

Frostbite Yacht Club
Connecticut River Squadron, Inc.
Fall One-Design Regatta
Saturday November 7, 2009
NOTICE OF RACE

LOCATION: Essex Yacht Club, Essex, Connecticut

DATE: Saturday November 7, 2009

SKIPPER MEETING & RACING: Skippers meeting will take place at 10:30am in the boat launching area. Sailing instructions with course charts will be available at the registration desk. First warning signal is scheduled for 12:00pm.

CLASSES: Laser, JY-15, Club 420, Ideal 18, Etchells.

ELIGIBILITY: Open to all skippers (not necessarily the helmsperson) who are at least fifteen (15) years of age as of November 7, 2009. Written permission from parents or guardians required for skippers less than eighteen (18) years of age must be received at registration.

EQUIPMENT & CLASS RULES: The Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012 shall apply. All sailors shall wear zipped or tied **U.S. Coast Guard approved** Personal Floatation Devices (PFD's) at all times while on the water. JY-15's shall be governed by the JY-15 Class Association rules. Laser sailors shall wear zipped full torso wet or dry suits, and shall sail under their class rules. Etchells and Ideal 18s must carry a VHF radio (race committee channel 69) and an anchor at all times. All yachts must display proper sail numbers per USSA rules.

REGISTRATION: Pre-registration is encouraged. Entry forms and payment may be mailed in advance or submitted at the registration desk on November 7 from 8am to 10am.

ENTRY FEES: Only a properly completed entry form and full entry fee will be considered an entry. \$50 per entry for all classes which includes one post-race party ticket. Additional party tickets for crew and guests are \$15 each which includes food, soft drinks and beer. Cash bar will be open for mixed drinks/wine.

DOCK SPACE: Dock space is limited. No competitors are allowed to use or make contact with the docks at The Chandlery adjacent to the crane in the basin. Any competitor that does is subject to a DSQ for the day's sailing.

AWARDS: Awards for the top three boats in each class will be presented at the party after racing.

QUESTIONS: Call Commodore Doug McDonald at 860-227-5323.

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