

Owen Trophy  
Bacow Sailing Pavilion, Tufts University  
Upper Mystic Lake, Medford, MA  
April 13th, 2024

## **Sailing Instructions**

### **1. Rules**

The Regatta will be governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and the *ICSA Procedural Rules*.

### **2. Notices to Competitors**

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board in the main room.

### **3. Schedule of Races**

Report time Saturday will be 1030. The first warning signal will be at approximately 1115. No race shall be started after 1800.

### **4. Format**

Racing will be in combined divisions with two boats from each participating team in two race sets

### **5. The Course**

The courses will be 4 (W-L-W-L), 5, or 6. Courses will have a windward offset mark and leeward gate. The gate will be located on or near the starting line and will include the finish mark.

### **6. Marks**

The marks are mast buoys displaying colored flags with numerals or letters, 1 (windward), 2 (offset or reach), G (gate), S (start) and F (finish/gate).

### **7. The Start**

Races shall be started using Appendix Q, Sound Signal Starting System.

The starting line will be between orange flags, one on a buoy marked S, and one on the RC boat.

### **8. The Finish**

The finish line for courses 4 and 6 will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the committee boat and the nearest gate or leeward mark F. The finish line for course 5 will be between mark 1 and an orange flag displayed by the RC boat.

### **9. Protests**

Protest forms will be available on the desk in kitchen/office. Protests shall be filed with the scorekeeper within 15 minutes after coming ashore.