



International Six Metre Association

Oceana Cup

September 9 – 10, 2017

Organized by Kitsilano Yacht Club
Vancouver Canada

NOTICE OF RACE (Amended August 30, 2017)

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The prescriptions of Sail Canada will apply.
- 1.3 Rules G 1.1(b) will not apply. Rule G3 will apply.
- 1.4 Penalties for breaches of a rule other than part 2, except rules 2, 28 and 31, may be less than disqualification if the protest committee so decides. This changes rule 64.1(a). The scoring abbreviation for a discretionary penalty imposed under this instruction will be DPI.

2 ADVERTISING AND PROVIDED EQUIPMENT

Competitor advertising will be restricted in accordance with class rule 30.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the International Six Metre Class that hold a current rating certificate and that complete registration before the entry deadline.
- 3.2 Competitors shall be current members of the International Six Metre Association.
- 3.3 Eligible competitors may enter by completing the boat registration form and the crew registration form at the regatta website at www.KitsilanoYachtClub.com and remitting the required fee by the entry deadline, which is midnight Vancouver time on Tuesday, September 5, 2017.
- 3.4 Registration covers entrance to the after-race party on Saturday and dinner on Saturday night for five crew members.

4 FEES

The required fee is \$100 payable in Canadian dollars, plus a 5 percent Canadian Goods & Services tax.

5 SCHEDULE

5.1 Registration and check-in is at Kitsilano Yacht Club, 2401 Point Grey Road, Vancouver on Friday, September 8 between 1730 and 1930 hours.

5.2 Racing schedule

Saturday, September 9 3 races First Warning signal at 1200 hours

Sunday, September 10 2 races First Warning signal at 1100 hours

5.3 Social program

Rules presentation by Don Martiin IJ at 1930 hours on Friday.

No-host bar on Saturday from 1600 to 2200 hours.

Dinner on Saturday at 1800 hours

5.4 Prizegiving after racing on Sunday, September 10, on the dock at Royal Vancouver YC.

5.5 No warning signal will be displayed after 1530 hours.

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at the regatta website at www.KitsilanoYachtClub.com after noon on Friday, September 8.

7 VENUE

Attachment A shows the location of the regatta harbour and the racing area.

8 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be windward leeward courses.

9 SCORING

9.1 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

9.2 (a) When fewer than five races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

(b) When five or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

10 BERTHING

Boats may request moorage at RVanYC from noon Friday until Sunday at 1800 hours. Boats shall be kept in their assigned places while they are in the harbour.

11 RADIO COMMUNICATION

11.1 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.

11.2 It is the intention of the Race Committee to announce boats subject to Recalls and Starting Penalties (OCS, UFD, BFD and General Recall) after the start using VHF radio.

12 MEDIA RIGHTS.

By participating in the event competitors automatically grant to the organizing authority and its sponsors the right in perpetuity to make, use and show, from time to time at their discretion, any still or motion pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproductions of the athlete during the period of the competition without compensation.

13 SAFETY

Boats must carry personal flotation devices for each crew member. The device must be approved in the country of entry.

14 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.

15 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of CAD \$1 million or equivalent.

16 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact Johanne Berube, Regatta Chair, at jberube@in-quest.net.

The regatta website can be found through www.KitsilanoYachtClub.com.

