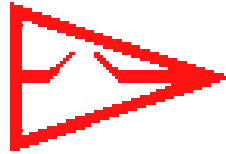


Notice of Race
2005 J105 Chesapeake Bay Championship
October 29,30, 2005



Hosted by Eastport Yacht Club
Annapolis, Maryland

Eligibility and Rules: The J105 Chesapeake Bay Championship is open to owner's and charterers of J105's that are in compliance with the J105 Class Rules. This event is a Level A class event. The regatta will be governed by the Class Rules and the following Fleet 3 modifications to the J105 Class Rules.

- a. Boat Weight/Float Line Certificate – All participating boats must have on board, and continue to be in compliance with, either a valid J105 Class Float Line Certificate or alternately a written certification acceptable to the boat's home fleet Measurer of weight not less than 3,890Kg (8,576 Lb.). See 2006 Rule Proposal 1 for clarification.
- b. Crew Weight – Participating boats may sail under the Fleet 3 head count rule allowing four of one sex and two of the opposite sex or five of the same sex. Alternately, the J105 Class Rule of 1045 pounds maximum will be in effect. Boats racing under the Class Weight Rule are required to certify the weight of all crew, and substitute crew, in writing prior to participating in the regatta.
- c. A mast-mounted cleat for the spinnaker halyard is permitted.
- d. A strap that pulls the backstay toward the stern of the boat is permitted.

Registration: Competitors may register in advance by sending the enclosed form with completed information and regatta fees to Eastport Yacht Club, PO Box 3205, Annapolis, MD., 21403. Entries must be received by the Race Committee by close of business on October 26, 2005.

Fees: The regatta entry fee is \$75.00 for members of US Sailing and \$80.00 for non-members.

Measurement and Inspection: Boats may be inspected and measured at the discretion of the Fleet 3 Measurer.

Sailing Instructions: The SI's will be available for electronic download from the EYC web site, www.eastportyc.org, no later than October 20, 2005.

Regatta Site: The regatta site shall be the Eastport Yacht Club, 317 First St., Annapolis, MD.

Racing Site: Racing will be conducted in the vicinity of Annapolis Area Mark R2. Rendezvous will be in the vicinity of Mark R2 30 minutes prior to the scheduled warning signals.

Courses: The racing courses will be windward/leeward using inflatable drop marks.

Schedule of First Race Warning Signals:

Saturday, 10/29/05 11:00AM
Sunday, 10/30/05 10:00AM (Note: 1 hour earlier)

Scoring: The low point scoring system, RRS A2 will apply. There will be no throw outs. Depending on conditions, the Race Committee will attempt to run three races on Saturday and two races on Sunday. A minimum of one race on each day will constitute a series. Regatta awards will be based upon a boat's score for all races, but CBYRA High Point scoring will be scored as two events, one for each day.

Prizes: Prizes will be awarded for first through fifth place. Awards will be presented at Eastport Yacht Club on Sunday immediately after any protest hearings that may affect the awards.

Social: There will be a party with buffet dinner and cash bar at Eastport Yacht Club on Saturday evening after racing. The club will be open to competitors immediately after sailing on Saturday and Sunday. Tickets for the buffet must be purchased in advance. The cost is \$20.00 per person.

Information Contacts:

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Eastport YC	www.eastportyc.org	410.267.9549

General Information For Non-Fleet 3 Boats: Fleet 3 welcomes any competitors from other J105 Fleets. The Annapolis area has comprehensive facilities and is an excellent destination for those desiring to extend the sailing season. Late fall typically provides outstanding racing conditions. Temporary slips, lifting services, boat weighing, dry storage, and hauling are readily available.

Information about accommodations in the Annapolis area can be found via the usual travel resources and at the following web sites:

www.visitannapolis.org
www.annapolisbandb.com
www.hometownannapolis.com.

BWI is the closest airport and is a Southwest hub so airfares are usually quite inexpensive. The Fleet 3 schedule is available at www.j105fleet3.org. There is a complete series of races leading up to the J105 Chesapeake Championship. Please contact Chris Groobey, Fleet 3 Captain, with any questions or requests.

**2005 J105 Chesapeake Bay Championship
Entry Form**

Competitor's Name: _____
Address: _____
e-mail: _____
Home Phone: _____
Work Phone: _____
Cell Phone: _____
Name of Yacht: _____
Sail Number: _____ US Sailing Number: _____
Yacht Club Represented: _____
CBYRA Number: _____ (Fleet 3 Members Only)

Fees:

Entry Fee (US Sailing Member \$75.00 Non-Member \$80.00)	\$ _____
Buffet Tickets _____ Tickets @ \$20.00 ea.	\$ _____
Total Enclosed	\$ _____

Make checks payable to: Eastport Yacht Club

My signature below shows that I agree with the following statements:

I agree to abide by

1. The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)
2. The Sailing Instructions published by Eastport Yacht Club
3. All other rules that govern this event.

I agree that in consideration of being permitted to enter this event, being knowledgeable of the risks of competitive sailing, and knowing that it is my sole responsibility to decide whether to enter or continue any race, I voluntarily assume the risk of participation in this event and release the Eastport Yacht Club, and the people conducting the event, from all liability in connection with injury and damage that may occur.

Signature of Competitor: _____

Date: _____

Deliver to prior to the end of business 10/26/05:

Eastport Yacht Club
Attn: Race Committee
PO Box 3205
317 First St.
Annapolis, Md. 21403