



**NWISA Fall Championship  
November 3rd and 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018  
Willamette Sailing Club  
Portland, OR**

**NOTICE OF RACE**

**1. RULES:**

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing for 2017-2020, the prescriptions of US SAILING, the ISSA Procedural Rules, the NWISA District Rules, this Notice of Race, and the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2. The US Sailing prescriptions to rule 60, 63.2 and 63.4 are deleted and will not apply.
- 1.3. Under rule 70.5(a), the right of appeal is denied.

**2. ELIGIBILITY:**

- 2.1. This is a 'Ranking Regatta' as described in the NWISA District Rules. 'Active' and 'Mixed' teams may attend, but only Active teams may compete in the 'Gold' fleet.
- 2.2. Competing 'Gold' teams shall be members of NWISA and meet ISSA eligibility rules as prescribed in the Procedural Rules (unless modified by District Rule 4.2). Competing 'Silver' teams shall be members of NWISA and meet "Open" regatta eligibility rules as prescribed by NWISA district rules.
- 2.3. Teams shall be comprised of a minimum of 4 sailors. Only one team per school is allowed in 'Gold' fleet. Multiple teams per school are allowed in 'Silver' fleet (limited by boat availability).
- 2.4. Teams shall be accompanied by a designated adult team leader, who may be an advisor, coach or parent recognized by the school.
- 2.5. The top FIVE teams in 'Gold' fleet will qualify for a berth at the NWISA Fleet Race Championship per District Rule 6.2

**3. ENTRY AND ENTRY FEE:**

- 3.1. Eligible schools shall register through the NWISA website link. Registration is on a first come, first served if berths are limited. Registration opens 10/22/18 at 1100.
- 3.2. Registration closes 10/29/18 at 2200. Additional registrations are allowed after this time, but teams may be turned away if event capacity is reached.
- 3.3. Teams unable to compete once registration closes, shall notify the regatta chair as soon as possible.
- 3.4. Each team must turn in a WSC liability form for each of their participants at registration.
- 3.5. An entry fee of \$25.00 payable to: "Willamette Sailing Club" per sailor will be collected at check in (programs bringing multiple teams must pay per team).
- 3.6. Each competing program must have a damage deposit on file with NWISA per District rule 7.3.

**4. BOATS AND FORMAT:**

- 4.1. Gold fleet shall sail Club 420's. Silver fleet shall sail FJ's.

4.2. WSC has 12 420's and 8 FJ's available. If you do not plan on bringing your own FJ, please bring your own FJ sails. Club 420 sails will be provided. Please mark on the registration form if you plan to bring boats.

## 5. SCHEDULE:

### Saturday, 11/3/18

1030	<u>Report time.</u> Registration.
1100	Registration ends.
1110	Mandatory Competitors' Meeting.
1145	First warning; sailing will continue throughout the day.
1200	BBQ lunch served.

### Sunday, 11/4/18

0900	<u>Report time.</u>
1000	First warning; sailing will continue throughout the day.
1200	BBQ lunch served.
1500	No race will be started after this time,
1530	Results and Awards Presentation.

Any changes to the schedule will be posted on the Official Notice Board located on the east side of the sailing facility.

## 6. RACING AREA:

6.1. All races will be sailed on the Willamette River just to the east of the docks. Boat rotations will occur from the docks to the east and south of the sailing facility.

## 7. COURSES:

7.1. Short collegiate style races in accordance with ISSA Procedural Rules.

## 8. SCORING:

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

## 9. HOUSING:

- 9.1. WSC may be able to arrange housing teams with local families upon request Friday and/or Saturday night.
- 9.2. Contact the regatta chair or note as such on the registration sheet no later than 10/29/18 at 2200.

## 10. TRAVEL AND TRANSPORTATION:

Teams are responsible for their own transportation. The address of the regatta site is: Willamette Sailing Club, 6336 SW Beaver Ave. Portland OR, 97239.

## 11. COACHING:

11.1. Team leaders, chaperones, coaches, parents, advisors and other support personnel shall not go afloat in the sailing area from Saturday morning to the end of racing Sunday unless an exception has been 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.

11.2. Competitors may receive coaching including instructions, assistance, equipment or sustenance only while on the designated rotation float or on shore.

**12. CONDUCT:**

12.1. No contestant shall use, either on or off the water, alcoholic beverages (beer, wine, or distilled spirits, each as defined in Chapter 51 of the US Internal Revenue Code and intended for beverage use), marijuana, cocaine, or any other controlled substance (as defined in 21 US Code 802), the possession of which, by that contestant is unlawful under 21 US Code 841.

12.2. Infringements of this regulation and/or other inappropriate conduct occurring during the regatta, may be the basis for a hearing under RRS 69.1. The protest committee for such a hearing shall, at a time and place selected by it, meet to hear said protest, and it may impose scoring penalties, or other sanctions that it deems appropriate, including summary removal from the regatta.

**13. REGATTA CONTACTS:**

	<b>Name</b>	<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Email</b>
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