



2024 AYC Spring One-Design Saturday, April 27, 2024

Organizing Authority: Annapolis Yacht Club, Annapolis, MD USA

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

NOTICE OF RACE (NoR) inc. Amend No. 1

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.
- 1.2 J/105 Class Rules are modified by Article IX of the local J-105 Fleet-3 Article/Rules. This event is designated a Level 1A event. J/105 Fleet-3 Articles/Rules can be found at <https://www.j105fleet3.org/rules>

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1 The sailing instructions will be posted on the official notice board approximately 10 days before the first scheduled day of racing.

3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 The online official notice board is located at <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=16350>
- 3.2 [DP] All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on USA channels.
- 3.3 On the water, the race committee will make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on VHF radio. The specific channel will be stated in the SIs.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The event is open to all boats of the J/22, J/30, J/70, J/80, J/105, and Etchells classes.
- 4.2 For a class to have a start, it must have a minimum of 5 valid entries by 1200 on Friday, April 26. Entry fees for boats in classes that fail to meet the minimum will be returned.
- 4.3 Boats wishing to enter shall enter online at <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=16350>
- 4.4 To be considered a valid entry in the event, a boat shall complete all entry requirements including the waiver and pay all fees.

5 FEES

- 5.1 Early entry fees of \$70 are due by 1700 on Monday, April 15. After that, entry fees of \$95 will be accepted until 1200 on Friday, April 26.
- 5.2 The entry fee includes, at a minimum, racing and awards.

6 SCHEDULE

- 6.1 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race of the regatta is 1100.
- 6.2 Three races are scheduled.
- 6.3 No warning signal will be made after 1530.

7 VENUE

- 7.1 The racing area will be the Chesapeake Bay off the mouth of the Severn River.

8 COURSES

- 8.1 The courses to be sailed will be windward / leeward drop mark courses.

9 SCORING

9.1 RRS Appendix A4, Low Point System, will apply as changed by the SIs.

10 RISK STATEMENT

10.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue *racing* is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks, which are assumed by the competitor.

11 INSURANCE

11.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$300,000 combined single limit. Competitors are solely responsible for obtaining the required coverage.

12 PRIZES

12.1 Prizes will be given in each class for 1st place with 3 or more starters (boats starting in at least one race), 2nd place with 6 or more starters, and 3rd place with 9 or more starters.

12.2 The OA anticipates that the following perpetual trophies will be awarded:

(a) AYC J/105 Regatta Series Trophy: this event will be part of the season AYC series for overall performance in the J/105 class.

12.3 Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organizing authority.

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

13.1 For more information contact: AYC Harborside Director: Linda Ambrose, lambrose@annapolisyc.org, 410.858.4964