

NOTICE OF RACE

Palm d'Or Regatta

June 1,2 2019

Organizing Authority SCIRA and the Guelph Community Boating Club

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by:
 - 1.1.1 The rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing. (RRS) (All Classes)
 - 1.1.2 The SCIRA Rules of Conduct for Conducting National and International Championship Regattas (RoC) (Snipe Class Only)
 - 1.1.3 The Deed of Gift. (Snipe Class Only)
- 1.2 RRS 35 will be changed to provide that boats not finishing within 30 minutes after the first boat to finish will be scored "Did Not Finish" without a hearing.
- 1.3 RRS 30.3 will not be used.

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Advertising is permitted in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20 and SCIRA rules.

3 ENTRY AND ELIGIBILITY

- 3.1.1 The regatta is open to all sail boats with a current RYA National Portsmouth Number. Portsmouth numbers can be found at : www.RYA.org.uk/racing/Pages/portsmouthyardstick.aspx .
- 3.2 The Snipe Class Event is open to SCIRA registered boats and Class Member skippers who are in good standing with SCIRA for the current year, subject to any Deed of Gift restrictions. No skipper shall be eligible to enter any Snipe Class championship race unless:
 - 3.2.1 they possess and present a current Class Membership Card, or
 - 3.2.2 SCIRA-issued equivalent, or
 - 3.2.3 shows as current member in the SCIRA Official Online Database.

4 FEES

- 4.1 Fees will be:
 - Double-handed boats - \$80
 - Single-handed boats - \$40
 - Juniors and students - \$20

- 4.2 Registration fee Includes: Saturday Dinner, two days of racing.

5 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 Skippers meeting 10:00am Saturday June 1st
- 5.2 Schedule of Races:
 - 5.2.1 Saturday June 1st. Race 1 warning signal at 11:00
 - 5.2.2 Sunday June 2nd First race warning Signal at 10:30

5.2.3 No races to start later than 14:00 on Sunday June 2nd.

6 MEASUREMENT

6.1 All Snipes shall produce a valid measurement certificate and are subject to measurement at any time at the reasonable discretion of the Class or Race Committee.

6.2 All Snipes are required to have a current Class decal properly displayed.

6.3 All Open Class Boats are required to have a documented Portsmouth Handicap.

6.4 Boats shall comply with RRS 78.1

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

7.1 The Sailing Instructions will be circulated at registration.

8 VENUE

8.1 Races will be sailed on Guelph Lake

9 COURSES

The Snipe courses to be sailed are the Class approved courses for Championship regattas as published in the current SCIRA Official Rulebook and SCIRA web site.

10 SCORING

10.1 The low Point Scoring System, RRS Appendix A, will apply, modified according to SCIRA Deed of Gift for the Snipe Class.

10.2 3 races are required to constitute a regatta.

10.3 When fewer than 6 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total for her race scores.

10.4 When 6 to 11 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

11 HANDICAP RACING (Open Class)

11.1 Handicap racing shall be run using the RYA Portsmouth Yardstick Scheme.

12 INSURANCE

12.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$500,000 per incident or the equivalent.

13 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

13.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the regatta.

14 PRIZES

15.1 Prizes will be given for the first 3 teams in both the Open Class and the Snipe Class.

15.2 The Palm D'or Trophy will be given to the top team in the Snipe Class.

15.3 Other prizes may be announced...

16 BERTHING

Boats shall keep their assigned places at the boat park. All boats must be removed from the water after sailing.

PRACTICAL EVENT INFORMATION
NOT PART OF THE NOTICE OF RACE

SOCIAL: [BBQ Dinner Saturday Night](#)

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