeting

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available on the Larchmont Yacht Club website no later than 1800 Friday, October 15, 2021.

7 VENUE

The regatta will be sailed in the waters of Larchmont Harbor or its vicinity.

8 THE COURSES

The courses will be stadium style or windward leeward as described in the sailing instructions.

9 SCORING OF FINAL SERIES

9.1 If fewer than five races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. If five or more races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

9.2 One completed race constitutes a series.

10 PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded for first ~~place~~.

11 COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

Skippers and crews shall comply with all of the Club's current Covid-19 Protocols, as posted on the Club's website. A breach of this rule shall not be grounds for protest by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

12 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

By accepting the invitation for this event, the person-in-charge of each boat agrees with the following:

1) My crew and I recognize that sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury, sickness and disease (including communicable diseases such as COVID-19) associated with it. We have read rule 4, Decision to Race, and hereby acknowledge and agree that we are participating in this event entirely at our own risk.

2) I acknowledge and agree that neither the organizing authority, host club nor the race committee, nor their members will be responsible for: a) any damage to the entered boat or my other property, or b) any injury, sickness or disease (including communicable diseases such as COVID-19) to my crew or me, including death, sustained as a result of our participation in this event.

3) I hereby waive any rights I may have to sue the race organizers (organizing authority, host club, race committee, protest committee, sponsors or any other organization or official) with respect to personal injury, sickness or disease (including communicable diseases such as COVID-19) or property damage suffered by my crew or me as a result of our participation in this event, whether on the water or on shore, and hereby release the race organizers from any liability for such injury, sickness or disease (including communicable diseases such as COVID-19) or damage to the fullest extent permitted by law.

4) I have taken all necessary steps to ensure that my crew and I and my entered boat are adequately prepared for all possible contingencies, including carrying and using appropriate safety equipment as may be required by law, racing rules and that a prudent seaman would consider advisable.

I agree to be bound by all rules that govern this event.

I will inform all crewmembers of the conditions stated herein for their participation in such racing.

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

Please contact the Sailing Director at Larchmont Yacht Club, One Woodbine Avenue, Larchmont, NY 10538. Tel. 914-834-2440. Email: racecommittee@larchmontyc.org, Website: www.larchmontyc.org

Matthew Tym and Com Crocker – Event Chairs Richard York – PRO
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