

*RVYC 2010 Spring  
One-Design Regatta  
May 8, 2010  
Notice of Race*

The 2010 **Royal Victoria Yacht Club Spring One Design Regatta** will be held in Victoria, BC, on May 8, 2010.

**1. RULES**

The Regatta will be governed by the ISAF 2009 – 2012 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the prescriptions of the Canadian Yachting Association (CYA), and the Class Associations of the Cal 20 Class, Martin 242 Class, Star Class, J80 Class, and the Mini 12 Fleet, except as any of these are changed by this Notice of Race, and by the Sailing Instructions.

**2. ADVERTISING**

Advertising will be restricted to Category A per ISAF Regulation 20, Advertising Code.

**3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

Entrants shall comply with the ISAF Regulation 19, Eligibility Rules. All competitors must be members of their respective Class Association.

**4. CLASSIFICATION**

There are no classification requirements.

**5. FEES**

No entry fee will be charged.

**6. QUALIFYING SERIES AND FINAL SERIES**

The regatta will consist of only a final series of races. There is no qualifying series.

**7. EVENT SCHEDULE AND REGISTRATION**

Saturday, May 8, 2010. Registration & Racing

**Registration**

Registration will take place at the Skipper's meeting held at 9 AM, May 8, 2010. All competitors shall hold a valid measurement certificate or equivalent.

**8. MEASUREMENT**

No formal measurement shall take place prior to the Regatta.

**9. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The Sailing Instructions will be issued to each competitor at the Skipper's Meeting.

**10. VENUE**

The Regatta will be sailed in the region of Oak and Cadboro Bays.

## **11. COURSES**

The courses will be determined by the Organizing Authority and will be detailed in the Sailing Instructions. The Mini 12 Fleet will sail on a different course than the other Classes.

## **12. PENALTY SYSTEM**

The penalty system shall be in effect as per RRS 44.1 and 44.2 with the modification that the penalty shall be One Turn for all Penalties

## **13. SCORING**

The Low Point Scoring System, RRS Appendix A2 will apply.

A maximum of six races are to be sailed in the Regatta. One race must be completed to constitute a series. The number of discards allowed will be determined by the Organizing Authority and will be detailed in the Sailing Instructions.

## **14. SUPPORT BOATS**

Support boats for the regatta will be Discovery Isle, Gonzo, Ernie, or any other RVYC boat as designated.

## **15. BERTHING**

Berthing for non-RVYC boats will be at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club.

## **16. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS**

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

## **17. PRIZES AND TROPHIES**

The Organizing Authority may provide prizes for the first place boat in each class based on the overall results. Prizes will be awarded as per usual RVYC trophy races.

## **18. LIABILITY**

Injuries to competitors and damage to boats can and often does occur. Competitors sail at their own risk. The Organizing Authority and all parties involved in the organization and execution of the Regatta accept no responsibility or liability for any loss, damage or injury which may occur to any person or property, whether ashore or afloat, as a consequence of participation in the Regatta or otherwise. The Organizing Authority and all parties involved disclaim any and all such liability.

This Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions in no way limit or reduce the complete and unlimited responsibilities of a competitor for the management and care of a boat she or he may be sailing in the Regatta.

## **14. INSURANCE**

It is a condition of entry into the Regatta that the owner/competitor has third party liability insurance coverage to a minimum value of \$1,000,000 (CDN) as well as property insurance to the value of \$100,000 (CDN). Such insurance should cover all risks arising whilst the competitor is participating in any way in the Regatta whether ashore or afloat. The owner/competitor may be required by the Organizing Authority to provide evidence of insurance.

## **15. FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information contact John Edwards, RVYC Fleet Captain at 250-519-0244.