

2018 NWISA Girl's Championship

Hosted by Kitsap Sailing & Rowing
Silverdale, WA
Sept. 22 & 23

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. Competing teams shall be members of ISSA and meet ISSA eligibility rules as prescribed in the Procedural Rules, however;
- 2.2. Multiple active teams per school and mixed teams are allowed, limited by boat availability with priority going to active teams.
- 2.3. The top four teams will qualify for the PCISA Girl's ISSA National Invitational to represent NWISA. NWISA has been given four berths to the PCISA Girl's regatta. Any berths not claimed by 1700 PDT Friday September 28, 2018 will be reallocated by the host and the OA of the PCISA Girls regatta. This means that there is the possibility that additional NWISA teams may be able to attend but that would not be known until after September 28th.
- 2.4. Mixed teams and additional active teams scores will be removed from the final rankings and the regatta will be rescored to determine the official qualifying rankings. Mixed teams can not qualify for the PCISA event. Additional active teams may only qualify if no other active teams who sailed in this regatta fill the available NWISA berths.
- 2.5. If a school has multiple teams racing they shall indicate prior to the first race which team will be their "varsity" team. Additional teams will not be ranked higher than varsity active teams in the official qualifying rankings even if they place higher than their varsity team.

3. ENTRY AND ENTRY FEE:

- 3.1. Eligible schools shall register through the NWISA registration spreadsheet. Registration is on a first come, first served basis. Registration opens 9/10/18 at 1100.
- 3.2. Registration closes 9/17/18 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. An entry fee of \$20 per sailor payable to: "Kitsap Sailing & Rowing" will be collected at check in. Fee will be \$10 per team if we get 10 or more teams.
- 3.5. Each competing program must have a damage deposit on file with NWISA per District rule 7.3.
- 3.6. A required waiver is attached to this NOR.

4. SCHEDULE:

Saturday, September 22, 2018

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| 0830 | Report time and final registration |
| 0930 | Clinic – Competitor's Meeting included |

1130 First warning; sailing will continue throughout the day.
Eat during boat rotation – no lunch break.

Sunday, September 23, 2018

0930 First warning, racing will continue throughout the day.
Eat during boat rotation – no lunch break.

1430 No warning after this time.

Any changes to the schedule will be posted on the Official Notice Board.

5. BOATS AND FORMAT:

- 5.1. FJs will be sailing in both fleets in a normal A/B fleet rotation.
- 5.2. 8 FJs are available from KSRF. Additional boats will need to be supplied by visiting teams. 8 matched sets of sails are available from KSRF. Our jibs are not perfectly standard so if we exceed 8 teams each team should bring their own sails according to the District sail number allocation.
- 5.3. Boat allocations will be determined based on district supplemental rules boat allocation procedures.

6. RACING AREA:

- 6.1. The racing area will be off the pier Silverdale's Waterfront Park.
- 6.2. Rotations for both fleets will be located on the leeward side of the public pier.

7. COURSES:

Based on conditions, the Race Committee will determine the courses. Short collegiate style courses will be used.

8. SCORING:

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

9. FORMAT:

- 9.1. The format will consist of two races in A division, followed by boat rotation, and two races in B division.
- 9.2. A two-hour clinic conducted by Coach Sarah Hanavan will kick off the event. The focus will be on starting effectively.

10. AWARDS:

- 10.1. A trophy shall be awarded to the top three teams in each fleet. Plus the fleet championship trophy will be awarded to the top team in Gold fleet.

11. HOUSING:

- 11.1. Saturday night housing will be available at the Scout Hall, which is located two blocks from the venue. Food is not provided.
- 11.2. You must provide your own sleeping bag and pillow.
- 11.3. Each team is responsible for supervising their sailors at all times during the regatta and while at provided housing.

12. COACHING:

- 12.1. 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.

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

13. CONDUCT:

13.1. 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), or 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.

13.2. 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.

14. REGATTA CONTACTS:

Regatta Chair: Steve Trunkey
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Kitsap Sailing and Rowing RELEASE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

I, the undersigned, hereby state that I wish to use a sailboat, or other sailing or rowing watercraft at a program offered by the Kitsap Sailing & Rowing Foundation, the Port of Silverdale, and individual volunteers providing assistance with the sailing or rowing watercraft during the program. I recognize any outdoor activity may involve certain dangers, and I further understand and agree that without some protection from liability, the sponsors of the program and its participants would not be able to offer sailing, rowing, and other boating-related activities. Inconsideration of my/our use of sailing or rowing watercraft and participation in the program, I agree to RELEASE, HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFY the Kitsap Sailing & Rowing Foundation, the Port of Silverdale, and individual volunteers providing assistance during the program from any and all liability, claims and causes of action arising out of or in any way connected with my participation. Or the participation of any minor that I am signing on behalf of, in any activities offered by the Kitsap Sailing & Rowing Foundation, the Port of Silverdale, and individual volunteers providing assistance during the program.

I personally assume all risks in connection with these activities. If I am signing on behalf of a minor, I further agree to HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFY the Kitsap Sailing & Rowing Foundation, the Port of Silverdale, and individual volunteers providing assistance with sailing or rowing watercraft from all liability, claims and causes of action which the minor may have arising from the minor's participation in activities. The terms of this agreement shall serve as a release and indemnity agreement for my heirs, personal representative, and for all members of my family, including any minors. (Parents or legal guardians must sign for all persons under eighteen (18) years of age.)

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT AND HAVE FULLY INFORMED MYSELF OF ITS CONTENTS BEFORE SIGNING IT.

Signature of Participant: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian if Participant is under 18 years of age:
_____ Date: _____

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