

**First Year Interconference for the Nickerson Trophy
Bacow Sailing Pavilion, Tufts University
Upper Mystic Lake, October 28-29, 2023**

Notice of Race

1 Rules

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

2 Schedule

Saturday report time	1030
Competitors Meeting	1045
First start Saturday	1100
No Saturday start after	1800
Sunday report time	0930
First start Sunday	1000
No Sunday start after	1500

3 Sailing Instructions will be available via Tech Score by Friday, October 28

4 Format

"A" division will start with two races, followed by "B" division, alternating throughout.

5 Courses

5.1 Course 4 will be the standard course (W-L-W-L with windward offset and leeward gate)

5.2 Course 5 (W-L-W-L-W with offset and gate) may be used as well.

5.3 Course 6 is also a possibility in an easterly or westerly.

5.4 In the event of strong winds, the offset mark may be extended into a reach to prevent damage to equipment.

6 Larks

6.1 Please tie the trucker's hitch with your main halyard in the manner depicted in the diagram on the notice board on Techscore.

6.2 Do not remove the pin & cotter ring at the head of the jib. The wire is T-locked into the mast and can be easily removed by rotating the wire perpendicular to the mast.

7 Protests

7.1 Forms are available in the office and must be filled during the first offset after the incident.

7.2 Protests will be heard in the Crystal Lake conference room on the upper level.

7.3 Protests in the last set shall be filed within 20 minutes of the conclusion of racing.

8 Boathouse Use

Gear bags will not be allowed on the top floor. If any trash bins are overfilled, please alert a Tufts sailor, or change the bag yourself if you're feeling helpful.

9 Parking

There is a public lot adjacent to the boathouse.