

# CRASH Regatta



**Fun and challenging SNSYC Fall Regatta**  
*Sidney North Saanich Yacht Club, Sidney*  
*September 16 - 18, 2022*



## Notice of Race

### 1. Rules

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2. The Prescriptions of Sail Canada.
- 1.3. PHRF-BC Handicap rules.
- 1.4. The CRASH Regatta is a designated Vancouver Island Racing Series (VIRS) event, results will count toward 2022 VIRS results.

### 2. Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1. The regatta is open to all keelboats and multihulls that have a valid PHRF certificate (not required for Cruising Boat division – see below) or are participating in a one design division according to Section 2.2. Current PHRF-NW ratings will be converted to PHRF-BC ratings.
- 2.2. Every effort will be made to accommodate one design fleets such as Melges 24, Martin 242's, Cal 20's and Hotfoot's.
- 2.3. Cruising boats are invited to participate. These are boats that have minimal race experience or short handed. Separate, safe starts and courses will be provided for the cruising division. PHRF Certificates are not required for cruising division, the SNSYC Club Handicapper will provide ratings if needed.
- 2.4. If enough interest in single handed racing, a separate division will be established.
- 2.5. PHRF divisions are encouraged to comply with SER "Nearshore" category and must meet Canadian Pleasure Craft safety guidelines. Those boats racing one design shall comply with class rules.
- 2.6. Racers need to confirm they carry minimum of valid third party liability coverage of \$1 million. Registration opens August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022. Eligible boats may enter by going to [snsyc.ca](https://snsyc.ca), clicking on the CRASH Regatta Registration links in the Upcoming Events section to register for racing and meals. Complete the registration form there and submit it online by 12 Noon on Friday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022. After 12 Noon on Friday September 16<sup>th</sup>, last minute registrations may still be made at the registration desk at Sidney North Saanich Yacht Club until 1900 hrs. Friday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

### 3. Entry Fees

Entry fees will be CAD\$99 plus GST per boat for registration and payment received by midnight Wednesday, August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022. Fees then increase to CAD\$115 plus GST after August 31<sup>st</sup> until midnight, September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022. After September 15<sup>th</sup> for last minute entries, the fees increase to CAD\$135 plus GST until registration closes 1900 hrs. Friday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

Each entry fee includes: two days racing, one Sat night dinner ticket, free moorage for visiting raceboats at North Saanich marina beside the SNSYC clubhouse, post-racing activities, trophies and prizes. Payment of entry fees is required by credit card payment on-line through the regatta website.

#### **4. Schedule**

4.1. Registration closes at 1900 hours on Friday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Regatta Schedule follows:

- a) Friday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – Regatta Desk open, bar opens
  - 1500 to 1900: Visitor boats arrive, Racers Sign in, Last minute Ticket Sales
  - 1800 Burgers and salad/chips dinner, beverages, socializing
- b) Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022
  - 0800 to 0900: Coffee, fruit, yogurt, pastries/muffins
  - 0900: Skippers Meeting
  - 0930: Depart for Race Course
  - 1030: Warning Signal for First Race
  - On return to dock, slide show begins
  - 1800: Dinner, music, Saturday prizes, Beverages, socializing at SNSYC clubhouse
- c) Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022
  - 0800 to 0900: Coffee, fruit, yogurt, pastries/muffins
  - 0930: Depart for Race Course
  - 1030: Warning Signal for First Race of Day
  - Approximately 1600: Regatta awards in the SNSYC clubhouse

4.2. No warning signals will be made after 1430 hours on Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

5. Food and meal tickets available in advance at [snsyc.ca](http://snsyc.ca) website

- Fri night Burger and salad ticket - \$16 plus GST
- Breakfast ticket Sat am - \$5 plus GST
- Breakfast Sun am ticket - \$5 plus GST
- Saturday Regatta Feast ticket (includes dessert) - \$29 plus GST

#### **6. Sailing Instructions**

The Sailing Instructions will be posted on website by Friday, September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022. The Race Committee will endeavor to have extra copies available at the registration desk.

#### **7. Regatta Venue and Racing Area**

- 7.1. The regatta and related events will all be based out of SNSYC clubhouse. Moorage is included at North Saanich Marina beside SNSYC clubhouse for non local visiting raceboats.
- 7.2. Racing will take place in areas bounded by Haro Strait, Moresby Passage, Coal Island, Sidney town, and Darcy Island.
- 7.3. The official regatta Notice Board will be inside the SNSYC clubhouse, as will all meals, registration, beverages, social activities and entertainment.

#### **8. Courses**

Courses to be sailed will be inshore according to the Sailing Instructions. Every attempt will be made to complete as many races as time and conditions permit.

#### **9. Further Information**

For further information:

Website: [snsyc.ca](http://snsyc.ca)

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