

NOTICE OF RACE : High performance craft regatta

August 19 & 20 2023

Rum Runner Regatta 2023



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The Rum Runner Regatta 2023 is organized by the Jericho Sailing Centre ("The Club"). The Club is located at 1300 Discovery Street, Vancouver, BC, Canada. The official notice board is located inside the Jericho Sailing Centre building, ground floor, on the South side wall. All those participating in the Rum Runner Regatta do so at their own risk, and by completing this entry form, the skipper and crew of each entered yacht specifically agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Jericho Sailing Centre Association ("JSCA"), its members, its organizers and its respective agents, officials, servants and representatives from and against all claims, actions, costs, expenses and demands in respect to death, injury, loss or damage to any person or property, howsoever caused arising out of or in connection with such skipper or his crew or her crew taking part in this event, notwithstanding that the same may have contributed or caused or occasioned by the negligence of the same bodies, or any of them, or their agents, officials, servants or representatives

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The Equipment Rules of Sailing will apply (Appendix H)
- 1.3 Racing rule(s) will be changed as follows: - Rule 44.1, one turn penalty.
- 1.4 The changes will appear in full in the sailing instructions. The sailing instructions may also change other racing rules.
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between languages, the English text will take precedence.

2. ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Advertising will be restricted to Category A.
- 2.2 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Formula 18 class and other high-performance crafts: RS800, Hobie Cats and other catamarans, etc.
- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter at the Jericho Sailing Center on Saturday August 19th.
- 3.3 Boats do not need to pre-register.
- 3.4 Late entries will be accepted.

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4. FEES

- 4.1 Entry fee is set to Can. \$10 per boat. Proceeds will be donated to the Jericho Sailing Centre's rescue program.
- 4.2 Meals are available from The Galley.
- 4.3 Car parking is available in the Jericho parking lot. Daily fees apply. Boat and trailer overnight storage in fenced rigging area is provided. Over night parking is available with permit from the Jericho Office.

5. SCHEDULE

5.1 Registration:

At Jericho Sailing Center, 10:30am – 11:30am, Sat., August 19, 2023
Skippers meeting will be held at 11:30am, Saturday August 19th, 2023.

5.2 Measurement and inspection

Catamaran rigging and sails will not be measured for this event. Skippers with non-compliant class sails, rigging, boards, or hull modifications should declare these modification to the race chairman or registration desk.

5.3 Dates of racing:

Saturday August 19, 12:30pm - Distance race
Sunday, August 20, 12:00pm - Course racing in English Bay

5.4 Number of races:

- A minimum of 1 race is required to constitute a series. There is no maximum number of races.

5.5 Scheduled times of race sessions:

- Long Distance Racing, Saturday. Warning signal at 12:30pm. Course will be announced at the skippers meeting. Length dependent on wind.
- Course Racing, Sunday. 1st warning signal not before 12:00 pm, (expect 12:00pm for Sunday start) last permitted warning signal 2:30pm.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available after 9am on Saturday August 19, 2022.

7. VENUE

- 7.1 The Jericho Sailing Center is located at 1300 Discovery Street, Vancouver, BC.
- 7.2 The racing area is English Bay, South of the commercial shipping lanes.

8. PENALTY SYSTEM

- 8.1 The two-turn penalty is replaced by a one-turn Penalty.
- 8.2 Decisions of the protest committee will be final as provided in rule 70.5.

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9. SCORING

9.1 Standard Race Scoring will apply.

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

- When fewer than 4 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- When from 5 to 8 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- When 9 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

10. RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

11. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 3, 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.

12. PRIZES

Prizes will be given to boats placing first and second and additional awards at the discretion of the Organizing Authority.

First prize: a bottle of rum, brand unspecified; will be held in escrow if you're under the legal drinking age in British Columbia at time of the event.

Second prize: 12 knives from Dollarama.

13. FURTHER INFORMATION

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