



Larchmont Yacht Club

(OA) Organizing Authority

ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-SIXTH LARCHMONT RACE WEEK

Saturday, July 13, Sunday, July 14, Saturday, July 20, Sunday, July 21, 2024

ONE-DESIGN CLASSES

NOTICE OF RACE

[DP] The notation '[DP]' in a *rule* means that the penalty for a breach of the *rule* may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

1 RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 Appendix V, Alternative Penalties, will apply.
- 1.3 Appendix T will apply as changed below:
After the last sentence of appendix T4, Arbitration Meeting Outcomes, add the following:
If a protest hearing is held, the arbitrator will not be a member of the panel that hears the protest but will be permitted to observe the testimony presented and offer evidence. This changes rule T4 and rule 63.3(a).

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1 The YRA Mid Sound Sailing Instructions will apply and will be posted on the Larchmont Yacht Club site at: Larchmontyc.org and on yachtscoring.com, no later than 1800 Wednesday July 10, 2024. Amendments to the sailing instructions for this event will be posted no later than 1000 on the day they take effect. Copies will also be available during the event at the hospitality desk located on the Veranda.
- 2.2 Scratch sheets will be available on Yacht Scoring.com no later than 1800, Friday, July 12, 2024.

3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board (ONB) online at yachtscoring.com
- 3.2 Each boat shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on VHF 78A.
- 3.3 On the water, the race committee will make courtesy broadcasts to competitors via the VHF radio.
- 3.4 [DP] While racing, from the first warning signal until the end of the last race of the day, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The event is open to all boats of the Viper 640, Etchells, International One Design, Shields, S-Class, J 105, J70, and J 88 classes or any other class that qualifies. To qualify as a class for this event, three valid entries, including the entry fee, must be received prior to 1200 Wednesday July 3, 2024.
- 4.2 Eligible boats may enter by registering online at yachtscoring.com
- 4.3 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.
- 4.4 Teams of at least 2 yachts, in separate classes (racer/cruiser, navigator, one design) along with at least 1 z420 Team Race entry, will be eligible for the Larchmont Race Week Club Champion Trophy.

5 FEES

- 5.1 The entry fee is \$185.00 for entries received before 1800, Friday June 21, 2024. For Entries received after Friday, June 21, the entry fee is \$200.00.
- 5.2 For any class electing to race one weekend only, the fleet captain must notify the race committee no later than Friday, June 21. For those classes, the entry fee is \$150.00 for entries received before 1800, Friday, June 21, 2024 and \$185.00 for entries received after 1800, Friday, June 21, 2024.
- 5.3 Entry Fee includes awards presentations, live music and beer.

6 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 6.1 No later than 1100 each day, the race committee will announce via Yacht Scoring the scheduled first warning of either 1225 or 1425.
- 6.2 The race committee intends to run multiple races each day.

7 VENUE

The racing area will be in the waters off Larchmont Harbor.

8 COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be windward/leeward, or triangle, windward/leeward, as described in the sailing instructions.

9 SCORING

9.1 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

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

9.3 For the Larchmont Race Week Club Champions, teams will be scored by using the average percentage of their team race score plus their top two team members' percentage placement within their respective classes.

10 PRIZES

10.1 Series prizes will be awarded for classes that qualify in NoR 4.1. Prizes will be awarded to first, second, and third place boats following the completion of racing on the front lawn, Sunday, July 21, 2024.

10.2 Perpetual trophies will be awarded at the discretion of the race committee.

10.3 The Larchmont Race Week Club Championship Trophy will be awarded to the club with the top club team score.

11 GUEST MOORING AND PRIVILEGES

11.1 Guest moorings will be available on a first-come basis at no charge through [Dockwa](#).

11.2 Limited privileges of the Club will be extended to skippers and crews for Larchmont Race Week.

12 RISK STATEMENT

By registering 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 RRS 3, 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 onshore, 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 crew members of the conditions stated herein for their participation in such racing.

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

Please contact the Larchmont Yacht Club, 1 Woodbine Avenue, Larchmont, New York 10538.

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