

40th Professor Stedman Hood Trophy Regatta
Bacow Sailing Pavilion, Tufts University
Upper Mystic Lake, Medford, MA
September 23-24, 2023

Rules

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

Notices to Competitors

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board in the main room. The course will be drawn there as well.

Schedule of Races

Races are scheduled to start at 1120 Saturday and 1020 Sunday. No start after 1500 on Sunday. Racing will conclude on Saturday at approximately 1700.

Format

Racing will be conducted in two race sets starting with “A” division, then alternating throughout.

The Course

The courses will be 4 (W-L-W-L), 5, 6, or G (Triangle-W-L). Courses 4, 5, & 6 will have a windward offset mark and leeward gate. The gate or leeward mark will be in about the middle of the starting line. G only if windy.

Marks

The marks are mast buoys displaying colored-coded flags with numerals or letters: yellow 1 (windward), blue 2 (offset or reach), purple G (gate), orange S (start) and orange F (gate and finish). Red 3 or Green 4 may also be used as spare marks if necessary.

The Start

Races will be started using Appendix Q, Sound Signal Starting System. A pin boat may be used at the race committee’s discretion.

The Finish

8.1 The finishing line for course 5 will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the starboard end committee boat and the windward mark.

8.2 The finishing line for courses 4, 6, and G will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the committee boat and the nearest gate or leeward mark, “F”.

Protests

Protest forms are available on the table next to the RP forms. Protests shall be filed with the scorekeeper within 15 minutes of the end of any set of races.