Sailing Instructions

Boston University Trophy Fleet Race

April 2-3, 2022

1 RULES

1.1 Regattas will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing, The ICSA Procedural Rules, the Rules of the Collegiate Dinghy Class, the NEISA Rules and Regulations Manual, and these Sailing Instructions.

2 COVID-19 Protocol

- 2.1 Sailors and coaches will be the only people allowed in the Sailing Pavilion or on the docks. All spectators must watch from the Esplanade.
- 2.2 Visiting sailors and coaches will only enter the Sailing Pavilion to store sails and equipment.
- 2.3 In the event of a thunderstorm all sailors and coaches are welcome to seek shelter in the Sailing Pavilion.

3 NOTICES TO COMPETITIORS

3.1 Notices to competitors will be posted on Techscore, and they may also be posted on a whiteboard outside the pavilion near the docks.

4 CHANGES TO THE SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 Changes to the sailing instructions will be hailed to all competitors prior to the race they take effect.

5 SCHEDULE

5.1 Saturday 04/02/2022

Report Time: 10:30am Competitors' Meeting: 10:45am

First Warning Signal: 11:15am

No Start After 5:00pm

5.2 Sunday 04/03/2022

Report Time: 9:30am

First Warning Signal: 10:00am

No Start After 3:00pm

6 BOATS

6.1 The regatta will be sailed in Boston University Zim CFJs. Standing rigging settings shall not be adjusted.

7 RACING AREA

7.1 All races will take place on the Charles River between the Mass Ave and Boston University Bridges.

8 ROTATION AREA

8.1 All boat rotations will take place on the BU Competition Dock located approximately $\frac{1}{2}$ mile east of the Sailing Pavilion.

9 COURSES

- 9.1 Courses will be announced by the Race Committee prior to the start of each race.
- 9.2 Courses will include either a W3, W4, or W5 with a windward offset mark and a leeward gate separate from the start/finish line. Diagrams of the courses and any modifications may be posted on the official notice board.

10 MARKS

10.1 All turning marks will be red. The start/finish mark will be white.

11 THE START

11.1 The starting line will be between a staff displaying a flag (BU Burgee) on the starting boat at the starboard end and the course side edge of the port end start/finish mark.

12 THE FINISH

- 12.1 On course W4 the finish will be between a staff displaying a flag (BU Burgee) on the starting boat and the start/finish mark.
- 12.2 On Courses W3 and W5 the finish line will be between the windward mark and the offset mark.

13 PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS

- 13.1 Protest forms are available in the Sailing Pavilion.
- 13.2 Protests shall be delivered to the Race Committee within the posted protest time limit.
- 13.3 In the event no time limit is posted ICSA procedural rule 30 will apply.

14. COACHING

14.1 All coaching will take place from the BU Competition Docks or the Esplanade Shoreline.