

2015 ICSA Match Racing National Championship Hosted by Salve Regina University

October 23-25, 2015 (weekend 8)



1. Sailing Site

The ICSA Match Race National Championship will be sailed out of the Salve Regina University sailing site located in the Sail Newport Waterfront Center at the tip of Fort Adams State Park. Rotations will take place at the docks on the northeast shore of Fort Adams and racing will take place on the waters of Newport Harbor/Narragansett Bay. Boats will be stored in the turning basin at Fort Adams State Park.

2. Schedule (Weekend 8)

Friday 23 October Stage 1 - Round-Robin

All teams shall compete in a single round robin.

Saturday 24 October Stage 2 – Quarter-Finals and Stage 3 – Semi-Finals Sunday 25 October Stage 4 – Finals & Petit-Finals

3. Boats/Crew

The event will be sailed in Yngling type boats. The number of crew (including the skipper) shall be three. Each team shall include at least one female. Crew weight shall not exceed 460 pounds. Boats will be provided by Salve Regina University. Mainsail, Jib and Spinnaker will be provided.

4. Race Committee

The Event will be run by Salve Regina University (John Ingalls), and Sue Miller will serve as the PRO.

5. Facilities

All pre-regatta registrations and check-ins will take place at the Salve Regina University sailing site located in the Sail Newport Waterfront Center at the tip of Fort Adams State Park. There is excellent viewing from the sailing site, excellent bathroom facilities and ample parking.

6. Coaching

Coach boats may be made available, but racing will be easily viewed from the shore at Fort Adams

7. Judging

A judges/umpire list will be put together by the spring of 2015

8. Entry Fee

Applicable

9. Housing Accommodations

Numerous hotels and Bed and Breakfasts can be found throughout Newport. Nearby Middletown, just 10-15 minutes away, has the larger hotel chains at cheaper rates.

10. Flight Information

The closest airport is T.F. Green Airport (PVD) in Warwick, RI (also known as Providence Airport). It is approximately 45 minutes from Newport. Vehicle rentals are available at the airport from all major companies.

11. Non-Sailing Activities

Newport, RI is one of the premier waterfront destinations in the country. The streets are lined with hundreds of stores and eateries, and Newport boasts some of the best beaches and mansions on the east coast.

12. Website

The official Nationals website will be available from www.collegesailing.org by the spring of 2015.

13. FURTHER INFORMATION

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