



2021 BVI Dinghy Championships

Saturday 15 May 2021

The Royal BVI Yacht Club (RBVIYC), Tortola, British Virgin Islands

NOTICE OF RACE

Subject to Amendment

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024.
- 1.2 The class rules of the participating classes will apply.
- 1.3 RRS G1.1(b) will not apply.

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Advertising will be permitted under Category C in accordance with World Sailing Regulation 20.
- 2.2 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3 ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to boats in the following classes: Laser Standard, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7; Optimist Green Fleet, Optimist Championship Fleet; RS Feva, UFO.
- 3.2 Two boats will constitute a class.
- 3.3 Boats may enter at <http://royalbviyc.org/racing/bvidinghychampionships.html>
- 3.4 Please contact the RBVIYC if you are interested in the involvement of a class not listed in 3.1.

4 FEES

- 4.1 Required entry fees are as follows:
 - 4.1.1 Optis, Lasers, UFO: \$50 (Members/Youth Sailing Team) \$60 (Non-Members)
 - 4.1.2 RSFevas: \$80 (Members/Youth Sailing Team) \$90 (Non-Members)

5 SCHEDULE

Saturday 15 May	Late Registration	09:00-09:30
	Competitor & Coaches Meeting	09:15
	Racing, 1 st warning signal	10:00
	Awards Ceremony	as soon as racing/protests concluded

- 5.1 Registration and all meetings will take place at the Youth Sailing Centre at Nanny Cay
- 5.2 Green fleet racers will have a separate meeting after the main meeting.
- 5.3 Number of races: There is no maximum number of races.
- 5.4 No race will be started after 15:00.



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6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

6.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available during registration.

7 VENUE

7.1 Racing will take place in the Sir Francis Drake Channel adjacent to Nanny Cay, Tortola.

8 COURSE

8.1 The course(s) will be announced in the Sailing Instructions.

9 PENALTY SYSTEM

9.1 For all classes rules 44.1 and 44.2 are changed so that one turn, including one tack and one gybe, is required.

10 SCORING

10.1 The Low Point Scoring System of RRS Appendix A will apply.

11 SUPPORT BOATS AND COACH BOATS

11.1 In a general emergency situation, all Support and Coach Boats shall be utilized as safety boats and shall be under the direction of the Race Committee.

12 RADIO COMMUNICATION

12.1 A boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile phones and other devices.

13 PRIZES

13.1 Prizes will be awarded in each class/class division at the discretion of the organizing authority.
13.2 Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organizing authority and/or sponsors.

14 CODE OF CONDUCT/SAFETY REGULATIONS

14.1 Competitors, Parents, and Coaches will comply with the Code of Conduct for guests of the RBVIYC.
14.2 Competitors shall wear personal floatation devices at all times while afloat, except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment.

15 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

15.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The Organizing Authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

16 FURTHER INFORMATION

16.1 For further information please contact Tamsin Rand at the RBVIYC by email to regattas@royalbviyc.org or tel: +1 284 346 4749.