

KSC Open 2015

Notice of Race

Saturday September 5, Sunday September 6 (Labour Day Weekend)

Kanata Sailing Club, Kanata, Ontario, Canada

The Kanata Sailing Club (KSC) is pleased to announce its Open Regatta, on Labour Day weekend, September 5th and September 6th, 2015.

- The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016 (RRS), the prescriptions of Sail Canada, and the rules of the classes, except when any of these are altered by the KSC Open 2015 Sailing Instructions.
- 2. The regatta is open to both KSC members and members from other clubs.
- 3. The regatta will have 2 classes (Albacore and Laser).
- 4. Registration will be at the KSC Club House on Friday evening September 4th, 2015, from 18:00 to 20:00, and on Saturday morning September 5th from 09:30 to 10:00.
- 5. Registration fee will be \$25 per person and will include breakfast snacks on both days. Lunch and beverages will not be served so people should bring their own.
- 6. For KSC members intending to use KSC fleet boats, a draw will be held at 20:00 on Friday the 4th at the Club to assign fleet boats to members wishing to use them for the race. If fleet boats are still available on Saturday, they will be assigned on a first come first serve basis during the registration.
- 7. A competitors meeting will be held at 10:00 at the KSC Club House.

- 8. Racing will take place on Saturday September 5th, and on Sunday September $6^{\rm th}$
- Courses will be start+triangle+sausage+finish, or shorter if conditions warrant it. It is the competitors' responsibility to confirm course at the competitors' meeting
- 10. Multiple races will be held depending on the wind conditions on both days.
- 11. A simple high point scoring system will be used separately for both classes.
- 12. One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 13. First, Second and third place prizes will be awarded based on all races for each class. In addition, a prize will be awarded for the best placement of a parent/child team in a double-handed boat
- 14. All sailors are welcome to remain at the club after the races for an ad hoc potluck dinner.
- 15. As always, we strongly encourage all racers to familiarize themselves with the Sailing Instructions before the first warning signal of the regatta.
- 16. Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS rule 4, "Decision to Race". The Kanata Sailing Club 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.

Please check the KSC main website on the evening of Friday September 4th for Sailing Instructions and for any last minute changes such as deferral for weather. KSC members, please note that a number of volunteers will be needed for this event, for Race Committee, mark-set/patrol boat duty, registration, and general help. If you are willing to volunteer, please indicate so by email to the address below.

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