

Notice of Race
Dark of Night Regatta
Bacow Sailing Pavilion, Tufts University
Upper Mystic Lake, Thursday October 24, 2019

1 Rules

The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing, the ICSA Procedural Rules, and the sailing instructions.

2 Schedule

Thursday report time	1600
Competitors meeting	1610
Sunset	1749
First warning signal	1630
No start after	1900

3 Sailing Instructions will be available via Tech Score soon

4 Format

4.1 There may be three A division races followed by three B races. If conditions are good the sets will be just two races each with two sets per division for a total of eight races. No boat rotation.

4.2 If 12 or fewer teams compete, the format will be changed to combined divisions with as many as five races.

5 Courses

5.1 Apex 2 Reaching start down through to gate, through bottom gate, through top gate, finish left.

5.2 Apex 3 Same as Apex 2 but with three legs finishing through bottom gate.

5.3 Apex 4 Same as Apex 2 but twice around or four legs.

6 Equipment

6.2 Larks, built in 2016 by Whitecap Composites are beautiful; keep them that way.

6.1 Flashlights will be provided.

7 Coaching Tips

7.1 Start where the others are not.

7.2 Never get fouled by any other boat.

7.3 At a crowded rounding, it's better to use speed on the outside rather than yelling on the inside.

8 Parking, etc.

8.1 Parking is plentiful and easy next to the boathouse but do not park in handicapped spaces.

8.2 Food is allowed on the third floor but gear bags are not.

9. Food is provided.

Plan is to serve chili and nachos starting around 5:15 when A division comes in. That's the plan, anyway.

10. Enjoy