



Annual Regatta

Saturday August 15, 2020

Rules

The races will be governed by the rules as defined in **The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)**, wherein the sailing instructions are the RStLYC Standing Sailing Instructions (SSI) and any addenda thereto with respect to this event posted on the Official Notice Board.

Skippers are responsible for deciding whether to participate or not, and for compliance with all applicable rules, including all COVID regulations and guidelines (See Appendix 3 below).

Entries

This is an Open Event. Competitors shall register with the Race Committee Boat prior to the first Warning Signal. If possible, please text to 514.625.5625 Sail #, Skipper and Crew names. Boats shall have a valid SLVYRA White Sail handicap listing. <https://slvyra.com/handicaps/current-handicaps/>

If there are 10 boats or more there will be a start for PHRF, Pennant #1 , and a start for PHRF 2/3, Pennant #2. 

If there are less than 10 boats there will be one start for all boats, Pennant #3  (This changes SSI 8.1)

Spinnakers

Spinnakers will not be permitted to encourage wider participation.

Schedule

There are three races scheduled. The first signal will be at 1030 hours. One race shall constitute a series.

Scoring

There will be no drop races.

The Course

Course will be set WEST of AD 18 (FLR).

Courses: (this changes SSIs 10.1 & 12.1)

-double windward-leeward, no flag

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-double triangle, code flag "O" 

Marks

The leeward mark will be the start line pin. Marks will be Yellow inflatables. If there is a separate start for PHRF 2-3, a separate Orange inflatable windward mark MAY be used.

Prizes

Prizes will be awarded at the RStLYC Annual Prize Giving Ceremony in November

APPENDIX – 3

COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

Multi-crewed boats racing in Divisions 1, 2 and 4 shall comply with the following summary of guidelines issued by the Fédération de Voile du Québec:

1. The main directive is to ensure that physical distancing is maintain overall. Therefore, the number of crew on your boat (NOT living at the same residential address) must allow everyone onboard to respect the 2m distancing at all times.

1.1. On boats which permit the 2M distancing, short and sporadic contact which is inherent in this sport is acceptable if the 2M distance is temporarily broken during maneuvers. During this breach, the cumulative time shall not exceed fifteen (15) minutes for the whole day or the regatta. Strategies should be put in place to minimise the contact between individuals (reducing crew size, etc.).

1.2. Should you decide to make use of masks during a race, they shall be considered ineffective when wet (from splash, rain, sweat, etc.).

2. Avoid as best as possible the sharing of equipment.

2.1. Should this occur, have protocols in place for disinfecting the equipment.