



Hyannis Yacht Club

2024 Chix Team Race Regatta

August 24, 2024

Notice of Race

The Hyannis Yacht Club is the Organizing Authority

1. RULES

1.1 The Chix Team Race will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing (**RRS**); **Appendix D** Team Racing Rules.

1.2 All competitors shall wear a PFD approved by either the US Coast Guard or the competitor's national authority at all times while on the water, except while adding or removing clothing. Competitors shall provide their own PFDs.

2. ENTRY AND ELIGIBILITY

Entry for each sailor will be \$42 paid to Hyannis Yacht Club using your member number. Registration will be through the Hyannis Yacht Club website on a Google Form. Teams will be created by the event coordinator and posted prior to racing.

3. REGISTRATION

Registration will be done through the Hyannis Yacht Club website. Registration must be completed no later than August 22, 2024 at 1159. Any registrations after this date may not be permitted to participate.

4. FEES

Total registration fee is \$42 per person. Registration includes a tee-shirt and one raffle ticket. Lunch will be provided for sailors at the conclusion of the event. Drinks can be purchased after racing.

5. SCHEDULE

0830 Registration

0930 Competitors' meeting,

1030 First race. At the conclusion of racing lunch will be provided

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Regatta Sailing Instructions will be available at the competitors meeting.

7. VENUE AND COURSES

The race area will be in Lewis Bay. Courses will be described in the Sailing Instructions. The course will be a digital N.

8. SCORING

Scoring will be in accordance with **Appendix D**, except as modified by the Sailing Instructions.

9. BOATS

J/22 boats will be provided and will be rigged for main and jib only. Standing rigging, including rig tension, shall not be adjusted, except by direction of the event coordinator.

10. FORMAT

The format and number of races will be described in the Sailing Instructions and at the Competitors' Meeting and may be adjusted by the event coordinators due to weather and/or time considerations.

11. TEAMS

Each competing team shall consist of skippers and crew for three boats with two to four crew per boat. Skippers must be members, spouses, or dependents of members of the club they represent on the entry deadline and the majority of crew aboard each boat shall be members, spouses/significant others, or dependents of members of the club they represent. Membership exemptions may be granted by the event coordinator.

12. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in these events are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. The race organizers (Organizing Authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or the injury to any competitor, including death, sustained as a result of participation in this event. By participating in these events, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

13. MEDIA

By participating in this Regatta, each competitor grants to the Organizing Authority the right in perpetuity to make, use and show, from time to time at their discretion, any photographs, motion pictures and live, taped or filmed or other reproductions of him or her made during the period of the Regatta without compensation.

14. CONTACT INFORMATION

For further information please contact event coordinator:

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