



It's Not Easy Being Green Regatta and Clinic

August 9th (Opti Clinic) and 10th Opti Regatta, 2007

**Port Credit Yacht Club,
115 Lakefront Promenade,
Mississauga, Ontario**

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 OPTI Class rules will apply.
- 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. Racing rule A4 and 35 will be changed to allow boats to be scored DNS and DNF in certain circumstances. No Protests will be entertained. On water arbitration and penalties will be assigned. 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 and clinic are open to OPTI –Green Level and Vanguard Prams with OPTI type rig sailed by Green Level sailors. (Opti Clinic will be directed by Ashley Lethbridge.)
- 3.2 Sailors can register for the regatta only August 10th 2007.
- 3.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and sending it, together with the required fee, to Port Credit Yacht Club by August 1, 2007. Entries received by August 1, 2007 will receive an early bird discount of \$5.
- 3.4 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 are as follows:

Racers: Clinic Thursday and Regatta Friday \$60.00 (includes T-shirt, lunch both days and dinner Thursday)

Coaches: \$30.00 (includes lunch both days and dinner Thursday)

(Coaches are invited to take part in the clinic)

Regatta Friday only

Racers: \$35.00 (includes T-shirt and lunch)

Coaches: \$15.00 (includes lunch)

6 SCHEDULE

6.1 Registration

Wednesday, August 8th, 2007 From: 7:00 PM To: 8:30 PM

Thursday, August 9th, 2007 From: 8:00 AM To: 9:30 AM

Opti Clinic begins at 10:00 am

Friday, August 10th, 2007 From: 8:00 AM To 9:30 AM

6.2 Date of racing:

Date Friday August 10th, 2007 (1day)

6.3 Number of races:

Class *Number*

OPTI Green We will run as many short races as possible

Vanguard Pram One race must be completed to constitute a series.

6.4 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 10:30 AM

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available after 5:00PM on August 9th, 2007 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.pcy.net/> then select New Members and Visitors

8.2 Racing will be in the waters of Lake Ontario adjacent to Port Credit Yacht Club.

9 THE COURSE

The course to be sailed will be as follows: triangle, windward/leeward or trapezoid.

10 SCORING

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

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

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

11 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall be identified.

12 BERTHING

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

13 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.

14 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows: There will be prize flags awarded to the first three finishers in each of OPTI and Vanguard Pram for both boys and girls

15 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.

16 INSURANCE

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

17 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact Port Credit Yacht Club at:

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