

33rd Annual Antigua Classic Yacht Regatta March 30th – April 3rd, 2022 Antigua Yacht Club Marina, English Harbour, Antigua

The Antigua Classic Yacht Regatta Committee is the Organizing Authority

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 The CSA Classic Rating Rule will apply for all classes of boats except Spirit of Tradition, Historic and Dragon classes. For Spirit of Tradition and Historic classes of boats, the CSA Main Rule will apply. For the Dragon Class, the class rules will apply.
- 1.3 Antigua Classic Yacht Regatta (ACYR) Minimum Safety Rules will apply.
- 1.4 Current Covid-19 restrictions in Antigua and Barbuda.
- 1.4 Any other rules changes will appear in full in the sailing instructions.

2 ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organizing Authority (OA).

3 ELIGIBILITY

- 3.1 The following classes will be eligible: Vintage, Classic, Traditional, Historic, Classic GRP, Spirit of Tradition, Dragon and Tall Ships. The Dragon class will be By Invitation Only.
- 3.2 To be eligible for Vintage, Classic, Traditional and Tall Ship types, boats shall have a full keel, be of moderate to heavy displacement, built of wood or steel and have a traditional rig and appearance. Old craft using modern materials, such as epoxy or glass sheathing, or new craft built along the lines of an old design, are acceptable. Boats built of other materials may be acceptable if they have a gaff or traditional schooner rig.
- 3.3 For the Classic GRP class, boats should have a full long keel with a keel-hung rudder, and be a descendant of a wooden boat design.
- 3.4 Spirit of Tradition class boats are eligible.
- 3.5 Historic Class Yachts designed & built before the end of 1976 in any material with any keel configuration are eligible. Examples include Sparkman & Stephens designs, Nautor's Swan and Baltic. Yachts will be accepted or rejected by the OA and its decision is final.
- 3.6 All boats shall be monohulls.
- 3.7 Boats not fitting into the above categories may apply in writing to the OA, with documents and photographs or drawings to support their request for entry.
- 3.8 Boats unknown to the OA shall email photographs/drawings of the hull and rig to info@antiguaclassics.com for acceptance and class assignment.

- 3.9 All entrants should register on Registration Day, Wednesday March 30th, 2022 from 9am to 4pm at Antigua Yacht Club.
- 3.10 To be eligible for the Concours d'Elégance and the Single-Handed Race, a boat must be a participant in the regatta.

4 CLASSIFICATION

- 4.1 Boats will be assigned classes by the OA at its sole discretion.
- 4.2 Each class will be divided by the OA into groups of similar size, rig and performance as much as possible.

5 REGISTRATION FEES

- 5.1 US\$7.00 per foot length on deck (LOD)
- 5.2 Entry fees should be paid in person by Visa, MasterCard or cash at the Antigua Yacht Club on Registration Day, Wednesday, March 30th, 2022 from 9am to 4pm.

6 SCHEDULE

- 6.1 Registration and Inspection: Wednesday 30th March at the Antigua Yacht Club from 9am to 4pm.
- 6.2 All skippers must register to confirm arrival and receive current regatta documents.
- 6.3 Late registrations may not receive free promotional materials.
- 6.4 Racing (Except for Dragons):

Thursday March 31st, Single Handed Race Friday 1st April, Race 1 Saturday 2nd April, Race 2 Sunday 3rd April, Race 3 and Prize Giving

Dragons racing schedule to be specified in Sailing Instructions.

6.5 Social events include: Dock Party, Music Night, Owners' Party, Parade of Classics, Prize Giving.

7 MEASUREMENT AND RATINGS

- 7.1 All entrants in the CSA Classic Rule division must complete the full ship's data form available on the ACYR website. Additional information and/or some measurement may be required before a final rating can be issued.
- 7.2 All entrants in the CSA Main Rule Classes of Spirit of Tradition and Historic will require a full 2022 CSA certificate.
- 7.4 Refer to www.caribbean-sailing.com for rating information.

8 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be issued at Registration.

9 VENUE

Racing will take place off the south coast of Antigua. On-shore events will take place at the Antigua Yacht Club.

10 COURSES

Course to be sailed will be included in the Sailing Instructions.

11 SCORING

- 11.1 All races completed will count.
- 11.2 One race is required to complete a series.

12 DOCKAGE

Limited free dockage is available at the Antigua Yacht Club Marina. For further information on dockage contact the dockmaster, Tommy Paterson on ayemarina@candw.ag

13 LOANED BOATS

The Dragon Class will be sailed in loaned boats organized by the OA. All Dragons will be made reasonably similar to each other as provided by the OA. Dragon Class participants will be required to submit a refundable damage deposit of \$1500.00 USD upon registration.

14 PRIZES

A list of prizes and/or trophies to be awarded will be given in the Sailing Instructions.

15 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the Regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, DECISION TO RACE and 4, ACCEPTANCE OF THE RULES. The OA and AYCR will not be liable, nor accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the Regatta.

All boats, competitors, boat owners, crew, and person in charge will comply with the current Covid-19 restrictions in Antigua and Barbuda.

16 INSURANCE

Each participating boat is recommended to be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1,000,000.00 \$EC per incident or the equivalent.

16 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

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