

**2004 STAR CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
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**CANADIAN SAILING TEAM NATIONAL QUALIFYING REGATTA**  
**October 15-17, 2004**  
**THE ROYALCANADIAN YACHT CLUB & The TORONTO SAILING &**  
**CANOE CLUB**  
**TORONTO, ONTARIO**

**AMENDED NOTICE OF RACE (2)**

**1. Rules**

The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* for 2001-2004 (RRS), *The Star Class Rules* (STCR), this Notice of Race (except if any of these altered by the Sailing instructions), and by the Sailing Instructions. The Organizing Authority is The Royal Canadian Yacht Club in conjunction with the Lake Ontario Canadian Star Fleet.

**2. Alterations to the Racing Rules**

- 2.1 RRS 32 will be changed to provide that courses will not be shortened.
- 2.2 RRS 35 will be changed to provide that boats not finishing within 60 minutes after the first boat to finish will be scored "Did Not Finish".
- 2.3 RRS 62.2 and 66 will be changed to shorten the time for requesting redress and the requesting that a hearing be re-opened on the last day of racing.
- 2.4 RRS 63.3 will be changed to provide that only the skipper or crew may represent a boat at protest hearings.
- 2.5 RRS A4.2 will be changed to provide that a boat failing to check in prior to the warning signal will be scored the same as a boat not starting in that race.

**3. Advertising**

Advertising is permitted only in accordance with STCR 40. The event is designated Category C, RRS Appendix 1, Regulation 20.3.

**4. Eligibility and Entry**

- 4.1 Entries shall be submitted on the Entry Form not later than October 15, 2004, 10:00 am at the Toronto Sailing & Canoe Club, Toronto, Ontario, M5R 2L8 along with the entry fee.
- 4.2 The registration desk will be open from 9:00 am until 11:00 am at the RCYC city side and at TS & CC on Friday October 15.
- 4.3 Only skippers and crew eligible to compete under the ISAF Eligibility Code, RRS Appendix 2, Regulation 19, shall be eligible to compete in this regatta.

**5. Entry Fee**

The entry fee of \$60 includes boat and trailer parking, launching, hauling and invitations to social events for skipper and crew. Checks must be drawn on a Canadian bank and made payable to the Toronto Sailing & Canoe Club.

## 6. Schedule of Races

Friday, October 15	1200	1 <sup>st</sup> warning signal (3 races planned)
Saturday, October 16	1200	1 <sup>st</sup> warning signal(3 races planned)
Sunday, October 17/18	1200	1 <sup>st</sup> warning signal (1 race planned)

No warning signal will be made after 1430 on the last day of sailing.

## 7. Disclaimer

The Organizing Authority shall require each competitor to sign a waiver for loss, damage or injury to persons or property occurring in conjunction with the regatta or on the property of the RCYC. The Organizing Authority, their members, employees, officers and/of agents shall not be responsible for any loss, damage or injury that may occur to person or property whether ashore or at sea as a consequence of the participation of any boat.

## 8. Measurement

8.2 Crews shall demonstrate compliance with crew weight limits in accordance with STCR 31.1.3 between 8:00 am and 11:00 am on Friday October 15<sup>th</sup>. Weigh in will occur at TS &CC.

## 9. Sail Numbers

9.1 Each boat shall show the sail number and national letters as indicated on the entry form.

## 10. Sailing Instructions

The Sailing Instructions will be available at registration.

## 11. Racing Area

Racing will be conducted in the waters of Lake Ontario, South of the Toronto Islands, by the Gibraltar bell buoy.

Tows will be available at 9:30 am from the RCYC cityside to TS &CC on Friday October 15<sup>th</sup>.

## 12. Courses and Procedures

Courses and procedures will be according to STCR 34, except STCR 34 is modified such that the target time for each race will be 80 minutes.

## 13. Scoring

The Low Point Scoring System, RRS A, will apply, modified so that each series score will be the total of her races scores with her worse score excluded if more than four (4) races are completed. Seven races are scheduled, of which three (3) races shall be required to constitute a series.

**14. Berthing and Hauling**

14.1.1 Boats shall launch at the RCYC city station commencing and proceed to moor their boats at the Toronto Sailing and Canoe Club.

14.2 Boats may moor their boats at other Clubs with the permission of the Jury

14.2 The Organising Authority will impose haul-out restrictions.

**15. Prizes**

15.1 Series prizes will be awarded to the skipper and crew finishing first through third.

15.2 The results of this regatta will be used as part of the calculation to determine the Canadian sailing Team. See [www.sailing.ca](http://www.sailing.ca) for more details.

**17. Information**

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