

PDX Team Racing Championship
Nov 18-19, 2006
at VLSC

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Rules:

1.1 This regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2005-2008 as prescribed by USSailing, including Appendix D - Team Racing Rules, the Notice of Race, these Sailing Instructions, and any verbal instructions made at the skipper's meeting or notices posted on the official regatta notice board.

1.2 Rule D2.4(b) of Appendix D of the Racing Rules of Sailing 2005-2008 will be in effect.

1.3 Any change to the Sailing Instructions will be posted on the official regatta notice board by 09:30 on the day it will take effect. Any change to the schedule will be posted on the official regatta notice board by 15:00 on the day before it will take effect.

Entry:

This is an invitational only event. Teams must represent a club or fleet in the Portland/Vancouver area. A team must contain a minimum of 3 skippers and 3 crew. There may be only one entry per club, if a majority of team members are also club members. Crew and skipper rotations must represent the fleet or club team, but are otherwise unlimited. All participants will be required to sign a liability waiver.

2.1 There will be an entry fee of \$10 for each participant on each team. These funds will be used to maintain a boat-damage fund. Payment of the entry fee does not absolve participants of their full responsibilities under the Racing Rules of Sailing for any boat damage that may occur.

Schedule:

SATURDAY

3.1 Skipper's meeting at 11:00

3.2 First warning signal will be made no earlier than 12:00

SUNDAY

3.3 Skipper's meeting at 09:30

3.4 First warning no earlier than 10:00

Courses:

4.1 The course will be a modified triangle, or any course set by the race committee, with all marks rounded to port

Protests:

5.1 A protesting boat must inform the race committee boat of the protest immediately after finishing the race in which the incident occurred.

5.2 Protests will be heard immediately after the race in which the incident occurred using the 3-minute justice format: one minute for each party, and one minute for the protest committee. The one-minute decisions of the protest committee are final and may not be appealed.