NOTICE OF RACE

2024 Water Rats Sailing Club Open Catamaran Regatta

***Water Cats Fall Regatta***

**September 21 and 22, 2024**

1. **Rules**

The regatta will be governed by the Rules, as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing. The prescriptions of Sail Canada will apply. If there is a conflict between the sailing instructions and any Rule, then the sailing instructions will take precedence.

1. **Eligibility and Registration**

All beach catamarans are eligible to participate in the regatta. [**Please click here to register**](https://waterratssailingclub.wildapricot.org/events) or go to **Events** section of *Water Rats Sailing Club* website. Alternatively, please see us at Water Rats clubhouse on either Saturday, Sep 21, or Sunday, Sep 22 from 8:00 AM to 9:00 AM to register.

1. **Entry Fee**

The entry fee of $80 for a double-handed boat, and $60 for a single-handed boat includes racing, prizes and food on land.

1. **Regatta Food**

Gourmet Pizza on Saturday and BBQ on Sunday.

***Please note that there are no planned lunches on the water.***

1. **Schedule**

**Saturday, September 21**

0800 - 0900 Breakfast and Registration

0930 Skippers’ Meeting

1100 First Warning Signal

After Racing Pizza

**Sunday, September 22**

0800 - 0900 Breakfast and Registration

1100 First Warning Signal

1530 No Race to Start After this Time

After Racing BBQ, Results & Prizes

1. **Scoring**

The low point scoring system of Appendix A to the current Racing Rules of Sailing will apply. If four (4) or more races are sailed, there will be one discard.

1. **Disclaimer**

Each participant must sign a waiver for loss, damage or injury occurring in conjunction with the regatta or on the property of the Water Rats. None of the Water Rats, its members, directors, officers, employees, volunteers, contractors, agents, or representatives will be responsible for any loss, damage or injury that may occur to any person or property, whether ashore or at sea, because of the action or inaction of any person.

1. **Contact Information**

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