



NOTICE OF RACE 2012 NRW OPEN KITEBOARD AND WINDSURF REGATTA

A Part of Nantucket Race Week
August 12, 2012

ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

Nantucket Race Week, L.L.C.

HOSTS

Nantucket Yacht Club (NYC), Great Harbor Yacht Club (GHYC), Nantucket Community Sailing (NCS), and the Nantucket Race Week Committee.

CLEAN REGATTA



Nantucket Race Week is certified by Sailors for the Sea as a Clean Regatta. Please help keep Nantucket's waters pristine.

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined at the beach.
- 1.2 The term "boat" elsewhere in this NOR means "board" or "boat" as appropriate.

- 1.3 No Touching.
- 1.4 Open gear, anything you want to sail.

2 ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organizing authority.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 Prospective participants may request an invitation by completing the registration form at www.nantucketraceweek.org (click on Registration tab) together with the required fee, by no later than August 11, 2012.
- 3.2 The organizing authority, may, in its sole discretion, accept any late entry.

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4 FEES

- 4.1 The entry fee is \$25, if received on or before August 11, 2012. Registration includes one ticket to the Family BBQ at Great Harbor Yacht Club on Monday, August 13, 2012.
- 4.2 Registrations received after August 11, 2012 are subject to an additional late fee of \$10 for a total of \$35.
- 4.3 Tickets for all Nantucket Race Week social events may be purchased at www.nantucketraceweek.org (click on registration tab) or at the NRW regatta desk located at Nantucket Yacht Club. Space is limited. Please make reservations early.

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at the competitors meeting on the beach at Bass Point.

6 SCHEDULE

- 6.1 The Windsurf and Kiteboard Regatta will be held on August 12.
- 6.2 The schedule of events is shown below:

Sunday, August 12

1300	Check in at Bass Point near flags. If not enough wind before 1600 event is cancelled.
1350	The Start

Monday, August 13

1800	Cookout and awards ceremony, Great Harbor Yacht Club
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7 VENUE

The race will take place launching from Bass Point. Windsurfers should sail over from Pocomo Point or take a ride on the NCS Skiffs that will be available. Kiteboarders registered for this event may not launch from Pocomo Point.

8 COURSES

Courses will be described in the Sailing Instructions.

9 SCORING

- 9.1 There will be one heat or elimination contest.
- 9.2 Each board's score shall be the total of her finish position with the lowest score determining the winner.

10 PRIZES

Awards for both windsurfing and kiteboards will be presented at an awards ceremony on Monday, August 13 at Great Harbor Yacht Club.

11 RADIO COMMUNICATIONS

A boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones. Personal communications not related to racing are permitted.

12 SAFETY

All competitors should wear normal windsurf and kiting gear and take normal precautions as if you were sailing on your own. There will be skiffs for assistance

13 EVENT MERCHANDISE

Merchandise for Nantucket Race Week will be available at both yacht clubs during Nantucket Race Week.



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14 INSURANCE

Each participant shall be insured with adequate third party liability insurance.

15 CLEAN REGATTA

Nantucket Race Week is committed to maintaining Nantucket's clean waters and shores. As such, Nantucket Race Week is registered in the Sailors for the Sea's Clean Regattas program. All NRW participants are encouraged to follow the goals and requirements of Clean Regattas. The requirements include:

- a) No discharge of treated or untreated sewage or black water in harbor areas or no-discharge zones around Nantucket.
- b) No overboard discharge of trash or littering at shore facilities (e.g., rigging tape, cigarette butts, beer cans).
- c) Follow Nantucket's trash and recycling guidelines: Trash must be in clear plastic or biodegradable bags. All paper, glass, metal, and plastic must be recycled and placed in separate containers.
- d) Reduce plastic waste by using refillable water bottles.
- e) Use green cleaning and maintenance products.
- f) Reduce the impact of oil spills from motorized vessels by carrying at least one bilge sponge and fuel spill pad.

16 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See US Sailing RRS Rule 4, Decision to Race. The race organizers, Nantucket Race Week LLC, the Nantucket Yacht Club, Great Harbor Yacht Club, Nantucket Community Sailing, race committee, protest committee, volunteers, sponsors, agents, employees, or any other organization or official providing services at the request of any of the foregoing in connection with the events will not be responsible for damage to any boat

or other property or the injury to any person sustained as a result of participation in this event. By participating in this event, each competitor (owners, skippers, and crews) agrees to release the race organizers and all persons and groups listed above from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

17 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

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