2019 Ontario Sailing Regional Championships - Western Ontario

Saturday-Sunday August 3rd & 4th





Welcome to the sixth annual Western Ontario regatta hosted by SPSC for Lasers, Radials, Bytes and Club 420s, and other classes by special request.

SPSC is a great sailing venue on Lake St. Clair. Competitors and their families are welcome to camp and make use of the club showers, kitchen, BBQs and fire pit.

Accommodations

Free camping on the club grounds and limited billeting available.

Campers are asked to pre-register for camping.

Campers under 18 must have an adult supervisor on site

Directions

For detailed directions to the club, please visit our <u>navigation page</u>.

Registration

Please read the Notice of Race below and fill-in the online registration form.

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Notice of Race

Venue & Organizing Authority

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1 Rules

- 1.1 This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing, and the Sailing Instructions for the regatta.
- **1.2** The official notice board is in the clubhouse's enclosed porch. Notices will be <u>mirrored on the web</u> site when possible.

2 Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Laser, Laser Radial, Byte, Optimist and Club 420 classes. Other classes can be supported by special request.
- **2.2** Eligible boats shall enter by completing the online entry form and paying the entry fee by cash or cheque at registration.

3 Registration and Fees.

Meals:

The \$50 entry fee include breakfast Saturday & Sunday, snacks on the water, and Saturday night dinner.

A \$25 meal package is available to coaches and non-racers.

RC volunteers eat for free.

Coaches:

Coaches and support boats must register in-person and list the fleet(s) and competitor(s) they are coaching/supporting. A numbered flag may be issued at check-in and must be displayed. Coaches may not dock following racing until they have confirmed that all the competitors are inside the SPSC harbor.

Coach and support boats are required to monitor assigned channel on their VHF radios and be available to assist with safety when requested.



4 Schedule

- **4.1** The registration periods are on Friday between 1800 2100 and on Saturday between 0900 1000. Payment of the entry fee will be accepted at either of these times.
- 4.2 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race on Saturday is 1200.
- **4.3** The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race on Sunday is 1000.
- 4.4 No warning signal will be made after 1400 on Sunday.

Schedule of Events	
Friday	
1800 – 2100	Registration & Welcoming
Saturday	
0800	Breakfast
0900 – 1000	Registration
1030	Skippers' meeting
1100	Harbour start
1200	Race 1 warning, followed by subsequent races
1600	no warning signal after
1800	Dinner at SPSC
Sunday	
0700	Breakfast
0915	Harbour start
1000	Warning for first race
1400	no warning signal after
1530 – 1600	Awards

5 Safety

Life jackets must be worn at all times while afloat.

Boats must have a minimum 5 meter long, 6 mm minimum diameter towline attached to the mast at all times. This towline cannot be normal running rigging.

6 Sailing Instructions

The <u>Sailing Instructions</u> are available either at registration or downloadable from the event web site. Any changes to the Notice of Race will be incorporated into this online version and posted as a <u>notice to competitors</u>.



7 Courses.

The courses will be windward/leeward between inflatable marks.

A total of 8 races will be the targeted.

- **8** Scoring. Three races are required to be completed to constitute a regatta.
- **9 Prizes**. Prizes will be for first, second and third place in each class.

10 Photo and Video Disclaimer. By participating in the event, competitors give absolute right and permission for any photograph and video footage taken of themselves or the boat they are sailing during the event to be published in any media whatsoever, for either editorial or advertising purposes or to be used in press information without compensation

