

## **West River Sailing Club - Friday Night Series NOR**

### **RULES:**

Races shall be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing for 2005-2008, USSA prescriptions and the International Laser Class Rules, except as modified by the following notice, and/or sailing instructions.

#### **RULE MODIFICATION**

A boat that may have broken a rule of RRS Part 2 may take a penalty by making a 360 degree turn. This changes RRS 44.1.

The Friday Night series is intended to be informal, educational, and fun. In that spirit, no protests will be heard. In the event of committing a foul, competitors are expected to comply with RRS Part 44.1, subject to the modification above.

### **SCHEDULE:**

Friday evenings, May 4<sup>th</sup> through August 24<sup>th</sup>. First warning at 6pm. Racing to continue as long as conditions and daylight permit.

Divided into three series of five nights each, with a team racing mini-series to cap off the summer.

**Series 1:** May 4, May 11, May 18, May 25, and June 1.

**Series 2:** June 8, June 15, June 22, June 29, and July 6.

**Series 3:** July 13, July 20, July 27, August 3 and August 10.

**Team Racing Series:** August 17, August 24.

Teams for team racing will be constructed from the results of the previous three series. You must compete in at least three of five evenings in at least two series (six races total) to participate in the team racing series.

### **COURSES:**

Normally windward/leeward, but an occasional triangle at the RC's discretion. Racing area is just off the Club waterfront. Courses are short (10-20 minutes) to maximize races per night.

### **REGISTRATION:**

Registration is not required for WRSC members. Non-WRSC members may register and participate with the following options:

1. Pay \$150 for the all three series and the team-racing mini-series.
2. Pay a \$60 fee per individual series. No partial fees for partial series participation will be accepted.

Registration may be accomplished on any Friday evening, from 5pm to 5:45pm. If you would like to register early, see the INFO AND ENTRIES section below.

### **SCORING:**

Low point system. Worst race finish for any single evening dropped when five or more races are sailed that evening. Results of each evening totaled to determine Series standings. Competitors may drop one evening result per series. DNS equals number of competitors for the day plus 1 point. Race Committee duty equals your average daily score for all race days you competed in. Size of teams to be determined. A team score for a race shall be the total of the members' scores.

### **AWARDS:**

An awards party will be held and awards will be given for:

1. The top three finishers in each series
2. The overall individual series champion, and
3. The winning team for the team series.

### **INFO & ENTRIES:**

If you have any questions or would like to register early, contact Chris Fisher at:

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