

EIGHTH ANNUAL | 2025
LINDA JULIANO GIRLS' TEAM-RACE TROPHY

Notice of Race

1. RULES:

- 1.1 - This regatta will be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing, this NoR, and the SIs.
- 1.2 - The Organizing Authority (OA) is the Wellesley High School Sailing Team.
- 1.3 - The venue will be Lake Cochituate, in Natick, MA. Meet at 25 Commonwealth Rd, Natick, MA.

2. ELIGIBILITY & TEAM COMPOSITION:

- 2.1 - This regatta is open to all female high-school sailors and those identifying as female.
- 2.2 - Teams that are unable to send three complete boats are still welcome to participate, and will be grouped into compound teams with other partial teams, with potential for rotating teams.

2A Registration:

- 2A.1 – Teams may register at : <https://forms.gle/3NobfMNHqzxl1nxs8>
- 2A.2 – A fee of \$10.00 will be charged at the event. Members of the Mass Bay Sailing League will be excused from paying the entrance fee.
- 2A.3 – Teams will register first-come-first-serve. Open registration to all NESSA teams begins March 24. Preference will be given to MBSL teams.
- 2A.4 - A maximum of 10 teams will be taken for racing. Complete schools will not be given priority over partial teams. The OA may decide to increase this number based on boats available.

3. BOATS:

- 3.1 - Collegiate 420s and Z420s provided by the OA.
- 3.2 - Boats will be sailed as provided.

4. UMPIRES:

- 4.1 - Every effort will be made to make this an umpired event in accordance with RRS D2.
- 4.2 - Depending on event enrollment and umpire volunteers, this could mean rule D2.6 (Limited Umpiring) is in effect, or that protests are settled in accordance with the norms of high school sailing.

5. SCHEDULE:

- 5.1 - ~~Saturday, April 5, 2025~~ — **CLINIC DAY**
 - ~~0930~~ — Check in/registration/rigging of boats
 - ~~1030~~ — Clinics begin with guest coaches (TBA)
 - ~~1530~~ — Day wraps up.
- 5.2 - Sunday, April 6, 2025 — **RACE DAY**
 - 0830 – Check in/registration/rigging of boats
 - 0900 – Coaches' meeting
 - 0915 – Sailor's meeting & team composition
 - 1600 – No first warning for any race may start after this time. Trophy presentation after last race.
- 5.3 - ~~Teams are welcome to register for just the clinic day, just the race day, or both.~~
- 5.4 - Changes to the schedule will be posted on the official notice board whose location will be announced at the sailors meeting, and on Techscore

6. COURSES:

- 6.1 - The Race Committee will determine the courses based on conditions, with a strong preference for a digital N.

7. SCORING:

- 7.1 - The regatta will be scored in accordance with ISSA Procedural Rules.

8. PRIZES:

8.1 - Prizes will be awarded to schools or compound teams placing 1st, 2nd, and 3rd.

9. WAIVER OF LIABILITY:

9.1 - Sailing is an activity with inherent risk of damage or injury. Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race.

10. REGATTA CONTACTS:

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