



NOTICE OF RACE
WEDNESDAY NIGHT RACE SERIES

Bedford Basin Yacht Club

July 14 - September 29

1. RULES

- 1.1 The racing will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024.
- 1.2 Transport Canada Small Boat Safety Regulations, TP 511, also apply. These instructions are electronically located at <https://bbyc.ca/page-668143>

2. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

- 2.1 Racing is open to boats owned, borrowed or chartered by a member in good standing of BBYC.
- 2.2 Keelboats may race under their current PHRF-NS Yacht Data Sheet for handicap racing. One-Design keelboat classes may be scored as sub-sets of their assigned fleet upon request.
- 2.3 Dinghies may race as One-Design fleets.
- 2.4 The Person-In-Charge (usually the entrant) shall be a member of BBYC in good standing.
- 2.5 Boats eligible for the BBYC Club Championship must have sailed in at least three races in their class in either of the Wednesday Night Race Series, or Labour Day Regatta.
- 2.6 Visiting boats are invited to race on an occasional basis but will be scored RET for the purposes of series scoring unless the Person-In-Charge is a member in good standing of BBYC.
- 2.7 Eligible boats shall register in the Club's Wardroom prior to each race, noting the boat name, main sail number, Person-In-Charge and rating, and other information as may be requested from time to time. In the event of mismatched sail numbers, the mainsail number shall be provided and used for scoring.

3. Classes

- 3.1 Handicap keelboat classes racing on a time-on-time basis, with fleet splits as follows:
 - A fleet: PHRF NS rating of under 180
 - B fleet: PHRF NS rating of 180 and over
 - Dinghies: In their respective One-Design fleets
 - Sub-set fleets if requested



4. Schedule:

There will be two seasonal Wednesday Night series (Series I & Series II) as well as a Club Championship race.

Summer Regatta, ARK, Labour Day and Danginn Regattas are described in separate Notices of Race.

Following each race, informal social gatherings will be held in or about the BBYC club house.

Race Date	Event	First Warning
Wed July 14, 2021	Series I, Race 1	1830
Wed July 21, 2021	Series I, Race 2	1830
Wed July 28, 2021	Series I, Race 3	1830
Wed Aug 4, 2021	Series I, Race 4	1830
Wed Aug 11, 2021	Series I, Race 5	1830
Wed Aug 18, 2021	Series I, Race 6	1830
Wed Aug 25, 2021	Series II, Race 1	1830
Wed Sept 1, 2021	Series II, Race 2	1800
Wed Sept 8, 2021	Series II, Race 3	1800
Wed Sept 15, 2021	Series II, Race 4	1800
Wed Sept 22, 2021	Series II, Race 5	1800
Wed Sept 29, 2021	Series II, Race 6	1800
Sat Oct 9, 2017	BBYC Club Championship: One start, time-on-time handicap	1300

5. Sailing Instructions:

Printable versions of the sailing instructions are available electronically at

<https://bbyc.ca/page-575424>



6. Racing Areas and Courses

- 6.1 Keelboat racing will take place on the Bedford Basin and Bedford Bay.
- 6.2 The courses to be sailed will be as defined on the BBYC Course card or as defined by the on-duty Race Officer using aids to navigation and/or club racing buoys. Printable versions of the Club charts can be found online <https://bbyc.ca/page-575424>

7. Scoring

- 7.1 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series. When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. When 5 or more races are completed, a boat's score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score. When more than 15 races are completed a boat's score will be the sum of her race scores excluding her worst (N-15) scores, where N is the number of races in the series.

8. Results/Prizes

- 8.1 Results of the first three places in each class of A Class and B Class will be announced, as well as any other class that has been requested, for each individual club race.
- 8.2 Keeper prizes will be awarded to the top three finishers in each Class at the end of every series.
- 8.3 For the BBYC Club Championship, the TBD Trophy. Keeper Prizes will be awarded for the first three places in the race.
- 8.4 For the most race (overall or class) wins over the Racing Season, the TBD trophy.
- 8.5 For the best points over the Racing Season, the Nolan Tankard, through a reverse scoring process.
- 8.6 For the best points over the Racing Season by an LTS team.

9. Insurance

All boats shall carry and have available for inspection proof of \$1,000,000 liability insurance. It shall be the Person-In-Charge's sole responsibility to ensure their boat is thus insured.



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10. **VHF Radios**

As a courtesy, the Race Committee may make radio transmissions to competitors. It is recommended that boats carry functioning VHF radios capable of receiving transmissions on Channel 71.

11. **Sponsors**

We are working on getting a few sponsors onboard to support our 2021 race program. More details to follow.