

2025 WASZP QUEBEC CHAMPIONSHIP

Brome Lake Boat Club
September 19-21, 2025
Lac Brome, Quebec, Canada

NOTICE OF RACE

The notation '[NP]' in a rule means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that rule. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

1 RULES

- 1.1. The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2. The WASZP class rules shall apply.
- 1.3. Sail Canada prescriptions shall apply.

2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1. The Sailing Instructions will be available at <https://racehub.waszp.com/event-entry/597> no later than one week prior to the event.

3. COMMUNICATIONS

- 3.1. The online official notice board is located at <https://racehub.waszp.com/event-entry/597>
- 3.2. [DP] While racing, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.
- 3.3. The WhatsApp channel will be used for all unofficial communication with competitors.
<https://chat.whatsapp.com/LvRhFyOk0AulLcplP3cHq?mode=ac t>

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1. The event is open to all boats of the WASZP class.
- 4.2. All competitors must be members of their WASZP national class association.
- 4.3. Boats may enter the event by registering online at <https://racehub.waszp.com/event-entry/597>
- 4.4. To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.

5. FEES

- 5.1. Entry fees are as follows: \$100.00
- 5.2. The entry fee covers racing, snacks, dinner Friday and Saturday night, Lunch Saturday and Sunday
- 5.3. Vakaros unit rental (NoR 8.4), if required, \$25 (+txs) CAD.

6. ADVERTISING

- 6.1. Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing

7. SCHEDULE

- 7.1. Dates of racing:
Friday September 19th Arrival, Boat Drop-Off and Training Allowed
Saturday September 20th Racing
Sunday September 21st Racing/Awards
Number of races: Max/Day Max Total
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- 7.2. On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after 1430.

8. EQUIPMENT

- 8.1. All boats must comply with the rules of the WASZP Class.
- 8.2. Boats may be subject to inspection
- 8.3. Competitors may choose to sail with either 6.9m², 7.5 m², or 8.2m² rig. The rig to be used for the Championships shall be declared at registration. No change of rig sizes shall be permitted during the event. This can be changed throughout the regatta in case of equipment failure providing the race committee are informed prior to changing.

- 8.4. All boats must have a distinct sail number matching their hull number as prescribed by IWCA rules.
- 8.5. The event will be using RaceSense with the Vakaros system and all boats are required to carry a Vakaros device while racing. Units are available to rent for a nominal fee (NoR 5.2).
9. VENUE
- 9.1. The event is hosted by the Brome Lake Boat Club in Lac Brome, Quebec.
- 9.2. Racing will take place in Brome Lake. NOR Addendum A shows the location of the racing area.
10. PENALTY SYSTEM
- 10.1. RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty unless the incident occurs within the zone in which case the Two-Turns Penalty will apply.
11. SCORING
- 11.1. Three (3) races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 11.2. (a) When fewer than five (5) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. (b) When from four (4) to seven (7) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score. (c) When from ten (8) to eleven (11) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two (2) worst scores. (d) When twelve (12) to fifteen (15) or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her three (3) worst scores. (e) When sixteen or more races have been completed, a boat series score is the total of the race score excluding her three worst scores. Should there be slalom racing, the scoring will be defined in the Sailing Instructions.
12. SUPPORT PERSON VESSELS
- 12.1. Support vessels shall register themselves and will be identified via a short form posted on the official notice board <https://racehub.waszp.com/event-entry/597> .
13. BERTHING
- 13.1. [DP] Boats shall be kept in their assigned places while in the boat park.
14. DATA PROTECTION
- By participating in the event, competitors grant to the Organizing Authority and their sponsors the right in perpetuity to make, use and show, from time to time at their discretion, any photography, audio and video recordings, or other reproductions of them made at the venue or on the water from the time of their arrival at the venue, until their final departure, without compensation.
15. RISK STATEMENT
- RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.
16. INSURANCE
- 16.1. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.
- 16.2. The Organizing Authority does not accept any responsibility for verifying that a boat has valid third-party insurance.
17. PRIZES
- 17.1. First overall
- 17.2. Top three (3) overall.
- 17.3. 1st in each age division.
- 17.4. 1st female competitor.
- 17.5. There may also be additional awards at the discretion of the Organizing Authority.
18. FURTHER INFORMATION
- 18.1. For further information please contact Event Chair Andrea Kriebel andreakriebel@gmail.com .
- 18.2. Limited billeting is available once registration has been completed. Please contact Andrea Kriebel for more information andreakriebel@gmail.com.
- 18.3. Limited charter boats are available through the We Can Foil program. Please contact Agustin Ferrario for more information agustin@wecanfoil.org.

ADDENDUM A

