



End of Summer Regatta

Including the British Columbia Fireball Championships

Jericho Sailing Centre Association

September 14–15, 2024

Vancouver, BC

Notice of Race (NoR)

The notation '[NP]' in a rule means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that rule. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

1 Rules

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*.
- 1.2 [DP] RRS 40 and the preamble to Part IV are amended so that competitors shall wear personal flotation devices at all times while on the water except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. Wet suits or dry suits do not qualify as personal flotation devices.

2 Sailing Instructions

- 2.1 The sailing instructions will be available on or before 1200hrs on September 13, 2024 at: <https://jsca.bc.ca/event/end-of-sumer-regatta/2024-09-14/> and on the notice board in the foyer of the Jericho Sailing Centre, 1300 Discovery St, Vancouver BC.

3 Communication

- 3.1 The online official notice board will be at: <https://jsca.bc.ca/event/end-of-sumer-regatta/2024-09-14/>. Paper copies of all notices posted on the official notice board will also be posted on the notice board in the foyer of the Jericho Sailing Centre.
- 3.2 [DP] While racing, 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 ILCA-7, ILCA-6 and ILCA-4; International Fireball; International Tasar; International F18; Hobie 18; RS Quest; Vanguard 15; Windsurfer; and X-Foil. Additional dinghy or catamaran fleets with more than 5 boats may petition the race organizers for inclusion.

- 4.2 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.
- 4.3 It is strongly advised that competitors be current members of their provincial and/or national sailing authority.
- 4.4 All competitors must sign the current member / guest waiver at: <https://www.waiverfile.com/b/jsca/Waiver.aspx>. Current JSCA members should have signed already. Parents and / or Legal Guardians must sign for under-age sailors.

5 Fees

- 5.1 Entry fees:
 - Single handed – \$40
 - Double handed – \$70

These fees include all racing fees, temporary storage for visiting boats and the regatta meal Saturday September 14th. Additional meal tickets can be purchased for \$25. Payment can be made in person at the JSCA office or by email money transfer to: accounts@jsca.bc.ca (please include a note with the competitor name, class of boat and sail number) or in person by cash, cheque or card on the Saturday morning of the regatta.

6 Schedule

- 6.1 Registration is available online at <https://www.jracing.org/>.
- 6.2 Saturday September 14
 - 0930–1100 hrs: last chance to pay in person
 - 1100 hrs: skippers meeting
 - 1200 hrs: first signal
 - 1730 hrs (approx): regatta meal in the Burrard Room

Sunday September 15

- 1100 hrs: first signal
- 1530 hrs: last possible warning signal
- 1630 hrs (approx): results announced ashore

7 Equipment Inspection

- 7.1 Each entrant is responsible that their boat (hull, sails and rigging) conforms with class rules and regulations.
- 7.2 Boats may be inspected at any time.

8 Venue

8.1 The event venue is the Jericho Sailing Centre, 1300 Discovery St, Vancouver, BC.

8.2 The racing area is English Bay.

9 Courses

9.1 Courses will be windward-leeward, triangle or variations thereof. Courses will be specified in detail in the Sailing Instructions.

9.2 Marks will be inflatable tetrahedrons.

10 Penalty System

10.1 RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty for, F18, Hobie classes and any foiling classes.

11 Scoring

11.1 Two (2) races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.2 (a) When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

(b) When from 5 to 9 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

(c) When 10 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her 2 worst scores.

12 Risk Statement

12.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. **Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.**

12.2 The organizing authority, the Jericho Sailing Centre Association, its staff and volunteers and sponsors will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior, to, during or after the 2024 End of Summer Regatta.

12.3 It is recommended that competitors carry adequate liability insurance.

13 Accomodation

13.1 Pay parking is in effect. Other accommodations are located nearby.

14 Rights to Use Names and Likeness

14.1 By participating in the End of Summer Regatta, competitors automatically grant to the organizing authority the right, in perpetuity, to make, use, and show, at their discretion, any photography, audio and video recordings, and other reproductions of them made at the venue or on the water from the time of their arrival at the venue, until their final departure, without compensation.

15 Additional Information

15.1 Additional information is available by contacting:

Principal Race Officer:

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