



2010 McCurdy Trophy Team Race Regatta

October 30-31, 2010

*Seattle Yacht Club
1807 East Hamlin St
Seattle WA 98112*

Sailing Instructions

1. **RULES**

The regatta will be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), Appendix D, and the Sailing Instructions. In the event of a conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions shall govern.

2. **FLEETS OF BOATS**

The regatta will be sailed in V15s. The fleets shall be referred by the color of their Sails.

3. **COURSES**

See Attachment A. All marks will be red, orange or white balls

4. **ROTATIONS**

Rotations shall take place off of the SYC dock. Each team is responsible for having copies of the rotation and being prepared to rotate into its next fleet of boats. Failure to rotate boats on time may cause a team to miss or forfeit its race.

6. **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

Saturday	0930	Competitor's Meeting
Saturday	1030	Warning signal
Saturday		Pizza Dinner
Sunday	1000	Warning signal
Sunday	1530	No racing later than
Sunday		Awards ASAP after racing

7. RACING AREA

The racing will take place off the docks of SYC.

9. FORMAT

Subject to wind and weather conditions, the intended format is a double Round Robin followed by a championship final 4 round. This will be further detailed at the Competitor's Meeting but is subject to change during the regatta.

The Round Robin format will include teams from both divisions. However, subsequent championship rounds may be specific to the division.

Time permitting, the regatta will conclude with an exhibition race between the Junior division champion and the Masters division champion.

11. SCORING

In accordance with Appendix D, except as modified by changes to the Sailing Instructions.

12. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to all members of the championship team from each division.

13. PROTESTS

Protests not settled by competitors on the water will be settled via the Three Minute Justice system as outlined at the Competitor's Meeting. In order for a protest to be valid, a protesting boat must hail the boat it intends to protest with the phrase "Protest Boat Number ____" immediately after the incident has occurred (fill in the blank with the number of the boat being protested). After the race the protesting boat must then inform the finish boat of the protest and once again inform the boat it is protesting of the protest. Protests may be heard on the water immediately after the completion of the race.

14. LIFEJACKETS

All competitors shall wear Flotation Devices at all times while on the water, except for brief periods of time when adding or removing articles of clothing.

Appendix A

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