



2016 MASSA District Mallory Championship

Qualifier for the ISSA Mallory Trophy

Hosted by The WaterFront Center

Saturday, April 16 – Sunday, April 17

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016, the prescriptions of US SAILING, the ISSA Procedural Rules, MASSA Procedural Rules and this Notice of Race.
- 1.2 Racing Rules listed below will be changed as indicated.
 - a. Rule 63.7 will be replaced with: "If there is any conflict between the Sailing Instructions and the Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions shall apply."

2 ELIGIBILITY, PURPOSE & SUPERVISION

- 2.1 Competing teams must be members of ISSA, MASSA and their respective Leagues and meet ISSA eligibility rules as prescribed in the ISSA Procedural Rules.
- 2.2 There are 18 berths. Selection of competing teams will be by league qualification. Qualifying schools must notify their league director of their intent to participate by Monday, April 11.
- 2.3 Teams must be accompanied by a Designated Adult Team Leader, who may be an advisor, coach, or parent of at least 18 years of age. A designated adult team leader must give his/her name and mobile number during Check-In and remain on site for the duration of the regatta.
- 2.4 Appropriate behavior is expected of all participants, coaches and parents.

3 ENTRY AND COMMUNICATIONS

- 3.1 Teams that have qualified must [sign-up online](#) on the MASSA website, by Tuesday, April 12.
- 3.2 Teams unable to compete must immediately contact their league director and the Regatta Organizer.
- 3.3 Vacant berths will be reallocated at the discretion of the MASSA board.
- 3.4 Notices to competitors, including changes to Sailing Instructions will be announced at the Competitors' Meeting, posted on the Official Notice Board on the dock and/or broadcast via VHF ch 19.
- 3.5 Regatta Organizers and RC will monitor VHF ch 19.

4 ENTRY FEE, SAILOR REGISTRATION FORM & CHECK-IN

- 4.1 There is no entry fee.
- 4.2 The Designated Adult Team Leader must appear in person at Check-In to sign in and submit a signed Sailor Registration Form for each sailor.

5 DAMAGE

- 5.1 All damage must be reported immediately to the Regatta Organizer. Competitors will be responsible to pay for damages caused by their actions, or as determined by a Protest Committee.

6 BOATS & ROTATION

- 6.1 420s provided by WFC will be sailed as provided with no changes allowed to standing rigging.
- 6.2 Crew and boat rotations will be made at the WFC Junior Dock.
- 6.3 A Fleet will race first, then B, with rotations every two races, or as determined by the Race Committee. RC will announce via VHF 19 what the set rotation will be.

7 SCHEDULE

<i>Saturday, April 16</i>	0845-0915	Check-In at WFC
	0915	Competitors Meeting
	0930	Rigging & Launching
	1030	First Warning Signal
		Racing continues as long as weather permits, at the discretion of the RC

Sunday, April 17 0845 Competitors Meeting
 0900 Rigging & Launching
 1000 First Warning Signal
 1500 No race started after this time, with the exception of tie breakers, if needed
 Awards following racing

8 RACING AREA & SPECTATOR LOCATIONS

- 8.1 Races will be sailed in West Harbor of Oyster Bay, just north of the main pier and rotation dock.
- 8.2 Spectators may watch from the bulkhead or pier.
- 8.3 Indoor facilities are available at the WFC. Additional public restrooms are available in the town park.

9 COURSES

- 9.1 Courses to be sailed shall be windward/leeward or as described at the Competitors' Meeting.

10 SCORING, RECORD of PARTICIPATION (RP) & PRIZES

- 10.1 The regatta will be scored in accordance with ISSA Procedural Rules.
- 10.2 Live scoring can be viewed on [TechScore](#).
- 10.3 Team representatives are responsible for completing their RP information on [TechScore](#)
- 10.4 Prizes will be awarded to the top three finishing teams.

11 SAFETY

- 11.1 Competitors and anyone going afloat on the racecourse are required to wear a properly fastened USCG approved Type III lifejacket.
- 11.2 Appropriate exposure gear for the prevailing conditions shall be worn by competitors.
- 11.3 All teams must be accompanied by a designated adult team leader, as defined by NOR 2.3.
- 11.4 The RC and Regatta Organizers reserve the right to send anyone to shore with concern for their safety.

12 COACHING

- 12.1 All coaching shall occur on-shore in between races. Team leaders, chaperones, coaches, parents, advisors, spectators, or other support personnel shall not go afloat in the sailing area unless permitted by the Regatta Organizer.

13 FOOD & LODGING

- 13.1 There are a number of hotels within 20 min of WFC, right off the LIE: Holiday Inn, Plainview; Four Points by Sheraton, Plainview; Residence Inn, Plainview; Comfort Inn, Syosset; Days Inn, Woodbury.
- 13.2 Additional information for visiting teams may be provided.

14 OFFICIAL NOTICE

- 14.1 Competitors' attention is drawn to ISSA Procedural Rule 5.1, which prohibits the use of all alcoholic beverages and controlled substances for the duration of the regatta, and sets forth severe penalties for such use.
- 14.2 Competitors, parents and coaches shall comply with any reasonable request from any regatta official including attendance at official functions. Breaches of this SI may be referred to the PC. Any penalty imposed will be at the discretion of the PC. Penalties imposed for breaches by coaches or parents will be imposed against the team with whom the coach or parent is associated.

15 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

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, prior to, during or after the regatta.

16 REGATTA CONTACT

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SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1 RULES

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- 1.2 Racing Rules listed below will be changed as indicated.
 - a. Rule 63.7 will be replaced with: "If there is any conflict between the Sailing Instructions and the Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions shall apply."

2 NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

- 2.1 Notices to competitors, including changes to the Sailing Instructions, will be announced at Competitors' Meeting and/or broadcast on VHF ch 19.
- 2.2 Regatta Organizers and RC will monitor VHF ch 19.

3 CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

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4 SCHEDULE OF RACES

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5 RACING AREA & SPECTATOR LOCATIONS

- 5.1 Races will be sailed in West Harbor of Oyster Bay.
- 5.2 Spectators may watch from the bulkhead or pier.
- 5.3 Indoor facilities are available at the WFC. Additional public restrooms are available in the town park.

6 COURSES

- 6.1 The course will be windward/leeward with the leeward gate. A windward offset mark may be used.
- 6.2 A leeward gate will be used. Boats shall sail between the gate marks from the direction of the windward mark and round either gate mark. If only one gate mark is in position, round that mark to port.
- 6.3 Any changes to the course or additional courses to be sailed will be announced at the Competitors' Meeting, posted on the Notice Board, announced by the RC signal boat and/or broadcast via VHF ch 19.

7 MARKS

- 7.1 Rounding marks will be orange inflatable marks.
- 7.2 The Start/Finish line will be between a yellow flag on the RC signal boat at the starboard end and a yellow inflatable mark on the port end.

7.3 Boats may pass through the Start/Finish line while on downwind legs.

8 THE START

8.1 Races will be started using Appendix S, "Sound-Signal-Starting-System". This changes rule 26.

8.2 A series of short sounds will be used to call attention just before each warning signal.

9 RECALLS

9.1 An individual recall will be signaled with the X flag and 1 sound signal following the starting signal.

9.2 Individual recalls will be signaled by a sound signal and the X Flag.

9.3 General recalls will be signaled by two sound signals and the First Substitute. After a general recall, the Round the Ends provision of RRS 30.1 shall apply except Flag I will not be displayed in accordance with ISSA PR 7.8(b).

9.4 When an individual recall is signaled, the RC will attempt to hail the sail numbers of boats that are OCS. The failure to hear a hail, the order in which sail numbers are hailed and the timeliness of a hail shall not be grounds for redress. This changes RRS 62.

10 PROTESTS and REQUESTS FOR REDRESS

10.1 Immediately after finishing a race, without consultation with coaches or spectators, a boat shall notify the RC boat at the finish of her intention to protest and provide the sail number of the protested boat.

10.2 A boat intending to protest shall file a protest within 10 minutes of returning to the rotation dock after completing the race in which the incident occurred. The protestor shall be responsible for notifying the protestee that he has filed a protest immediately after doing so. Filing procedures will be defined at the Competitors' Meeting.

10.3 Protests will be heard by committee as soon as practicable during rotation.

11 BOATS, RACES, ROTATION and SCORING

11.1 420s provided by WFC will be sailed with no changes allowed to standing rigging. Any and all equipment concerns, damage or breakdowns must be reportedly to the regatta organizer. Sailors will be responsible for any and all damage caused by their actions.

11.2 A fleet will race first, then B, with rotations every two races, or as determined by the RC and announced over VHF ch 19. Boats will sail to the dock immediately following racing to rotate.

11.3 A maximum of 18 races will be sailed in each division. A minimum of 3 races in each division shall constitute a series.

11.4 The regatta will be scored in accordance with ISSA Procedural Rules for fleet racing.

12 SAFETY

12.1 Competitors and anyone going afloat on the racecourse are required to wear a properly fastened USCG approved Type III lifejacket.

12.2 All teams must be accompanied by a designated adult team leader, as defined by the NOR.

12.3 The RC and Regatta Organizers reserve the right to send any competitor to shore with concern for their safety.

13 COACHING

Coaching is permitted between races at the rotation dock.

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15 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

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SAILOR REGISTRATION

SAILOR NAME: _____

SCHOOL/TEAM: _____

DESIGNATED ADULT TEAM LEADER: _____

LIABILITY WAIVER:

Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race.

The race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or the injury to any competitor, including death, sustained as a result of participation in this event. By participating in this event, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

The undersigned sailor acknowledges that participation in activities at The WaterFront Center are subject to certain inherent risks, and accepts all risks on land or water while participating in these activities. Therefore, the undersigned consents to participation in these activities and waives any right to bring action or claim regarding any incident, injury or loss occurring during participation in these activities. In addition, the undersigned agrees to reimburse The WaterFront Center for loss or damage to property resulting from his/her gross negligence, or misconduct. Sailor also agrees to allow The WaterFront Center to use any images of them participating in these activities for promotion which may include, but not be limited to, brochures, press releases, website and fundraising activities. Further, if the sailor has not attained the age of eighteen (18) years of age, a parent or legal guardian must sign this waiver in addition to the student, and complete the medical information form. Additionally, the parent or legal guardian shall assume responsibility for incidents arising from the gross negligence or misconduct of the sailor, and waives on behalf of the sailor, the right to bring an action or claim as stated herein.

Sailor Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____



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WELCOME TO WFC and OYSTER BAY

WFC is pleased to host the 2016 MASSA District Mallory Championship. We look forward to your arrival!

LOCATION, DIRECTIONS & CONTACT

WFC is located at 1 West End Ave, Oyster Bay, NY 11771.

- Take the Northern State/ Grand Central Parkway to Exit 35N, Route 106/107 North, or take the Long Island Expressway (I-495) to Exit 41N, Route 106/107 North.
- Follow Route 106 North for 6.5 miles, crossing over Route 25A, and proceed into downtown Oyster Bay.
- Turn left onto Audrey Avenue (Carvel is on the far corner).
- Proceed on Audrey Avenue through one traffic light and one stop sign. At second stop sign turn right over the train tracks into Theodore Roosevelt Park.
- Immediately turn left onto West End Avenue (before park entrance booth).
- WFC is located in the red brick building at the end of the road on the left side.

Any questions, contact: Alicia Martorella - nyisa.sesailing@gmail.com - 516 922 7245 x31 - 516 660 2942

PARKING

There is ample parking in front of WFC and in the Beekman Beach parking lot.

WHERE TO KEEP YOUR GEAR

All gear shall be kept either in the WFC building, on the dock or in personal/team vehicles. The WFC building will remain open for the duration of the regatta but is not staffed. Participants store their gear at their own risk.

COACHES, FAMILIES & FRIENDS

Families and friends are welcome to watch the action from the town pier and bulkhead. Any spectator boats wishing to go afloat shall check-in with the RC prior to April 16 for approval.

WHAT TO DO AROUND TOWN

WFC is located in the Western Waterfront area of Teddy Roosevelt Park. Those of you spending the day on-shore are welcome to explore! Within the park just a short walk to the east there is a beach, walking paths, playground and playing fields. There are shops and restaurants right in town (10 min walk or 2 min drive). Located within 10 min drive of WFC are some great places for an afternoon visit: Sagamore Hill National Historic site, and Planting Fields and Bailey's Arboretums. Located around the bay (also 10 minutes) is Bayville, with beaches located on Long Island Sound as well as Bayville Adventure Park. Remember, a designated adult must remain within the surrounding areas of WFC while their sailor is on the water.

WHERE TO EAT

There are plenty of great options in Oyster Bay and surrounding areas. Right in town you'll find: Taby's (diner style, great for breakfast or lunch – the BEST burgers), Sweet Tomato (breakfast and lunch), Bonanza Stand (hot dogs and Italian ices), Canterbury Ales (lunch & dinner), Jack Halyards (lunch & dinner, often live music), The Homestead (lunch and dinner), Nino's, Mario's, or Pietro's (pizza), Gooseberry Grove (homemade icecream), and many others. There is also a McDonald's and Stop & Shop a 10 minute drive up the road.

We hope you have a great regatta and enjoy your stay in Oyster Bay! Please contact us with any questions.

Fair winds, The WaterFront Center Team

