# Nickerson Trophy Bacow Sailing Pavilion, Tufts University Upper Mystic Lake, Medford, MA October 27-28, 2018

#### 1 Rules

The Regatta will be governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and the *ICSA Procedural Rules*.

# 2 Notices to Competitors

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board on the third floor

#### 3 Schedule of Races

Report time Saturday	1030
Competitors Meeting	1045
First Warning Signal	1120
Sunday report	0930
No Sunday start after	1500

## 4 Rigging

Shroud tension may be adjusted at the dock provided you do not lose any fasteners.

#### 5 Format

A division sails two races, rotate, then B and so on.

#### 6 The Course

- 6.1 The standard course will be 4, 5, or 6 legs (windward-leeward) with offsets and gates.
- 6.2 The heavy wind course is a trapezoid, twice around, with start/finish in the lower middle.

#### 7 Marks

All the marks are flags buoys with numbers or letters. 1 is windward, 2 is the offset, S & F are the gate marks, and F is the finish mark. Marks 3 & 4 will be used with a trapezoid.

### 8 The Start

- 8.1 Races will be started using Appendix Q, Sound Signal Starting System.
- 8.2 The starting line will be between flags on two RC boats or between RC and mark "S."

# 9 The Finish

- 9.1 The finish line for leeward finishes will be between a flag on the starboard end committee boat and the <u>closest</u> gate mark lettered "F."
- 9.2 The finish line for windward finishes will be between a flag on a committee boat and mark, "1."

## 10 Protests

- 10.1 The four requirements for a valid protest are: hailing the protestee immediately, informing the RC upon finishing, informing the protestee ashore, and filing a protest with the RC ashore timely.
- 10.2 Forms are in the office and must be filed within 30 minutes of arriving ashore for any break.