



2021 J/70 North American Championship

May 10-15, 2021

Annapolis, Maryland, USA

Organizing Authority: Annapolis Yacht Club (AYC) and
the International J/70 Class Association (IJ70CA)

<http://www.annapolisyc.com/racing/regattas>



AMENDMENT #1 to the NOTICE OF RACE

NOR 4.1, under ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY, is deleted and replaced with:

- 4.1 This event is open to boats of the J/70 class subject to the restriction that the person entering the boat shall be either the skipper or a member of the crew (see also 4.7).

NoR 4.3 is deleted and replaced with:

- 4.3 Entries will be limited to the first 70 boats that enter. However, AYC and partner clubs (Eastport Yacht Club and Severn Sailing Association) will be unable to safely provide launching and boat storage for all boats, see NoR 6 and 18. If pandemic-related restrictions are eased, the OA may increase this limit.

Insert new NOR 4.7:

- 4.7 If the person entering the boat is unable to be either the skipper or a member of the crew, and boats remain on the waiting list, then the entry is invalid and shall be withdrawn. If the entry is withdrawn prior to 1700 on March 19 then the entry fee will be refunded in full. If the entry is withdrawn after that time, then NoR 1.6 will apply.

NoR 6, FEES, is deleted and replaced with:

- 6.1 For all boats, the entry fee includes:
- (a) Equipment inspection as directed by the IJ70CA
 - (b) Four race days
 - (c) Awards and prizes
- 6.2 For boats that are launched and stored at AYC or its partner clubs, the entry fee is \$400 and includes (in addition to NoR 6.1):
- (a) Launch and haul out
 - (b) In-water berthing from completion of equipment inspection through Sunday, May 15
 - (c) On-site or off-site trailer storage from Saturday, May 8 through Monday May 16
- 6.3 For boats that are not launched and stored at AYC or its partner clubs, the entry fee is \$200.
- 6.4 Social events and fees. Due to unpredictable social restrictions due to the pandemic, AYC is unable to commit to a social schedule or fees at this time. Information about social events and ticket prices will be posted on the notice board.

Insert new NOR 9.3(e):

- (e) Submit documentation of having taken a COVID-19 molecular or antigen test no earlier than May 7, 2021 and having received a negative result from that test.

NoR 11.1 and 11.2, EQUIPMENT INSPECTION, are deleted and replaced with:

- 11.1 If a boat does not have a current and valid J/70 Class Manufacturer's Declaration, then the boat **shall** contact the OA (Linda Ambrose, lambrose@annapolisyc.org, 410.858.4964) no later than **1700 on April 26** to schedule a full inspection and weighing.

- 11.2 The OA intends to conduct equipment inspections that includes inspecting required equipment and performing sail inspections. The event technical committee may, at its discretion, perform any other measurement or inspection of a boat and its equipment for compliance with class rules.

NoR 18, BERTHING, is deleted and replaced with:

- 18.1 A limited number of boats may be stored at AYC and its partner clubs (Eastport Yacht Club and Severn Sailing Association). Reservation is required. Automatic reservations are given to boats that were entered prior to 1700 on March 12. For these boats:
- (a) Boats and trailers may be stored at AYC or partner sites from Saturday, May 8 through Monday May 16.
 - (b) Boats shall be kept in their assigned places as directed by the OA when either afloat or ashore.
- 18.2 Bert Jabin's Yacht Yard (www.bjyy.com, 410.268.9667), has a limited number of places available for launching, haul-out, in-water boat storage and trailer storage. Information on additional storage and launching options may be posted on the notice board.
- 18.3 The use of dehumidifiers or electric fans of any type is prohibited from the end of the event check-in period until the end of the event.