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NOTICE OF RACE 2019 JY15 North American Championships Sept. 21/22, 2019

1 ORGANIZING AUTHORITIES

1.1 Noroton Yacht Club and JY15 Class Association

2 RULES

2.1 The regatta will be governed by the 2017-2020 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and the JY15 Class rules.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the JY15 Class.
- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the entry form and paying the entry fee.

4 ENTRY FEE

4.1 \$60 per boat

5 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 5.1 Arrival, Registration, Rig Boats at 0800 hours Saturday, Sept. 21
- 5.2 Skipper's meeting at 0930 hrs
- 5.3 First Warning Signal at approximately 1100 hrs on Saturday, 1000 hours on Sunday
- 5.4 Dinner available at Noroton Yacht Club, Saturday, Sept. 21, 1800 hours (not included in entry fee).
- 5.5 No race shall be started after 1600 hours on Sunday, Sept. 22
- 5.6 Awards Ceremony immediately following racing, approximately 1700 hrs on Sunday, Sept. 22

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

6.1 The sailing instructions will be available on Yachtscoring no later than Sept. 15.

7 COURSES

7.1 Courses will be determined by the Race Committee and announced on the water. All courses will be in Long Island Sound south of Noroton Yacht Club.

8 PENALTY SYSTEM

8.1 RRS 44.1 (taking a penalty) is amended to allow a One-Turn Penalty rather than requiring a Two-Turn Penalty when a boat may have broken one or more rules of Part 2. RRS 44.3 (scoring penalties) will not be in effect.

9 SCORING

- 9.1 The Low Point System will be used (RRS Appendix A).
- 9.2 One race is required to complete the regatta.
- 9.3 If six or more races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

10. PROTESTS

10.1 A Protest Committee appointed by the Organizing Authorities will decide protests. Protests will be heard at Noroton Yacht Club as soon after racing as possible.

11 RADIO COMMUNICATION

11.1 Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

12 PRIZES

12.1 Prizes will be given for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place as well as for top junior skipper, top female skipper and top master skipper. Other prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organizing authorities.

13 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authorities 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.

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