



2022 Fall Regatta
Whitby Yacht Club
Whitby, Ontario, Canada

NOTICE OF RACE (NOR)

The notation '[NP]' in a rule means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that rule. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

1 RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 PHRF Lake Ontario (PHRF-LO) handicapping rules, available at <https://www.phrf-lo.org/index.php/publications/handicappers-manual>, applies. Time on Time multiplier calculations are based on A= 566.431 and B= 401.431.
- 1.4 Arbitration under RRS Appendix T will apply.

2 NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) INFORMATION

- 2.1 [NP] The Ontario Ministry of Health requirements, available at <https://covid-19.ontario.ca/zones-and-restrictions#control>, for the Region of Durham on the day of the race, will apply.
- 2.2 No persons shall enter the WYC grounds on the day of the race if they do not pass the Ontario Ministry of Health COVID-19 self-assessment, available at <https://covid-19.ontario.ca/self-assessment/>.

3 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 3.1 The sailing instructions will be available after 1800 h on Thursday, September 8, 2022 and posted on the [official notice board](#).

4 COMMUNICATION

- 4.1 The official notice board is located at <https://www.wyc.ca/fall-regatta>.
- 4.2 [DP] All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on channel(s) 16, 71 and 72.
- 4.3 On the water, the race committee will make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on VHF radio. The channel will be stated in the SIs.
- 4.4 [DP] While racing, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

5 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 5.1 The event is open to all boats of the PHRF handicapped class that hold a valid PHRF-LO certificate.
- 5.2 Owners and/or skippers of all boats must hold a membership of some category in the Whitby Yacht Club. Non-members may participate as crew but must be signed in as guests by their skipper.
- 5.4 Classes are defined as follows (FS=flying sails, NFS=non-flying sails):

PHRF1 FS	PHRF-LO FS-ASP < 150
PHRF1 NFS	PHRF-LO NFS-ASP < 190
PHRF2 FS	PHRF-LO FS-ASP >= 150
PHRF2 NFS	PHRF-LO NFS-ASP >= 190

- 5.5 Eligible boats not already registered for WYC Racing may enter by completing the entry form posted on the [official notice board](#) by September 8, 2022. The registration fee will be charged to the account of the Owner Member.
- 5.7 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.
- 5.8 Late entries will not be accepted.

6 FEES

- 6.1 Entry fees are as follows:

Class	Event Fee
All	\$25

The \$150 Racing Fee already includes entry to this, and all club level events hosted by the WYC and was paid only once per boat. The fee above is for boats not previously registered and for this event only.

7 CREW LIMITATIONS

- 7.1 The following crew limitations apply to all classes: the minimum crew shall be two (2).

8 SCHEDULE

8.1 Competitor's Briefing:

Date	Time	Location
Saturday, September 10	0930 h	Patio

8.3 Date of racing:

Saturday, September 10, 2022

8.4 Number of races:

Class	Races Scheduled
All	3

8.5 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 1100 h.

9 VENUE

9.1 NOR Addendum A shows the plan of the event venue.

9.2 NOR Addendum B shows the location of the racing area.

10 COURSES

10.1 All classes will race windward/leeward courses around fixed marks in the racing area indicated in Addendum B. The course will be from 1 to 8 nm in length depending on the class and wind conditions.

10.2 The marks that may be used are as follows:

- a 1 nm diameter circle of fixed yellow and orange barrels approximately 4' in height numbered 1 to 9.

11 PENALTY SYSTEM

11.1 The Scoring Penalty, RRS 44.3, does not apply.

12 SCORING

12.1 Rule A5.3 applies.

12.2 A boat that did not come to the start area will be scored points for the finishing place one more than the number of boats that came to the start area. This changes RRS A5.3.

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

- 12.4 All races will count. However, when results are folded into PHRF Series 4, the drop format for PHRF Racing will apply.

13 RISK STATEMENT

- 13.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.

14 INSURANCE

- 14.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$2,000,000 per incident.

15 CODE OF CONDUCT

- 15.1 The Ontario Sailing Association CODES OF CONDUCT, available at <https://ontariosailing.ca/about/governance/>, will apply. The CODE OF CONDUCT for guests and members of the Whitby Yacht Club, available at <https://www.wyc.ca/>, will apply.

16 PRIZES

- 16.1 Prizes will be given at the Awards Night (TBD) as follows:
- flags will be awarded to the three top finishers in each Class, and
 - a keeper trophy will be awarded to the winner of each Class.

17 FURTHER INFORMATION

- 17.1 For further information please contact Stan Naylor, WYC Fleet Captain at fleet@wycfleet.com. The Whitby Yacht Club is located at 701 Gordon Street, Whitby, Ontario.

Addendum A
Event Venue



Whitby Yacht Club
701 Gordon Street
Whitby, ON

Addendum B
Racing Area

