



Wisconsin Tier III State Champs

May 20th, 2017

Milwaukee Yacht Club

Hosted by Milwaukee Yacht Club Sailing/MAYS High School Sailing Team

**1. Rules**

1.1 This regatta will be governed by the 2017-2020 Racing Rules of Sailing, the prescriptions of US Sailing, the ISSA Procedural Rules, the MISSA Procedural Rules, the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions.

1.2 This will be a MISSA Tier 3 regatta

**2. Schedule**

Saturday, May 20th

8:30- Registration Open in Boathouse

9:30 - Competitor's Meeting in Boathouse

10:00- First warning. Sailing will continue, but a brief lunch break will be taken between races.

3:00 - No races will begin after 3:00.

4:15- Awards in the Boathouse

**3. Changes**

3.1 Any changes to these Sailing Instructions will be posted no later than 60 minutes before the first warning signal of the day, or given orally by members of the Race Committee

**4. Safety**

4.1 USCG Approved type III PFD's are to be worn at all times shore-to-shore. Anyone not wearing one will be protested by the Race Committee.

**5. Courses**

5.1 Race time may exceed 20 minutes due to the number of participants, changing ISSA Procedural Rule 7.7(b). Races will not exceed 30 minutes.

5.2 Courses will be modified windward leeward courses with a center start and finish line.

5.3 Starting sequence will be a 3-minute dinghy start, as per RRS appendix S.

5.4 Courses will be set at the discretion of the Race Committee in the inner harbor

6. **Individual/ General Recalls**

6.1 Code Flag X may be displayed for individual recalls. It is the responsibility of the vessel to make a proper start. Failure of the Race Committee to make these signals or failure on the started on the course side or to see or hear these signals shall not relieve the offending yacht from restarting and is not ground for redress.

7. **Boats**

7.1 MYC has a limited number of 420's available for teams to use. All boats may be reserved on a first come-first served basis, and each team will be limited to 2 boats max to reserve.

7.2 Teams should bring their own 420 sails, if possible, otherwise a limited number of 420 sails are available for use.

8. **Protests**

8.1 Protest procedure will be using the 3 minute justice system

8.2 Protests must be filed no later than 30 minutes after the Race Committee boat has docked.

9. **Scoring**

9.1 Scoring will be prescribed by the ISSA Procedural Rules 9

9.2 all completed races shall be counted; there will be no throw out races

9.3 a minimum of one race shall constitute a regatta

10. **Coaching**

10.1 Coaches may go afloat in the starting area so long as they are a minimum of 100 yards from the racing area at all times, unless they are also serving as a safety boat.

10.2 It is the responsibility of the coaches to withdraw their competitors should the conditions exceed the limitations of any sailor.

11. **Regatta Contact**

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To register, contact the regatta chair to secure boats and to register your attendance.