

RVYC
Scott Point Invitational

August 3-4, 2019
Scott Point Outstation, Salt Spring Island, BC

NOTICE OF RACE and SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1 Rules

The regatta will be governed by the *Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*.

Competitors must wear personal flotation devices at all times on the water.

2 Schedule

This is a two day regatta start times each day is around 11:00 hrs. Times may be delayed if ferries are in the way as they arrive and depart.

Saturday Aug 3 - A minimum of 3 and a maximum of 5 short distance races depending on wind, rain, interest, etc. A beer/lunch break at the dock between races is likely.

Sunday Aug 4 - A long distance race followed by lunch at the dock. If wind permits there will be additional short races in Long Harbour.

3 Start and Finish

The start and finish lines will be between the seaward end of dock A and a set mark. The race committee will be seated at a table on the end of dock A and are open to influence, start, finish and otherwise.

There will be separate starts for Lightnings and Lasers.

4 Courses

Saturday: Races will be in Long Harbour around various buoys, government or otherwise. Duration about one hour each.

Sunday: From start line around Owl Island 49-49-5 N, 123-24-1 W, off the North West tip of secret Island, and return to the finish line. Port or starboard rounding will be determined and announced by the race committee on Sunday morning once the wind and tide combination is known.

5 Scoring

Full regatta scoring per RRS Appendix A. No throw outs. All races count one point each.

6 Protests

Written protests are discouraged unless required for liability and damage reasons. Competitors are expected to acknowledge their rule infraction and take a one turn (one tack and one gybe) penalty.

7 Launching and Hauling

The best launching times at the ramp are August 1 from 15:30 hrs to sunset and August 2 from 16:00 hrs to sunset.

Lightnings cannot be hauled on Saturday night unless below water line damage has been sustained and is in need of repair.

Boats can be hauled late Sunday and Monday.

8 Social

There will be beers provided on the docks both Thursday and Friday during and after launch hours. An impromptu dinner on the BBQ dock on both Thursday and Friday after launching and practice trials is likely. Bring your own food and drinks.

After Saturday racing a regatta dinner will be held most likely at Bill and Jean's house 111 Baker Road right after your boat is secured at the dock for the night and you have cleaned up a bit.

After the final race on Sunday prize giving will be held at the BBQ dock immediately after the committee figures out the results after balancing the results with the requested influences

9 Notices

Please watch the regatta notice board at the land end of A Dock for last minute updates.

10 Accommodation

Some billeting is available. If accommodation is needed please contact Bill Cote soleilsansfin@aol.com

11 Disclaimer of Liability

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority 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.

12 Further Information

For further information please contact Bill Cote at soleilsansfin@aol.com or (250) 210-1716.

Safe sailing and have fun. This is not the mainland.