



***Toms River Yacht Club and Ensign Fleet 63 warmly invite you to an exceptional Region 1 Championship, consisting of competitive amateur racing, partying and traditional Ensign camaraderie.***

- ***Welcoming arrivals Friday & early Saturday mornings***
- ***Great accommodations at fleet member homes!***
- ***Easy launch & haul with 2 convenient hoists!***
- ***On-Site trailer storage!***
- ***Harbor and slip docking/mooring!***
- ***Afternoon Patio Beer all three days!***
- ***Friday afternoon Q and A Clinic!***
- ***Friday evening Deck Dinner Party!***
- ***Families can enjoy the fabulous TRYC pool and patio!!***
- ***Racing to include Jib and Main (JAM) and Spinnaker Fleets!***
- ***The Inaugural Region 1 JAM Championship!!***
- ***Racing Saturday & Sunday, no races after 2:30 on Sunday!***
- ***Continental breakfast included both days!***
- ***Saturday evening Patio Cookout!***
- ***Lunches available both days!***
- ***Sailing Instructions coming soon!***

***We'd be delighted to share a weekend with you! We are expecting great racing with a really good PRO, good food, fun, and friends... and we'll even open our homes and give you a place to stay!***

***COME JOIN US!***

Event Chair: Bud Brown [sailorbud1085@gmail.com](mailto:sailorbud1085@gmail.com) - 281.468.6909

Fleet Captain: Mike Paccione [mpaccione@chubb.com](mailto:mpaccione@chubb.com) - 908.566.5490



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## NOTICE OF RACE

### **2019 Ensign Class Region I Championship June 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, & 9<sup>th</sup> - Hosted by the Toms River Yacht Club and Fleet 63**

#### **1. RULES**

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020*, the prescriptions of US Sailing, the Ensign Class Rules, by this document (the Notice of Race), and by the Sailing Instructions. In case of conflict between the Sailing Instructions and this Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions shall take precedence.

#### **2. ELIGIBILITY**

2.1 The regatta is open to all Ensigns that comply with the ECA Class Rules. Owners/charterers must be members in good standing with the Ensign Class.

2.2 Eligible boats may enter online on the ECA website at:

[https://ensignclass.clubexpress.com/content.aspx?page\\_id=4002&club\\_id=323935&item\\_id=997739](https://ensignclass.clubexpress.com/content.aspx?page_id=4002&club_id=323935&item_id=997739)

or by completing the attached form and mailing it, together with the required fees (checks made out to "TRYC"), to:

**Toms River Yacht Club  
ECA Region 1 Championship  
1464 Riviera  
Toms River, New Jersey 08753.**

**3. EQUIPMENT AND MEASUREMENT CHECKS:** All contestants shall ensure their boat and equipment complies with ECA and Coast Guard specifications. There will be a visual inspection of boats, and measurements made if necessary. A boat or equipment may be inspected at any time, including on the water, for compliance with the class rules and sailing instructions.

**IMPORTANT:** *If you intend to use sails that have never been measured, please indicate on the registration form, so we can accommodate.*

4. **COURSES AND CLASSES:** The courses shall be of the Windward/Leeward type. There will be two divisions, Spinnaker and JAM (Jib and Main), each with their own start, scoring and awards.

5. **FEES**

5.1 Entry fee for US SAILING members is \$195. Package - (4 People) Includes Friday Night Deck Party, Continental Breakfasts, 4 Saturday Cookout tickets, Keg on the Patio (all 3 afternoons).

5.2 Entry fee for non-US SAILING members is \$200. Package - (4 People) Includes Friday Night Deck Party, Continental Breakfasts, 4 Saturday Cookout tickets, Keg on the Patio (all 3 afternoons).

5.3 Late registration fee, if received AFTER June 4<sup>th</sup> deadline, is \$15.

6. **SCHEDULE**

6.1 **Friday**

**1200 – 1800 : Boat arrivals, Launching, Check In, Keg on the Patio**

**1630 – 1800 : Q and A Session on the Patio**

**1800 – 2200 : Deck Party at the Torpey Home (walking distance from TRYC)**

**Dick and Mary Torpey**

**1412 Bryant Avenue**

**Toms River, NJ 08753**

6.2 **Saturday**

**0600 – 0900 : Late Boat Arrivals, Launching and, Check In**

**All boats must be in the water by 0900 Saturday**

**0800 – 0930 : Registration, Continental Breakfast, Lunch Pick Up**

**0930 – 1000 : Skipper's Meeting**

**1100 ~ 1630 : Ensign Championship Racing**

**1630 – 2200 : Keg on the Patio**

**1800 ~ 2200 : Patio Cookout**

6.3 **Sunday**

**0800 – 0930 Continental Breakfast**

**1000 – 1430 : Ensign Championship Racing**

**1430 – ??? : Keg on the Patio, Hors d'Oeuvres, Awards**

**Boat Hauling and Packing**

**Racing - *See the Sailing Instructions for official racing schedule.*** Unofficially, we will probably start about 11 am on Saturday and finish about 4:30 on Saturday afternoon. Sunday, will probably start about 10 am and finish about 2:30 pm on Sunday afternoon. The race committee will attempt to get in as many races as possible for a total of no more than seven races for the event.

7. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Sailing Instructions will be emailed to all registrants (please include a legible email address) by June 6 and will be available upon arrival at Toms River Yacht Club on June 7.

8. **TAKING A PENALTY:** A boat may take a One-Turn Penalty when she may have broken one or more rules of Part 2 in an incident while *racing*. This changes Rule 44.1 and the Sailing Instructions for the Ensign Class.

9. **VENUE:** Racing will be in the Wanamaker area, Toms River, or elsewhere on Barnegat Bay.

10. **SCORING**

10.1 Scoring shall be as described in the Ensign Class Rules, Part III, Rule 12 A, B, C E, F.

10.2 One completed race will constitute a regatta.

11. **DOCKING AND TRAILERS:** Launching/hauling, trailer storage and slips/harbor mooring will be available, compliments of the Toms River Yacht Club. No dry sailing. Boats must stay in the water until the regatta's end, unless damaged and/or approved by the Head Judge.

12. **HOUSING:** Contact Sheila Torpey (954) 270-3676

13. **RADIO COMMUNICATION:** Except in an emergency, boats and all competitors shall not make, nor receive, voice or data communications that are not available to all boats.

14. **PRIZES:** Trophies will be awarded to the top three (3) finishing competitors and crew in both the Spinnaker and Jib and Main (JAM) divisions. The Region 1 Championship Trophy shall be awarded to the winning Spinnaker Division team.

15. **DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY:** Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the regatta. All skippers and crew members must sign the disclaimer form prior to 10 AM on Saturday June 8, 2019.

16. **FURTHER INFORMATION:** Please contact

Event Chairman: Bud Brown (281) 468-6909

Fleet Captain: Mike Paccione (908) 566-5490

Hospitality Chair: Sheila Torpey (954) 270-3676

Boats and Trailers Chair: Trace Dittenhofer (609) 389-7710

PRO – Rich Proko

Head Judge – Harry Foote

## Print Skipper's Name



## Waiver Agreement - 2019 Ensign Region 1 Regatta

In consideration of Toms River Yacht Club accepting my entry and the substantial efforts of the officers, directors, members and associate volunteer personnel, I hereby agree to the following:

1. I waive and release any claim, including those for negligence, gross negligence or equivalent misconduct I may have against Toms River Yacht Club and its directors, officers, employees, agents, members and associate volunteer personnel, arising out of or incident to the conduct of the 2019 Ensign Region 1 Regatta.
2. I assume full responsibility for the risks of participation in the 2019 Ensign Region 1 Regatta for my decision to start or continue any race conducted as part of these events. If any provision in this agreement is unenforceable, such determination of unenforceability shall not affect the enforceability of the remaining provisions of this agreement. This agreement shall be construed and enforced under the laws of the State of New Jersey.

### MEDIA WAIVER

By competing in the 2019 Ensign Region 1 Regatta, I grant, at no cost, the Toms River Yacht Club the absolute right and permission to use my name, voice, image, likeness, biographical material as well as representations of the boats in any media worldwide (being television, print and internet media), including video footage, for the sole purposes of advertising, promoting, reporting and disseminating information regarding the Toms River Yacht Club and the participants in the 2019 Ensign Region 1 Regatta.

***I have read and understand the waiver.***

Boat Name \_\_\_\_\_ Sail Number \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Contestant/Owner \_\_\_\_\_

Signature

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Sailor \_\_\_\_\_

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