



NOTICE OF RACE

Wednesday Night Series 2025

Organized by Royal Newfoundland Yacht Club
June 18 - September 17, 2025

1. RULES

1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*. [2025->2028](#) available online.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1 The race is open to all yachts that meet the eligibility criteria including:

- Boats will sail in one of 3 divisions, for series scoring, boats will be rated for one division only (Div 1 with ratings of 99 and below, Div 2 with ratings 100 + and White Sail for boats not flying spinnaker)
- Boats will be rated based on their rating certificate + use of a spinnaker (+12 for fractional boats sailing in white sail, +18 for masthead boats sailing in white sail).

2.2 Eligible boats may enter by emailing manager@rnyc.nf.ca with their boat name, skipper, number of crew and rating or by registering in person between 5:45pm and 6pm on any Wednesday night starting with June 18th, 2025 in the RNYC clubhouse.

2.3 The entry fee is \$0CAD and includes:

- \$0 CAD per vessel -

3. SCHEDULE

3.1 **Date of Race:** June 7, 2025

3.2 **Registration and Check-in:** 5:45-6:00pm each Wednesday in the RNYC clubhouse from June 18 - Sept 17, 2025 or in advance by email to manager@rnyc.nf.ca

3.3 **Skippers' Meeting:** 5:45pm at RNYC Clubhouse

3.4 **Start Time:** The first warning signal will be at 6:40pm for a 6:45 pm start.

3.5 **Course Details:** The course will be finalized at the skipper meeting, depending on wind strengt

4. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available no later than June 18, 2025, at the RNYC Office or by request to manager@rnyc.nf.ca or kfh570@mun.ca

4.2 Any amendments to the Sailing Instructions will be posted on the official notice board at the RNYC.

5. VENUE

5.1 The races will take place in Conception Bay South, Newfoundland & Labrador.

6. THE COURSE

6.1 The course will be confirmed at skippers each Wednesday at 5:45pm from June 18 - Sept 17, 2025

6.2 A full course diagram and instructions will be provided in the Sailing Instructions.

7. Berthing

7.1 Boats shall be kept in their assigned places while in the boat park or Marina. Visiting boats will be permitted to dock at the RNYC in available slips (Assigned by RNYC Manager) for the night before and night of.

8. SCORING

8.1 The Low Point Scoring System will apply as per RRS Appendix A.

8.2 Boats will be scored by division

8.3 Boats will be ranked in ONE division for the duration of the Wednesday Night Series. (I.e. a boat racing with a spinnaker rating for the season, but choosing not to fly spinnaker on select races, will not have a white sail rating for those races & vice versa, they will continue with their spinnaker racing / sailing in their division).

9. PRIZES

9.1 Prizes will be awarded to the top three boats in each division at the end of the season.

9.2 Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organizing committee.

10. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

10.1 Competitors participate in the race entirely at their own risk. See RRS Rule 4, Decision to Race.

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

11. INSURANCE

11.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of \$2 Million per incident or the equivalent.

12. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact Kenny Harris (RNYC Race Chair) at kfh570@mun.ca]

Issued by the Royal Newfoundland Yacht Club Race, Organizers of Wednesday Night Series 2025.

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