Nickerson Trophy Bacow Sailing Pavilion, Tufts University Upper Mystic Lake, Medford, MA October 29-30, 2022

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

1030
1045
1130
0930
1500

4 Rigging

The standing rigging shall not be adjusted.

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. There are no restrictions on the second (or third) windward leg regarding the start/finish line. Trapezoid-windward is the same except that boats will finish at mark one on the third windward leg.

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, and for trapezoid course 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 course 5 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.