



NOTICE OF RACE (NOR)

2023 YRALIS FROSTBITE CHAMPIONSHIP REGATTA

Saturday, March 18, 2023

Organizing Authorities:

The Riverside Dyer Dinghy Association ([RDDA](#)),

Riverside Yacht Club ([RYC](#)) &

Yacht Racing Association of Long Island Sound ([YRALIS](#))

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing
- 1.2 APPENDIX V1 – PENALTY AT THE TIME OF AN INCIDENT will apply.
- 1.3 RRS 40.1 PERSONAL FLOTATION DEVICES will apply

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1 The SIs will be available at the skippers meeting and on the RDDA [website](#)

3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 The official Notice Board will be located at the head of the dock at RYC.
- 3.2 from the first warning signal until the end of the last race of the day], 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

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The top skipper(s) of each YRALIS frostbite fleet are invited to enter [here](#).
- 4.2 All interested frostbite fleets will be assured a minimum of one entrant.
- 4.3 ALL ENTRANTS MUST BE ACTIVE [YRALIS](#) MEMBERS

5 CLASS SAILED

Ten-foot Dyer Dinks, conforming to RDDA class rules, will be provided to all competitors. The boats will be sailed single-handed. As per the RDDA rules, the combined weight of a competitor and his or her dingy, along with ballast and required equipment, must be a minimum of 385 pounds. There will be no damage deposit, but the Organizing Authorities ask all competitors to be respectful of all borrowed equipment for this event.

6 ENTRY FEES

- 6.1 Eligible skippers may enter by registering online at www.RYC.org
- 6.2 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.
- 6.3 The entry fee is \$55. This includes use of a Dyer 10, food and drink at the post-race party.

7 SCHEDULE

This regatta is scheduled for Saturday, March 18, 2023, with no alternative date.

- 830 Registration/Weigh-ins/Boat assignments
- 0915 Harbor Start
- 1000 First Warning (no starts later than 1200)

The decision to cancel the regatta may be made at any time up to the first gun. If the decision is made more than 20 hours before the first gun, the Organizing Authorities will attempt to inform competitors by email.

8 VENUE

All events will take place at the Riverside Yacht Club, Riverside, CT. The race course will be in Cos Cob Harbor.

9 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be as detailed in the SIs.

10 SCORING

- 10.1 Appendix A Scoring System will apply
- 10.2 When fewer than six races have been completed a boat's score will be the total of her races. When six or more races have been completed, a boat's score will be the total of her races excluding her worst score
- 10.3 The Race Committee intends to run as many races as practicable during the 2 hour window of the regatta.
- 10.4 One race shall constitute a regatta

11 PRIZES

The perpetual William Dyer Memorial Trophy will be awarded to the top male finisher in the regatta. The Mermaid Trophy will be awarded to the top female finisher in the regatta. These perpetual trophies will be awarded at the YRALIS annual meeting in December 2023. Keeper trophies will be awarded at the event to the top three finishers, and an additional trophy will be awarded to the top female finisher.

12 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 43, Decision to Race. The Organizing Authorities will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

THE ORGANIZING AUTHORITIES STRONGLY RECOMMENDS THAT SAILORS WEAR A DRY SUIT WHILE SAILING.

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please email John Edenbach, the Regatta Chairman, at johnedenbach@gmail.com