

# ISSA HIGH SCHOOL DOUBLEHANDED CHAMPIONSHIP for the CLIFFORD MALLORY TROPHY

Hosted by **Toms River Yacht Club** 1464 Riviera Avenue, Toms River, NJ 08753 June 3-4, 2023

# **NOTICE OF RACE**

## 1. RULES:

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*, the <u>ISSA Procedural</u> Rules and the ISSA National Championship General Conditions and the Scholastic Dinghy Class Rules.
- 1.2. The Organizing Authority (OA) is the Interscholastic Sailing Association in conjunction with the MASSA District, NJISA League, TRYC and BBYRA.
- 1.3. Appendix P, Special Procedures for Rule 42, as modified by ISSA Procedural Rule 14(c) will be in effect.
- **2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** The sailing instructions will be posted on Tech Score prior to the report time for the regatta.
- **3. COMMUNICATION:** The online Official Notice Board will be Tech Score. The on-site Official Notice Board will be on the white board on the south side patio of the club. Notices will be posted on both Notice Boards.

## 4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1. Competing schools and competitors must be members of ISSA and meet ISSA eligibility rules as prescribed in the Procedural Rules.
- 4.2. Selection of competing schools will be by district elimination. The regatta has 20 berths. Allocations will be determined by the ISSA Board. Schools should contact their district directors to find out details on district qualifiers.
- 4.3. Eligible schools must enter by <u>submitting an official entry form via this Google Form</u> and regatta fee **by 1700 hrs on Wednesday, May 17, 2023.** If the elimination for your district is to be held after this date, please have the district director contact the regatta chair immediately so arrangements can be made.
- 4.4. Teams unable to compete must notify the regatta chair and ISSA as soon as possible.
- 4.5. ISSA will reallocate vacant district quotas. The first open allocation will go to the host district. A berth becomes vacant when the qualifying district becomes unable to fill the berth.

#### 5. FEES:

- 5.1. The entry is \$500.00 per school. This includes snacks and refreshments each day, food tickets for breakfast and lunch on Saturday, regatta t-shirts for competitors, and trophies for top-placing teams.
- 5.2. A damage deposit check in the amount of \$250.00 will be collected from each team. This is refundable if the boat and gear are returned undamaged. In the event damage cannot be attributed to a particular team, the repair costs will be divided evenly amongst all the competing teams.
- 5.3. The entry fee will be electronically invoiced to each team and the damage deposit will be submitted by check at on-site.
- 6. BOATS: A fleet of 2019 Laser Performance FJs will be provided by the host. Boats will be sailed as provided.

### 7. SCHEDULE:

## **Friday, June 2, 2023**

1500-1800 hrs - Registration/check in at TRYC *There will not be a practice session on Friday.* 

# Saturday, June 3, 2023

0830 hrs - Check in/Registration/Rigging of boats 0930 hrs- Competitors' Meeting First Warning - As soon as possible after competitors meeting There is no cut-off time for racing on Saturday.

## **Sunday, June 4, 2023**

0830 hrs - Rigging of boats 0930 hrs - First Warning 1500 - No race will start after this time Trophy presentation on front patio immediately following the stowing of boats.

Changes to the schedule will be posted on the official notice board.

8. RACING AREA: All races will be sailed in the Toms River directly south of Toms River Yacht Club.

## 9. TRAVEL AND HOUSING:

- **9.1.** Competitors should use Newark Liberty International Airport (EWR). Alternative airports are Atlantic City International Airport (ACY) or Philadelphia International Airport (PHL).
- **9.2.** A list of nearby motels/hotels will be provided in Appendix A.

## 10. COACHING:

- **10.1.** Team leaders, chaperones, coaches, parents, advisors and other support personnel shall not go afloat in the sailing area from the start of registration time on Friday until the end of the regatta unless explicitly permitted by the regatta chair. The penalty for failing to comply with this requirement may be the disqualification of all boats, competitors and teams associated with the infringing support personnel.
- **10.2.** Once a team has qualified for a National Championship, members of that team shall not sail at the site to be used for the event, unless that site is their School's home waters or there is a previously scheduled ISSA regatta. Violation of this condition may be cause for disqualification of the team from the event.

#### 11. PRIZES:

- **11.1.** Prizes will be awarded to schools placing 1st, 2nd and 3rd in the regatta. The top school will have its name engraved on the perpetual Mallory trophy.
- 11.2. Trophies will also be awarded to first place skipper and crew in A and B divisions.
- 12. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS: By participating in this event, competitors automatically grant to the Organizing Authority and the event sponsors the right, in perpetuity, to make, use and show, at their discretion, any photography, audio and video recordings, and other reproductions of them made at the venue or on the water from the time of their arrival at the venue, until their final departure, without compensation.
- **13. WAIVER OF LIABILITY:** Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, 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 this event, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

## 14. REGATTA CONTACTS:

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