NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES
The regatta will be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the prescriptions of US Sailing, the rules of the Laser, Laser Radial, 420, 29er, Optimist, Bic, V-15, FI, or any other allowed classes (except as any of these are altered by the Sailing Instructions), and by the Sailing Instructions. Seattle Yacht Club is the organizing authority.

2. ALTERATIONS OF CLASS RULES
The class rules will be used, except the RRS 78 is changed to prohibit a boat from protesting another boat for an alleged breach of a class rule requiring class membership. “Club sails” are permissible in all classes, provided the sails are of the same size, shape, material and construction when compared to those approved by the class.

3. CLASSES
Boats of the Laser, Laser Radial, 420, 29er, Optimist, Bic, Vanguard-15, FI, and any other class with at least three entries will be sailed. Classes with less than 5 entries may be combined. There may be a separate race course for Optimists and/or Green Fleet competitors. The following classes will be scored in the overall NWYRC Summer Series: Opti Champ Fleet, Lasers (4.7, Radial, & Full), CFJ (double-handed non-spinnaker), and 29er (double-handed high performance). In addition to these classes, there will also be an Opti Green Fleet. Other classes with 3 or more entries by the registration deadline are welcome to compete, however they will not receive NWYRC series points.

4. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY
Sailors who have not yet reached their 19th birthday are invited to participate in the NWYRC, except where class rules otherwise determine age eligibility. Exceptions will be granted to those sailors who are 19 if they graduated from high school during the spring of 2018. Optimist class age rules of the NWYRC will apply.

5. REGISTRATION - There are two different ways to register.
2. Registration can be made by returning the attached entry form with payment, payable to Seattle Yacht Club and sent to Seattle Yacht Club, Attn: Jr. Olympics, 1807 E. Hamlin St., Seattle, WA 98112 or send to Angela@SeattleYachtClub.org

6. FEES – Early Registration Saves $20 *Late Registration applies for registrations after Wednesday, August 22nd!!! (Tip: Register Early)
The entry fee for all classes is $60 (US Dollars) per competitor ($60 for single-handed classes and $120 for double-handed classes). The entry fee includes an event T-shirt, Friday evening practice clinic, lunches Saturday
& Sunday, dinner and raffle Saturday evening, water bottle and event trophies. The entry fee, payable to Seattle Yacht Club, must be included with the entry form.

**MUST BE RECEIVED by AUGUST 22, 2018, OR A $20 LATE FEE PER BOAT WILL APPLY.**

7. **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS (TENTATIVE)**

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8. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The Sailing Instructions will be available at Check-In on Friday and Saturday, or at [www.seattleyachtclub.org/regattas](http://www.seattleyachtclub.org/regattas) in the week prior to the regatta.

9. **SCORING**

The Low-Point Scoring System, Appendix A of the RRS, will apply for all classes. A minimum of 1 race shall be completed to constitute a series. If 5 or more races are sailed, a boat’s worst score shall be discarded.

10. **PRIZES**

USA Junior Olympic medals will be awarded to competitors placing first through third in all divisions. Novice awards may also be provided in addition to awards for Sportsmanship, etc. Others will be awarded at the discretion of the regatta management.

11. **SAFETY**

A Coast Guard-approved PFD must be worn and fully secured at all times while afloat, except for brief periods while adding or removing clothing. Whistles permanently attached to the PFDs are recommended. This amends RRS 40.

12. **DINNER**

Dinner on Saturday evening will be provided for competitors on-site at Corinthian Yacht Club. Additional dinner tickets for parents and guests may be purchased for $15 per person.

13. **REGATTA LOCATION**

Shilshole Bay Marina/Corinthian Yacht Club
7755 Seaview Ave. NW
Seattle, WA 98117

14. **Support Boats /Coaches**

All support boats and coach boats must stay clear of the start line and race course areas. When in the vicinity of boats racing, all support boats must proceed at ‘no wake’ speed or remain motionless.
ENTRY FORM

Must be received by August 22, 2018, or a $20 late fee per boat will apply.

CLASS (check one):  ____Laser Full-rig  ____Laser Radial  ____Laser 4.7  ____420  ____29er  ____Vanguard-15  ____Bic
OPTIMIST:  ____Opti Red (13 – 15)  ____Opti Blue (11-12)  ____Opti White (10 & under)  ____Opti Green (novice)  ____Other

SAIL NUMBER: ___________________________

Skipper’s Name: ___________________________ T-Shirt Size: ______
Address: __________________________________ City: __________ Zip: __________
Phone #:_________________________ Email: ____________________________
Date of Birth:_____________ US Sailing or CYA ID #: __________________ Exp. Date: __________
(US Sailing or CYA Membership is required)

Yacht Club/Association/Team: ____________________________________________________________

Crew’s Name: ___________________________ T-Shirt Size: ______
Address: __________________________________ City: __________ Zip: __________
Phone #:_________________________ Email: ____________________________
Date of Birth:_____________ US Sailing or CYA ID #: __________________ Exp. Date: __________
(US Sailing or CYA Membership is required)

Yacht Club/Association/Team: ____________________________________________________________

EMERGENCY CONTACT:
ADULT RESPONSIBLE AT EVENT: ___________________________ PHONE: __________
Relationship: ______________
EMERGENCY CONTACT: ___________________________ PHONE: __________
RELATIONSHIP: ___________________________

Payment Information:

Early Registration: Single-handed: $60 _____  Double-handed: $120 _____
Late Registration  add $20 _____
Total Payment Enclosed: $ _____

Fee includes: 2 days of Racing,  T-Shirt,  2 lunches,  1 dinner (Saturday evening),  and event trophies.

Payment Method:

Check #: __________ MC or Visa #: ____________________________ Exp date: __________

SYC Account #: __________ Member Name/Name on Credit Card: __________________________

Mail Completed Registration, Waiver, & Entry fee to: Seattle Yacht Club, Attn: Junior Olympics, 1807 E. Hamlin St., Seattle, WA 98112
Phone: (206) 926-1011  Fax: (206) 324-8784  Email: BrianL@SeattleYachtClub.org  Website: www.seattleyachtclub.org
THIS AGREEMENT CONTAINS A RELEASE AND WAIVER – READ FIRST

RELEASE, WAIVER AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE

The undersigned acknowledges that in consideration of the efforts of the host organization(s), for being allowed to participate in this regatta/races and the acceptance of this application to race, HE/SHE DOES HEREBY WAIVE AND RELEASE ANY AND ALL CLAIMS THE UNDERSIGNED MAY HAVE AGAINST THE HOSTS, THEIR OFFICERS, TRUSTEES AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS, MEASURERS, JUDGES, AGENTS AND REPRESENTATIVES ARISING OUT OF THE ACTIVITIES REQUIRED FOR THE RACES ON THE WATER OR ASHORE, AND DOES FURTHER COVENANT AND AGREE NOT TO SUE OR TO BRING ANY CLAIM OR CLAIMS OF ANY NATURE WHATSOEVER AGAINST THE HOST ORGANIZATION(S) OR ANY OF THE PERSONS AND OFFICERS NAMED, OR UNNAMED, ABOVE WHO MAY BE ACTING ON THE HOSTS’ BEHALF.

Sailor Name: _______________________________ 

Parent Signature: ________________________ Date: _________________

Parent Name (please print): _______________________________