



2022 SPRING MASSA SILVER FLEET CHAMPIONSHIP

Youth Sailing Virginia

381 Fenwick Rd, Fort Monroe, VA 23651

May 14-15, 2022

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1. RULES:

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*, the [ISSA Procedural Rules](#), and [the Scholastic Dinghy Class Rules](#), the MASSA Supplemental Rules, the MASSA Code of Conduct, the NOR (revised 5/9/2022), and these Sailing Instructions. In the event of a conflict between the governing documents and the Sailing Instructions, the latter shall take precedence.

1.2 . The Organizing Authority (OA) is the MidAtlantic Scholastic Sailing Association in conjunction with the host, the Virginia Interscholastic Sailing Association and Youth Sailing Virginia.

2. NOTICE TO COMPETITORS:

2.1. Official notices will be posted on the official notice board located on Tech Score.

2.2. Changes to the sailing instructions shall be approved by the Regatta Chair, PRO and the MASSA Representative and posted no later than one half hour prior to the first warning signal on the day it will take effect.

3. **CODE OF CONDUCT:** Competitors and support persons shall comply with reasonable request from race officials

4. SCHEDULE:

4.1. Report times each day are listed in the NOR.

4.2. The number of races each day will be at the discretion of the regatta chair.

4.3. Rotation schedules and boat assignments will be posted on Tech Score after the skipper's meeting.

5. COURSES AND MARKS:

5.1. Courses will be in accordance with ISSA PR 7.8

5.2. The race committee may designate course selection orally.

5.3. The pin will be an white ball. All other marks will be orange balls.

6. START/FINISH AND SIGNALS:

6.1. Races will start in accordance with ISSA PR 7.9.

6.2. The start/finish line will be between a flag on the race committee boat and a mark.

7. BREAKDOWNS:

7.1. Breakdown requests shall be filed in the same manner as protests.

7.2. Breakdowns shall be scored in accordance with ISSA PR 9(e). Compensation shall be consistent with ISSA PR Appendix 3.

8. PROTESTS: Protests procedure will be in accordance with ISSA PR Part VI

9. **SCORING:** Scoring will be in accordance with ISSA PR 9.

10. **SAFETY:** A boat that retires from a race shall notify the race committee either before leaving the course, or if that is impossible, immediately after arriving ashore.