

**2016 Jan T. Friis Trophy
US Coast Guard Academy
New London, Connecticut
March 26-27, 2016**

Notice of Race

1. Rules

The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2013-2016, and the prescriptions of US Sailing, the Procedural and Class Rules for Intercollegiate Sailing Competition 2013-2016, except as any of these are modified by the Sailing Instructions.

2. Format

The event will consist of one round robin of all twelve teams followed by a gold round made up of the top six teams from the initial round robin and a silver round made up of the bottom six teams from the initial round robin.

3. Schedule

Saturday	1030	Report Time
	1045	Competitors Meeting
	ASAP	Warning Signal
Sunday	0930	Report Time
	1000	Warning Signal
	1500	Last Possible Warning Signal

4. Sailing Instructions

The Sailing Instructions will be available on Tech Score no later than Friday, March 25.

5. Umpires and Protests

5.1 Matt Cohen will serve as Chief Umpire for a team of seven umpires who will be on the water both days.

5.2 ICSA PR 25(a) and RRS D2.6 – Limited Umpiring – will apply

5.3 ICSA PR Appendix G will be used for protests

6. ICSA Representative

John Pearce from George Washington University will serve as the ICSA Rep.

7. Boats

The event will be sailed in FJs and Z420s.

8. Dry Suits

At the discretion of the Regatta Chairman, dry suits may be required. Notice will be given on the morning of each day of competition.

9. Coaching

Coaches will be on land.

10. Competitor/Coaches Only Zone

All regatta attendees except competitors, coaches, and CGA staff will not be allowed on the second floor of Jacobs Rock Sailing Center or any floating docks.

11. Water and Water Bottles

The water at Jacobs Rock is non-potable. Teams should be prepared with their own non-disposable water bottles and large quantity containers for re-filling.