



# St. Augustine Yacht Club

## 2021 Dinghy Championships

### Notice of Race

#### 1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

#### 2 Eligibly and Entry

- 2.1 Racing will be one-design competition in SAYC 420s and SAYC or Member Lasers.
- 2.2 Skippers must be SAYC members (crew need not be). Skippers must be experienced and proficient in sailing 420s, and have proper SAYC check-out approval. SAYC RCoS reserves the right to disqualify any competitor for unsafe boat handling.
- 2.3 There are 2 available SAYC Lasers which will be assigned on a first come first served basis.
- 2.4 Registration will be closed on June 25, 2021.

#### 3 Fees

- 3.1 Entry Fee will be \$25.00 (\$15.00 for Lasers using their own boat) tax inclusive for each date, payment must be received prior to racing. SAYC Members may charge their house account.

#### 4 Schedule

- 4.1 Race Dates 

	<u>Date</u>
Race #1	Saturday, June 26
Race #2	Saturday, July 24
Race #3	Saturday, August 14
Race #4	Saturday, September 18
Race #5	Saturday, October 09
Race #6	Saturday, November 06
- 4.2 

<u>Skippers Meeting</u>	<u>First Warning</u>	<u>No Races Start After</u>
1030	1200	1600
- 4.3 Skippers Meeting is mandatory
- 4.4 Make-up dates will be the following Sunday of the scheduled race dates. If that date must be rescheduled, then the following month's Sunday will be the make up date.

#### 5 Sailing Instructions

- 5.1 Sailing Instructions will be available the day before each Regatta at [www.staugustineyachtclub.com](http://www.staugustineyachtclub.com) and distributed to racing email list. Please contact [sailcommodore.staugustineyc@gmail.com](mailto:sailcommodore.staugustineyc@gmail.com) to be included in email list.

#### 6 Venue & Courses

- 6.1 Racing will be in Salt Run, in the vicinity of the Conch House, Saint Augustine, FL.
- 6.2 Course will be at the discretion of the Race Committee.

#### 7 Penalty System

- 7.1 Decisions of the protest committee will be final as provided in RRS 70.5.

#### 8 Scoring

- 8.1 One design scoring as defined in RRS Appendix A.
- 8.2 Each boat will drop their worst race provided that 4 races have been sailed in each regatta.

#### 9 Radio Communication

- 9.1 Radio Communication devices of any kind are prohibited.

#### 10 Prizes

- 10.1 Prizes will be presented for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> for skipper and crew (skipper for Lasers) at the SAYC Awards Banquet on 11/14/2021.

#### 11 Disclaimer of Liability

- 11.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

## **12 Liability & Responsibility**

- 12.1 Skippers are responsible and financially liable for any damage. Responsibility for collision damage between boats will be solely assigned by the Protest Committee.
- 12.2 Skipper's and crew are responsible for rigging, launching and retrieving their assigned boat.

## **13 Further Information**

- 13.1 Contact Marissa Burrier, Sail Director, SAYC – [saildirector.staugustineyc@gmail.com](mailto:saildirector.staugustineyc@gmail.com) – (904) 643-2243  
Or Bri Muller, Rear Commodore Sail, SAYC – [rearcommodore.staugustineyc@gmail.com](mailto:rearcommodore.staugustineyc@gmail.com) – 781-742-5600.



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### Sailing Instructions

#### 1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* including US Prescriptions.
- 1.2 If there is a conflict between these instructions and Notice of Race, these instructions shall take precedence.
- 1.3 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

#### 2 Eligibly and Entry

- 2.1 Racing will be one-design competition in SAYC 420s and SAYC or Member Lasers.
- 2.2 Skippers must be SAYC members (crew need not be). Skippers must be experienced and proficient in sailing 420s, and have proper SAYC check-out approval. SAYC RCoS or Fleet Captain reserve the right to disqualify any competitor for unsafe boat handling.
- 2.3 Number of entries available is 10 for the 420 class. Number of entries available is 2 for the SAYC Laser Class. Entries will be accepted in the following order:
  - 2.3.1 Skippered in the 2020 Dinghy Championship
  - 2.3.2 All others based on dingy racing experience and skill level
  - 2.3.3 Any number of members may enter if they are providing their own boat
- 2.4 Entry fee is \$25.00 for entries using SAYC boats and \$15.00 for entries providing their own boat.
- 2.5 Registration to be completed online using the link on regatta website:  
<https://www.staugustineyachtclub.com/dinghychampionships.html>
- 2.7 Registration will be closed on June 25, 2021.
- 2.8 Each team is expected to do 1 race day as R.C. The R.C. team will receive bullets (first place scores) for that day's races. Teams who do not fulfill their R.C. duties will receive DNS scores

#### 3 Changes to the Sailing Instruction

- 3.1 Changes to sailing instruction will be posted on the SAYC Notice Board (to the right side of the north door) and on the web site.

#### 4 Signal made Ashore

- 4.1 Mandatory skipper's meeting at the SAYC Clubhouse 1030 each day prior to racing

#### 5 Schedule of Races

5.1	<u>Date</u>	<u>First warning</u>	<u>Number of Races (Notes)</u>
Race #1	June 26	1200	6
Race #2	July 24	1200	6
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- 7.1 Protest flags are not required RRS 61.1(a)(1)
- 7.2 Decisions of the protest committee will be final as provided in RRS 70.5.

#### 8 Scoring

- 8.1 One design scoring as defined in RRS Appendix A. 20% of races (rounded down) may be discarded after five races.
- 8.2 420s only: In the event that fewer than 5 races are completed on a given day, scoring will be factored to give proper weight for overall results.

## **9 Radio Communication**

- 9.1 Radio Communication devices of any kind are prohibited to be aboard.

## **10 Protests and Request for Redress**

- 10.1 Protest forms are available at the Saint Augustine Yacht Club. Protests and requests for redress or reopening shall be delivered there within the appropriate time limit.
- 10.2 For each class, the protest time limit is 30 minutes from when the Race Committee Boat docks
- 10.3 Notices will be posted no later than 30 minutes after the protest time limit to inform competitors of hearings in which they are parties or named as witnesses. Hearings will be held at the Saint Augustine Yacht Club as soon as practical thereafter.
- 10.4 Intent to protest must be hailed to the Race Committee as soon as possible following the race in which the incident occurred

## **11 Safety Regulations**

- 11.1 A boat that retires from a race shall notify the race committee as soon as possible.
- 11.2 Except briefly to change clothes, appropriate personal flotation devices must be worn at all times while on the water

## **12 Prizes**

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