



**Gig Harbor Regional Team Race
Saturday, March 16, 2019
Gig Harbor, WA**

1. HOST

This regatta is hosted by Gig Harbor Junior Sailing, with additional support from The Sailing Foundation.

2. RULES

The regatta will be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing, including Appendix D, as modified by the prescriptions of US Sailing, the ISSA procedural rules, this Notice of Race, and the Sailing Instructions.

3. FORMAT & ELIGIBILITY

The regatta is open to sailors from NWISA member schools. Teams shall consist of 6 or more sailors, and may include sailors from more than one school. Schools may enter multiple teams. Racing will take place on a single digital-N course with 2-3 flights of FJs. The format will include a single or double round-robin, including a playoff series if time permits. The regatta organizers may alter the format at any time.

4. ENTRY FEE & FOOD

There is not entry fee for this regatta and food WILL NOT be provided. Please plan accordingly.

5. SCHEDULE

Saturday, March 16

0900	Rigging and Launching
1000	Skippers Meeting @ West Shore Marina
1030	First Warning
1700	No Starts After this Time

6. VENUE

The racing will be staged out of **West Shore Marina (3815 N Harborview Dr, Gig Harbor, WA 98332)**. Parking is limited at West Shore Marina. Street parking is available and there is also overflow parking at Gig Harbor Yacht Club, which is a 5 minute walk. There are very limited shore side facilities at West Shore. GHYC is available in the event of a prolonged postponement and bad weather.

7. BOATS

Narrows Race Team is providing two fleets of FJs with matching color coded team racing sails. If enough teams sign we will seek to field a third fleet. A third fleet of boats would need to launch at the public boat launch across the harbor from West Shore.

8. ROTATIONS/SPECTATING/COACHING

Viewing and rotations are difficult from West Shore. It is our intention to anchor a large section of dock near the racecourse for coaches and sailors only. This will provide us with quick rotation times and excellent viewing for coaches. There is ample viewing around Gig Harbor for parents.

9. RSVPs

Teams can RSVP using the online [NWISA Regatta Registration Form](#). There will be no morning of registration.

10. CONTACT INFORMATION

Please direct your questions to Andrew Nelson at ysd@thesailingfoundation.org

