



NOTICE OF RACE

Bean Crock Cup 2025

Organized by the Royal Newfoundland Yacht Club

Saturday, October 4, 2025

1. RULES

1.1 The event will be governed by **The Racing Rules of Sailing 2025–2028 (RRS)**.

1.2 In the event of a conflict between this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the **Sailing Instructions shall prevail**.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1 The race is open to all yachts with a **PHRF rating of 300 or lower**.

2.2 All boats will race in a **single division**. Corrected times will be based on PHRF ratings with these adjustments:

- **+12 seconds** for fractional rigs sailing white sail (no spinnaker)
- **+18 seconds** for masthead rigs sailing white sail (no spinnaker)

2.3 Eligible boats may enter by:

- **Emailing** manager@rnycnf.ca with boat name, skipper, number of crew, and rating before October 4, OR

- **Registering in person** between **10:00 and 10:30 am** on Saturday, October 4, 2025 at the RNYC clubhouse.

2.4 The **entry fee is \$25 CAD per vessel**, payable upon registration at the Skippers' Meeting.

3. SCHEDULE

- **Date of Race:** Saturday, October 4, 2025
 - **Registration & Check-in:** 10:00 – 10:30 am at RNYC Clubhouse
 - **Skippers' Meeting:** 10:30 am at RNYC Clubhouse
 - **Warning Signal:** 11:25 am
 - **Start Time:** 11:30 am for all boats
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4. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 The Sailing Instructions (SIs) will be available by **September 25, 2025** at the RNYC Office or by request to manager@rnycnf.ca or kfh570@mun.ca.

4.2 Any amendments to the SIs will be posted on the official notice board at RNYC no later than **10:30 am on race day**.

5. VENUE

5.1 The race will be sailed in **Conception Bay South, Newfoundland & Labrador**.

5.2 The starting line will be **between a rubber inflatable boat (RIB)** and another mark specified at the Skippers' Meeting.

6. THE COURSE

6.1 The race will consist of a **figure-8 route**, starting and finishing at RNYC.

6.2 A full course diagram, marks, and rounding directions will be detailed in the Sailing Instructions and confirmed at the Skippers' Meeting.

6.3 In the event of adverse conditions, a **shortened course** may be announced at the Skippers' Meeting.

7. BERTHING

7.1 Visiting boats will be assigned slips by the RNYC Manager, subject to availability.

7.2 **Complimentary berthing** will be available for the nights of **September 26 (Friday)** and **October 4 (Saturday)**; for registered competitors.

8. SCORING

8.1 Scoring will use the **Low Point System (RRS Appendix A)**.

8.2 Corrected times will be calculated using **PHRF Time-on-Time** scoring.

9. PRIZES

9.1 Prizes will be awarded to the **top three finishers overall**.

9.2 Additional awards (e.g., **First White Sail**, **First to Finish**, **Spirit of the Race**) may be presented at the discretion of the organizing committee.

10. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

10.1 Competitors participate entirely at their own risk. (See **RRS 3, Decision to Race**.)

10.2 The Organizing Authority will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury, or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the race.

11. INSURANCE

11.1 Each participating boat shall carry valid **third-party liability insurance** with coverage of **not less than \$2,000,000 CAD per incident** or the equivalent.

12. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact:

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