



URI Club Sports COVID-19 Competition Safety Plan

Sailing

Introduction

The protocols outlined in this document have been established to provide a safe environment for competition. Coaches and team leaders from both the URI team and its opponents are encouraged to review this document thoroughly and go over the details with the members of their teams. The continuation of Club Sports competitions at URI in the Spring 2021 semester will require everyone's cooperation and strict adherence to the following protocols.

General Event Information

Event Date(s)

April 10, 2021 Ewenson Trophy

April 17, 2021 URI FR

Location

URI Sailing Center
236 Salt Pond Road
Wakefield, RI 02879



Reporting time Time

9:45

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Approximate # of Attendees

URI Team: 12

URI Coaches: 1

Visiting Teams: 28

Visiting Coaches: 4

Officials: n/a

Total: 45

Pre-Event Testing

All participants, coaches, and staff from both the URI team and the opponent who will be participating in the event must get tested for COVID-19 no more than 72 hours prior to the event. Individuals who have tested

positive for COVID-19 within the past 90 days are exempt from the testing requirement, but must provide confirmation of their exemption.

Participants, coaches, and staff from the URI team must submit a screenshot of their test confirmation to their team's COVID safety officer and update their weekly testing tracker spreadsheet.

The Coordinator of Club Sports will collect an [attestation form](#) from the opponent 24 hours prior to the event which will include a complete roster of all attendees along with their contact information.

The opponent's school administrator (Club Sport Coordinator, Athletic Director, etc.) must attest to the following in order for the event to proceed:

- All members of my team were tested for COVID-19 no more than 72 hours prior to this event
- To my knowledge, no individual from my team who is participating in this event tested positive for COVID-19 within the past 72 hours, nor have they been in close contact with anyone who tested positive within the past 72 hours
- No individual who should be in isolation or quarantine according to [the latest CDC recommendations](#) will participate in this event
- I will provide a complete roster including the full name and telephone number of all participants, coaches, and staff who will be attending the event to Joe Wilbur, coordinator of club sports 24 hours prior to the event.

In the event that any member of the URI team tests positive for COVID-19 during the pre-event testing, the coordinator of club sports will work with Health Services to ensure proper quarantine/isolation protocols are followed and to determine if the event can proceed as scheduled.

General Safety Protocols

Masks

Students, coaches, officials, and staff must wear a mask at all times in accordance with current executive orders and RIDOH regulations. This includes wearing a mask while sailing.

Physical Distancing

Students and coaches should maintain a distance of at least 6 feet whenever possible, especially when not engaged in active participation. Students and coaches should not socialize or interact with their opponents in any way when not engaged in active participation. The visiting teams will have a designated area shown on the site map.

Congregation Prohibited

Participants and coaches will refrain from congregating in groups during the event.

Hand Cleaning

Participants and coaches are encouraged to wash their hands or use hand sanitizer containing at least 60% alcohol frequently during competitions.

Shared Objects

Sharing of items that are difficult to clean, sanitize, or disinfect between use is prohibited. Participants should bring and use their own equipment where possible, or have equipment designated and labeled for individual use. Shared equipment should be limited and sanitized between users. Equipment should be staged to allow physical distance between users and to limit multiple touches. Cups, bottles, or other food/beverage items should not be shared, and water bottles should be clearly marked with the individual's name. Coaches, staff, and officials are encouraged to use electronic whistles to encourage consistent face covering use.

Water

All participants and coaches should bring their own water to competitions. Water bottles cannot be shared.

Restrooms

Usage of the restrooms inside the URI Sailing Center is prohibited. URI will provide portable restrooms to be used at the Sailing Center.

URI Team Arrival Procedures

- Prior to arrival, all members of the URI team, including coaches and staff, must complete [URI's daily self-assessment form](#). After completing the self-assessment form, each individual will receive an email with a green check mark. Display of this green checkmark will be required at check-in.
- The URI team will arrive 2 hours before the start of competition.
- Each member must check in with the coach immediately upon arrival and present their daily health assessment form.
- URI team members must be socially distant while on land or docks

Visiting Team Arrival Procedures

- Prior to arrival, all members of the visiting team, including coaches and staff, must complete [URI's daily self-assessment form](#). After completing the self-assessment form, each individual will receive an email with a green check mark. Display of this green checkmark will be required at check-in.
- The visiting team will arrive 30 minutes before the start of competition.
- A URI team representative will meet the visiting team at the sailing facility. Each member of the visiting team will check-in to display their green check mark and to confirm that they are on the roster and that their contact information is correct. Social distancing protocols must be observed throughout the check-in process.
- Once check-in is complete, teams must remain in their designated areas until called to get their boats.

Competition Safety Protocols

- Bathrooms
 - Having multiple sanitizer stations.
 - Signage to encourage people to use hand sanitizer before and after using the bathroom.
 - Visiting teams use PortaJohn or public bathrooms located adjacent to the sailing facility
 - URI team uses Sailing Facility bathrooms
 - Disinfection continuously.
- Food/Water

- Participants will be told to bring their own food and water
- If a team member needs a drink or needs to eat, they must return to their car and away from everyone else to do so

Post-Event Testing

All participants will be tested again by the end of business on Monday following each event. In the event that any member of a URI team tests positive for COVID-19 within 72 hours after a competition has concluded, the coordinator of club sports will notify the opponent's school administrator and team point of contact. Likewise, the opponent's school administrator should notify the URI Coordinator of Club Sports in the event that any member of the opposing team tests positive for COVID-19 within 72 hours of the event.