



Notice of Race

The CLASSES™ Regatta & BOARDFEST™ 2005

August 26 -28, 2005

Kingston, Ontario

1. INVITATION:

CORK/Sail Kingston (the organizing authority) invites sailors to participate in The **CLASSES Regatta and BOARDFEST 2005** in Kingston, Ontario, home of **CORK Sail Week®**.

The **CLASSES Regatta** will feature boats from the following classes: **Laser, Radial, Finn, 49'er, Tornado, and 470, International 110, Yngling, Star and Martin 16**. Other fleets, with a minimum size of six boats, of Olympic, International or Recognized Classes may be included in **The CLASSES Regatta** providing arrangements are made with the CORK/Sail Kingston office before July 15. This is an ISAF Graded Event.

For the **Star Class**, this event will be the **Star Canadian Championship and National Qualifying Regatta**.

BOARDFEST 2005 is for windsurfers that want to improve their skills and gain competitive experience with the **Neil Pryde RS-X board** and associated equipment. **All windsurfers including Formula, Formula Experience and Raceboards** are welcome: One day of coaching and on the water training followed by 2 days of racing.

Please pre-register to assist in regatta planning. On-line registration can be found on our website: www.cork.org

2. SITE:

The regatta will be hosted from Portsmouth Olympic Harbour (POH), site of the 1976 Olympic Sailing events. Racing will take place on the fresh waters of Kingston Harbour.

3. ELIGIBILITY:

The Regatta is open to all sailors in the following classes: Finn, 470, 49er, I-14, Tornado, International 110, Yngling, Star and Martin 16, all classes of windsurfer, and any other invited class.

Competition in the **Laser** class is for men and competition in the **Radial** class is for women. Competition in these two classes is open to past, and present Olympic sailors, any nations' national team members, Provincial team members, sailors 24 and over as of December 31 2005 and the top ten sailors, not otherwise qualified, from the 2005 Laser Gold Series or the 2005 Radial Gold Series at the 2005 **CORK™ Regatta**.

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Competitors must meet all ownership, class membership, and measurement requirements, must have completed registration and paid all event fees before beginning official competition.

4. RULES:

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*. In the event of conflict, the English version will prevail.

5. ENTRY & FEES:

If the completed entry form and entry fee is received at CORK/Sail Kingston office on or before August 5, 2005 the Early Bird Entry Fees will apply...

- For a single handed boat: \$ CDN 115.00 + 7% GST;**
- For a double handed boat: \$ CDN 150.00 + 7% GST; and,**
- For a triple handed boat: \$ CDN 165.00 + 7% GST.**

After August 5, 2005 the Regular Entry Fees will apply:

- For a single handed boat: \$ CDN 150.00 + 7% GST;
- For a double handed boat: \$ CDN 200.00 + 7% GST; and,
- For a triple handed boat: \$ CDN 225.00 + 7% GST.

Entry fees include racing, a scheduled social event, and a per diem fee to the City of Kingston for use of facilities.

6. SCHEDULE:

For the Star Class a maximum of 7 races is scheduled. For windsurfers, the number of races permitted by the *rules*. Twelve races are scheduled for all other classes.

Date	Time	Event
Thursday Aug. 25	1200 - 1300	Registration and Measurement at POH
	1600 - 1900	
Friday Aug. 26	0800 - 0930	Registration and Measurement at POH
	0930	Competitors' Information Meeting POH
	1100	Warning: Race #1, others to follow asap
Saturday Aug. 27	1000	Warning next Race, others to follow asap
	1800 or asap	Social event
Sunday Aug. 28	1000	Warning next Race, others to follow asap
	1600 or asap	Awards Presentation

The Location of Competitors' Information Meeting will be made available at registration.

7. COURSES:

Course diagrams will be included in the Sailing Instructions. The Race Committee will determine course length in accordance with class guidelines and as sailing conditions permit.

8. SCORING:

- a) The Low Point System of Appendix A will apply.
- b) One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.
- c) When fewer than five races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- d) When from five to nine races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- e) When ten races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

9. INSPECTION & MEASUREMENT:

All participating boats are expected to meet class measurement expectations.

10. MOORING/LAUNCH/HAULOUT:

Boats will be launched at, moor and sail from Portsmouth Olympic Harbour. Mooring is provided there from Thursday, August 25 until Monday, August 29 as part of the registration package. The Star and International 110 fleets will be "dry sailed". The City of Kingston will be managing the crane service for these classes. Booking for launch and haulout services for other fleets with boat weights less than approx. 3,000 lb must be made through the CORK/Sail Kingston office at the time of registration.

11. PRIZES & AWARDS:

Sail/Kingston medals will be awarded based upon the following: 3 division entries = one award, 4 – 5 division entries = two awards, 6 or more division entries = three awards. Depending on the number of entries, other prizes and awards may be presented. Individual classes may present other prizes and awards.

12. COACHES & COACH BOATS:

Coaches must register with the regatta office upon arrival and provide information on any support boat(s) they might use during the regatta. There may be a fee for any service(s) requested. In rescue and towing circumstances, coach boats will be expected to take instruction from the Race Officer.

13. ACCOMMODATION:

Competitors have a range of accommodation from which to choose.

St. Lawrence College Residence: Phone: (613) 544-6600 x 4999 Fax: (613) 544-9590

E-mail: reservations@sl.on.ca

More information at: <http://www.sl.on.ca/Kingston/KingstonResidence.htm>

Queen's University Residence: Phone (613) 533-2223

Fax (613) 533-6624

E-mail: confserv@post.queensu.ca

Main Campus - single \$49.00; double \$32.70 breakfast included, taxes extra

Approximately, 1.5 kilometres from the Portsmouth Olympic Harbour and 1 kilometre to downtown Kingston, these single rooms feature one or two single beds with linens, telephone for local calls, desk and chair; common rooms with television/ VCR and semi private washrooms. Evening parking is free.

West Campus - single \$20.00 taxes extra, no meals included

Just 2 blocks from the Portsmouth Olympic Harbour these single rooms feature one single bed with linens, telephone for local calls, desk and chair; common rooms with television/ VCR and semi private washrooms. Free parking during the day in the gravel lot. Evening parking is free.

CORK/Sail Kingston SPECIAL: Each guest staying at Queen's University Campus will receive 1 bottle of POWERADE in their room daily, throughout their stay! Compliments of Coca-Cola

Camping is available at nearby Lake Ontario Park (613) 542-6574. (Camping is not allowed at any of the CORK/Sail Kingston sites.)

Other Accommodations: There is a complete listing at: www.tourism.kingstononcanada.com

14. Services available on site or nearby:

- Showers;
- Washrooms;
- Food services which include coffee, juice, muffins, doughnuts or full meals (including breakfast) available at the on-site restaurant/snack bar from 0700
- Lots of parking;
- Laundry facilities;
- Drug Store;
- Post Office;
- Convenience stores;
- Hardware store;
- Boat Repair Services;
- Local Tavern...

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