J CLASS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS FAQS

Q: Will NYYC provide spectator boats?

A: There will be no NYYC provided spectator boats.

Q: Are there are charters going out to watch?

A: Many local charters will be running their regular routes that limit them to inside the bay. There is a list of charters available on the J Class Association website.

Q: Where can we watch from land?

A: Castle Hill, Gurney's, Brenton Point, Fort Adams or Beavertail are all options to see some of the racing or boats leaving the harbor, weather permitted.

Q: Where can we watch on the water?

A: Racing will take place on both the Sound and up the East Passage. The current plan is for 2 days of Coastal racing which will take the fleet up the East Passage towards Gould Island and back down. The other 3 days will be windward-leewards held on a course out on the Sound.

Q: What does the course look like?

A: See above.

Q: What days will they be inside the bay and what days outside?

A: This decision will be made the night before racing and will depend on the weather and wind forecast.

Q: When will they start and finish?

A: The start and finish will be in the vicinity of Beavertail and Castle Hill or approximately 2 miles south of Brenton Point. This will be determined daily based on the wind conditions.

Q: What VHF Channels should I listen to?

A: A live broadcast of the racing along with other spectator information will take place on VHF 85 each day. The Race Committee will be on VHF 72.

DAILY SCHEDULE

| Monday, August 21 | 12.00 | Practice Racing – First Warning Signal |
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| | 15.00-18.00 | Registration – NYYC Sailing Center |
| | 18.00-18.30 | Competitor briefing – NYYC Sailing Center |
| | 18.30-20.30 | Opening Reception hosted by Rolex – NYYC |
| Tuesday, August 22 | 11.00 | Race Day 1 - First Warning Signal |
| Wednesday, August 23 | 11.00 | Race Day 2 - First Warning Signal |
| Thursday, August 24 | 11.00 | Race Day 3 - First Warning Signal |
| Friday, August 25 | 11.00 | Race Day 4 - First Warning Signal |
| Saturday, August 26 | 11.00 | Race Day 5 - First Warning Signal |
| | 18.00 | Prize giving - NYYC |
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