



The 2006 Four Sisters Regatta

Port Credit Yacht Club,

115 Lakefront Promenade,

Mississauga, Ontario

July 22nd – 23rd, 2006

Byte Canadians July 21- 23, 2006

(See Separate Notice of Race for Byte Canadians)

NOTICE OF RACE

Subject to Amendment

1 RULES

- 1.1** The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2** The following prescriptions of the Canadian Yachting Association will apply and will be stated in full in the sailing instructions: CYA Prescription to rules 61.2, 68 and 69.1 (c) and (d), 70.2 and F2.1
- 1.3** The class rules of the participating classes will apply. Boats in the 420 class may use any recognized 420 hull form and the standard club training rig (with non-tapered mast) and shall have a minimum weight of 100 kg fully rigged for sailing and in dry condition, but without sails and personal equipment.
- 1.4** The preamble to Part 4 and rule 40.1 is changed to require adequate personal buoyancy to be worn at all times while afloat except while changing clothes. Racing rule A4 and 35 will be changed to allow boats to be scored DNS and DNF in certain circumstances. Rule 60.1(a) will be changed to restrict boats protesting boats in certain circumstances. Rule 66 will change the time limit for delivering a request to reopen a hearing. Appendix P will apply and be changed to delete rule P2.3. Other rules may be changed by the sailing instructions. The changes will appear in full in the sailing instructions
- 1.5** Rule G1.1 (b) will not apply.
- 1.6** If there is a conflict between languages in any subsequent translation, the English text will take precedence.

2 ADVERTISING

Advertising will be permitted under Category C in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Laser, Laser Radial, Laser 2, Laser 2 ws, Club 420, Club 420 ws, Byte, CII, 29'er, and Optimist classes
- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and sending it, together with the required fee, to Port Credit Yacht Club by July 12, 2006. Entries received by July 12, 2006 will receive an early bird discount of \$15.
- 3.3 Late entries will be accepted under the condition that the attached form is completed and the full entry fee is paid.

4 CLASSIFICATION

The ISAF Sailor Classification Code will apply.

5 FEES

- 5.1 Required fees (includes lunch on both days and BBQ on Saturday evening) are as follows:

<i>Class</i>	<i>Fee</i>
All Classes	\$75 per person (includes lunches and BBQ) *
Coaches	\$30.00 (includes 2 lunches and BBQ)
Spectators	Lunch & BBQ tickets are available at Tuck Shop

There will be a Breakfast offered each day in the Clubhouse and a Tuck Shop will be operated with goods offered at reasonable cost.

* See separate Byte Canadians Notice of Race if racing in Canadians only for fees

- 5.2 **Early registration (racers only) discount of \$15 for entries received by July 12, 2006**

6 SCHEDULE

6.1 Registration:

Friday, 21 July 2006	From: 4:30 PM	To: 9:30 PM
Saturday, 22 July 2006	From: 7:30 AM	To: 9:30 AM

6.2 Dates of racing:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Class</i>
July 21, 2006*	*only Byte and Byte CII (See Notice of Race for Byte Canadians)
July 22, 2006	all classes
July 23, 2006	all classes

6.3 Number of races:

<i>Class</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Races per day</i>
All Classes	7	4 (maximum)

One race must be completed to constitute a series

- 6.4 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race on Saturday is 11:00 AM and on Sunday, 10:00 AM. No race will be started after 3:00PM on Sunday.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available after 4:30 PM on July 21, 2006 at the Registration Desk.

8 VENUE

- 8.1 A map showing directions to the Port Credit Yacht Club can be found on the WEB at <http://www.peyc.net/> and select New Members and Visitors
- 8.2 Racing will be in the waters of Lake Ontario adjacent to Port Credit Yacht Club.

9 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be as follows: windward/leeward or trapezoid.

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

10.1 For the 29'er class rules 44.1 and 44.2 are changed so that only one turn, including one tack and one gybe, is required.

11 SCORING

11.1 The Low Point scoring system as described in Appendix A4.1 will be used.

11.2 One (1) race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.3 (a) When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores

(b) When 5 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

12 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall be identified.

13 BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the boat park.

14 RADIO COMMUNICATION

A boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones. Coaches are reminded that in the case of emergency they will be utilized as safety boats and be under the direction of the Race Officer.

15 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows: There will be prizes awarded to the first three finishers in each class.

16 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 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.

17 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance or the equivalent.

18 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact Port Credit Yacht Club at:

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