# 2019 Founders' & Fireball Nationals Regatta

June 8-9, 2019

# **Organizing Authority: Wabamun Sailing Club**



# NOTICE OF RACE





The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the Notice of Race means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

[NP] denotes that a breach of this rule will not be grounds for a protest by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

#### 1 Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The Preamble to RRS Part 4 and RRS 40 is changed to require personal flotation devices (PFD's) to be worn at all times when afloat, except when changing clothing. **[DP]**
- 1.3 Boats that sail with a sail number other than the sail number they registered with at the regatta will receive a one time 20% scoring penalty. The scoring penalty points will be added to the total of the boat's race scores.

## 2 Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all dinghy and catamaran classes.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the online or onsite registration process.
- 2.3 Five or more boats of the same class registered by June 8, 2019 at 0855 will be scored as a fleet. All other boats will be scored using the current wind adjusted Portsmouth time correction system.

## 3 Fees

3.1 Pre-Registered prior to June 4, 2019

Single handled Regatta only \$55.00 Double handled Regatta only \$85.00

3.2 Without Pre-Registration (after Monday June 3)

Single handled Regatta only \$75.00

Double handled Regatta only \$105.00

Race Fee includes breakfast and welcome reception. Lunches (Saturday bag lunch, Sunday on shore after racing) and barbeque tickets will be available. There is a discount for meals purchased on-line before midnight Monday, June 3

#### 4 Schedule

Date	Time	Event
June 7	1700 - 1900	Registration
	1930	Welcome Reception
June 8	0800 – 0855	Registration
	0900	Competitors' meeting
	1000	Warning signal of first race of the day
June 9	1000	Warning signal of first race of the day
	1500	No warning signal after this time

There will be no break for lunch on Saturday June 8th or Sunday June 9th.

## 5 Sailing Instructions

Sailing Instructions will be available at registration.

# 6 Venue

Racing will take place on the waters of Lake Wabamun, Alberta.

#### 7 Courses

The courses to be sailed will be either Trapezoid, Windward/Leeward or Triangle.

# 8 Scoring

- 8.1 One race is required to constitute a series.
- 8.2 When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 8.3 When from 5 to 10 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be her total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- 8.4 Seven races are scheduled

## 9 Radio Communication [DP]

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.

### 10 Prizes

Prizes will be awarded based on the following numbers of boats per fleet:

2-5 boats 1st place

6-9 boats 1st & 2nd places 10 or more boats 1st, 2nd & 3rd places

## 11 Disclaimer of Liability

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 or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

### 12 Insurance

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance. The organizing authority does not accept any responsibility for verifying that a boat has valid third-party liability insurance.

# 13 Rights to Use Name and Likeness

In participating in an event, a competitor automatically grants to the Organizing Authority and the sponsors of the event, the right in perpetuity, to make, use and show, from time to time and at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproductions of him/her during the period of the competition in this events in which the competitor participates and in all material related to the events without compensation.

#### 14 Further Information

Regatta chair: Lori Jones

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### 15 Accommodations & Parking

Please contact the Regatta Chair for further information regarding onsite RV camping. Please do not park on the side of the road near the lake nor in the No Parking zone on the North side of the neighbouring Parkland County parking area. WSC will provide parking instructions upon arrival.

# 16 Places to Stay

Shoreside Inn

Wabamun Lake Inn

Provincial Park

Moonlight Bay Centre