

2017 G.P. South Fall Team Regatta – Tier3

Regatta Sailing Instructions

1. RULES:

1. The regatta will be governed by the 2017-2020 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the Interscholastic Sailing Association Procedural Rules, Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions, and the MISSA By-Laws

2. ELIGIBILITY and ENTRY:

1. Competing schools must be members in good standing of ISSA/MISSA.
2. A “Team” is comprised of a minimum of six, maximum of nine, sailors.
3. Each team must be accompanied by an adult adviser, parent, or coach.

3. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Any changes to the schedule or Sailing Instructions will be posted on the Official Notice Board located at the clubhouse, prior to competitors’ meeting.

4. BOAT DAMAGE:

1. In the event that 420 damage cannot be attributed to a particular team, the repair costs will be divided evenly between all the teams competing
2. Collegiate 420 boats shall be sailed as provided

5. SCHEDULE: See NOR

6. SAFETY EQUIPMENT:

1. US Coast Guard approved type III life jackets (personal flotation devices/PFDs) must be worn while on boats, as well as the dock at all times. Anyone who goes on the water, must have a PFD.

7. RACING AREA:

1. The Racing Area will be the waters of Lake St. Clair, adjacent to Grosse Pointe Yacht Club.

8. COURSES:

1. Digital N Team Race standard course.

9. SCORING:

1. The regatta will be scored using ISSA Procedural rules. No scores will be excluded.
2. Techscore will be used, and RP forms are due no later than 30 minutes after dock time of RC boat, the same as end of protest time.

10. INDIVIDUAL/ GENERAL RECALLS:

1. Code Flag “X” may be displayed for individual recalls. It is the responsibility of the yacht to make a proper start. Failure of the Race Committee to make these

signals or failure of a starter on the course side to see or hear these signals shall not relieve the offending yacht from restarting and is not grounds for redress.

2. After a General Recall, the "Round-the-Ends Rule" RRS 30.1 shall apply. Code flag "I" need NOT be displayed and is for that individual race only.

11. PROTESTS:

1. Tier 3, 3 minutes of justice.
2. Optional: If we have on-the-water umpires, sailors may protest by hailing "protest" and raising an arm. If the protested boat wants to take a penalty, they may do so on their own by yelling "spinning" and then doing a 360 turn (one tack and one gibe). If the protested boat doesn't take a 360 penalty turn and the umpire decides there is no foul, they will raise a green flag (continue to sail on). If the umpire raises a red flag and points it at your boat, you will be required to do a 720 penalty turn (two tacks and two gibes).

12. COACHING:

All coaches must be registered in accordance with MISSA By-Laws.

1. Entry in this regatta is the waiver of liability. Photos may be seen and distributed on public sites.
2. Awards for 1-3 places.

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