



**PROTEST TROPHY 2021**  
**Bates College | Taylor Pond Yacht Club**  
**10.10.2021**

**SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

**1. RULES**

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2021-2024, and the prescriptions of US SAILING, the Procedural Rules for Intercollegiate Sailing Competition 2021-2024 (PR) (except as any of these are modified by these sailing instructions), and by these Sailing Instructions.

**2. NOTICES TO COMPETITORS**

2.1 Notices will be posted on the official regatta notice board located at the north end of the beach on the picnic table.

**3. CHANGES IN SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

3.1 Any changes in the sailing instructions will be announced orally and posted before the first race in which they take effect.

**4. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

<b>Sunday</b>	930	Report Time
	945	Competitors Meeting
	1030	First Warning Signal
	1500	No Starting Signal After

**5. FORMAT**

- 5.1. The event will be sailed in standard format (A/B divisions) using FJs.  
5.2. Eight races are scheduled rotations every four (4) races.

**6. BOATS & EQUIPMENT**

6.1 Competitors shall report all damage or loss of equipment, however slight, to the PRO (to be announced at Skipper's Meeting), or to the Race Committee on the water.

**7. ROTATION**

- 7.1 Boats shall be rotated every four races.  
7.2 Boats will rotate off the beach.

## **8. COURSE**

8.1 Course will be a W4 as depicted on the online notice board.

8.2 Races will be sailed just off the beach and will be approximately fifteen (15) minutes long each.

## **9. STARTING SYSTEM**

9.1 Races will be started in accordance with PR 18(b)(i).

## **10. PROTESTS**

10.1 Protests shall be filed in accordance with the ICSA Procedural Rules.

10.2 Protests shall be filed with 30 minutes of securing boats to the shore after the race or set of races in which the incident occurred.

10.3 All coaches are requested to participate in hearing protests as called upon by the host.

## **11. SAFETY**

11.1. Competitors who require assistance from rescue boats should signify by waving arms overhead. A competitor who retires from a race shall notify any member of the Race Committee as soon as possible.

11.2. Starts will not be delayed accommodating capsized boats.