



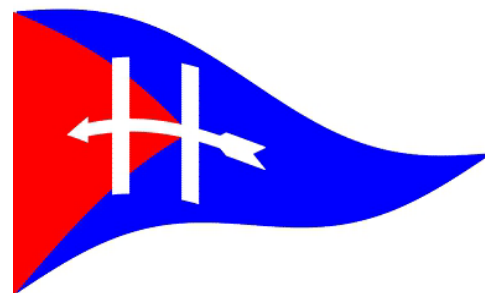
2019 LIGHTNING DIXIE DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP

June 8–9, 2019

Hampton Yacht Club

Hampton, Virginia

(Preliminary – 4/22/19)



NOTICE OF RACE

The Organizing Authority is Hampton Yacht Club.

1. RULES

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and the ILCA Documents governing ILCA District Championships. In case of conflict between this NOR and the Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions shall prevail.

1.2 Propulsion - RRS 42.3(c) will be modified to allow specific pumping to initiate surfing/planing.

2. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

2.1 The regatta is open to all current members in good standing of the International Lightning Class Association.

2.2 Advance Registration is \$125 and includes 3 dinner tickets for Saturday dinner, hot dogs after racing on Sunday. Deadline for Advance registration is June 1, 2019 A late fee of \$20 will be charged after this date. Additional dinner tickets can be purchased for \$15 when registering on Clubspot.

2.3 Free launch, haul, boat and trailer storage are available at HYC.

2.4 Registration can be done online at <https://theclubspot.com/dashboard/acct/cuG2BdzX4P/events/regatta>

3. SCHEDULE

Saturday

0830 Begin Check-In/Registration (HYC lounge)

1000 Competitors Meeting (HYC Flagpole)

1130 Warning Signal (Hampton Flats)

Sunday

1000 Warning Signal (Hampton Flats)

1430 No race will begin after

ASAP Hot dogs and Awards Presentation

Note: Buffett breakfast available each day starting at 0800 in HYC lounge for additional fee.

4. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Printed Sailing Instructions will be available at Check-In but may also be posted on Clubspot and the HYC website approx. two weeks prior to the regatta.

5. VENUE

Races will be held in the vicinity of Hampton Flats, approx. 1 nm SW of the mouth of the Hampton River.

6. COURSES

Courses will be windward-leeward with offset marks and gates.

7. PENALTY SYSTEM

Appendix V1 (Penalty at the Time of An Incident) will be in effect.

8. RADIO

Boats are encouraged to carry a VHF-radio. The RC will attempt to notify premature starters as well as provide other courtesy information via VHF-72.

9. SCORING

9.1 Six races are planned. One race must be completed to constitute a regatta.

9.2 Appendix A2.1 is modified to say:

- a. If fewer than six races are completed, a boat's series score shall be the total of all her race scores.
- b. If six races are completed, a boat's series score shall be the total of all her race scores, excluding the worst of her excludable scores.

10. AWARDS

10.1 Award will be presented to the top 5 placing skippers and crew.

10.2 Awards will be presented to the youngest sailor and the top placing junior sailor.

11. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority 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.

12. CONTACTS

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