

NOTICE OF RACE

2017 OKANAGAN WOMEN'S REGATTA

JULY 7,8,9, 2017

at VERNON YACHT CLUB

7919 OKANAGAN LANDING RD

VERNON, B.C.

Join us to Celebrate Canada's 150th birthday at the tenth Annual Okanagan Women's Regatta to be held at Vernon Yacht Club located on beautiful Okanagan Lake.

1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020, the Prescriptions of Canada and the Rules and Regulations of Class Associations.
 2. The regatta is open to all sailboats with keels, helmed and crewed by women. A coach, male or female, is allowed if desired. Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and bringing it to the Vernon Yacht Club on July 7, 2017 between 3 and 8 pm or July 8, 2017 between 7:30 and 8:30 am along with the required fees. Alternatively, the attached registration form may be emailed to vycsailing@yahoo.ca with the fees paid at the registration desk during the aforementioned times.
 3. Each skipper must show proof of liability insurance to the amount of \$2,000,000. An onboard cell phone contact number is also required.
 4. Depending on the number of entrants we hope to have 3 fleets:
 - Santana 525 one design fleet with no coaches on board
 - PHRF fleet with no coaches on board
 - PHRF fleet with coaches on board
- Scoring system for the PHRF fleet is PHRF - BC time on distance. We reserve the right to combine the fleets as necessary. Boats without a valid PHRF Certificate will be assigned a temporary rating.
5. Sailing instructions and course sheets will be available after 3 pm on Friday July 7, 2017 at the registration desk.
 6. Fees: \$30 per person. Coaches do not pay the registration fee. A Meal package will be sold separately. The Meal Package will include continental breakfasts on Saturday and Sunday, dinner on Saturday night and lunch on Sunday. Additional Saturday night dinner tickets will be available to purchase separately. Prices to be posted later.

7. Schedule of Events:

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| Friday | Registration | 3 to 8 pm |
| Friday | Opening Ceremonies | 7 pm |
| Saturday | Continental Breakfast* | 7:30 - 9:00 am |
| Saturday | registration | 7:30 - 8:30 am |
| Saturday | Skipper's meeting | 9:00 am |
| Saturday | First Flag | 10:00 am |
| Saturday | Dinner & Dance** | 6:00 pm |
| Sunday | Continental Breakfast* | 7:30 - 8:30 am |
| Sunday | First Flag | 10:00 am |
| | No races started after | 12:30 pm |
| Sunday | Lunch on shore* | 1:30 pm approximately |
| Sunday | Awards | 2:30 pm approximately |

*For those who have purchased the Meal package

** For those who have purchased the Meal package or dinner ticket

8. Low point scoring system will be used, with one throw out for every 4 races completed.

9. Prizes will be given to the top 3 boats in each fleet.

10. Requests for moorage should be sent to vycsailing@yahoo.ca

For further information contact Carol Craske at 250 542-5644 or vycsailing@yahoo.ca