



Notice of Race

13th Annual HYC Youth Regatta Maine State 420 Championships August 9th and 10th, 2017 Harraseeket Yacht Club South Freeport, Maine

Harraseeket Yacht Club is pleased to announce our 13th annual Youth Regatta hosting the Maine State 420 championships on beautiful Casco Bay. This is a truly fun experience for all. The Regatta is open to Club 420's, Opti Green and Championship fleets (Red, White, and Blue.) In years past, this event has attracted 40 - 50 Club 420's and 80 - 90 Optis. This year, we'll have a separate Green Fleet line for the Optis. Our mission is to make this a safe, fun, and educational environment for all our sailors.

For those who don't have a boat, HYC provides spectator boats for family and friends who wish to watch the races.

On day two of the event, we will provide grilled hamburgers and hotdogs on our infamous Barge! One of the many highlights that makes us unique.

Trophies will be presented to the top 3 in each fleet. All Opti Green sailors will receive a participation award. Sportsmanship awards will be presented to those who have exemplified excellent behavior and attitude. The Maine State 420 Championship trophy, currently being held by Camden Yacht Club, will be presented to the first place C420.

Online registration will be open June 26th through end of day July 30th. Late fees will be assessed for registrations July 31st onward.

Applicants for the 420 Class must not turn 19 years old in the year of the event. All other competitors must be under the age of 18. Club 420 Class rules apply.

Tentative Schedule:

Tuesday, August 8th:

- Coach Boats – No later than Aug 8th, please contact Bob Santomenna at rsantomenna@comcast.net to coordinate launching and hauling of your boats. Brewers South Freeport Marina will be providing this service.

Wednesday, August 9th:

- 07:30 – 09:00 Register, launch, [breakfast](#), and rig

- 09:30 420 Competitors' meeting
- 10:00 Harbor start 420s
- 9:45 Opti Competitors' meeting
- 10:15 Harbor Start Optis
- [Bagged lunch provided on the water](#)
- 16:00 No race starts after this time
- Immediately following racing: [Dinner at HYC](#)

Thursday, August 10th

- 07:30 – 08:00 launch, [breakfast](#), and rig
- 9:00: Harbor start Optis
- 9:30: Harbor start 420s
- [Barge lunch will be provided on the water](#)
- 15:30: No races will start after this time
- Awards presented after final scoring
- Reminder to contact Bob Santomenna to coordinate the hauling of coach boats by Brewers Marina immediately following the awards.

Tides :

August 9th Low Tide 7:02am High Tide 1:17pm

August 10th Low Tide 7:38am High Tide 1:54pm

Limited housing is available on a first-come basis. (Freeport has many Motels and Bed & Breakfasts available)

Parking is not allowed at the club during Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. You will be allowed to drop off and pick up only. Parking will be available on the streets of South Freeport - please observe all No Parking signs. Trailers can be brought to nearby storage field.

Any questions about this regatta, please contact Peg Selian at youthregatta.hyc@gmail.com