



2021 Rolex New York Yacht Club Invitational Cup

Bulletin #6 - September 9, 2021

SOCIAL RESERVATION FORM

The [Social Reservation Form](#) was due by **Tuesday, September 7**. If you have not yet completed this form, please do so ASAP. **Please note:** competitors should **NOT** submit the Social Reservation Form as their tickets are included in the entry fee. Only those not competing are required to complete the form.



REGISTRATION ON SATURDAY

Registration will take place at the Sailing Center on Saturday between 0900 and 1100. All teams must register even if they have already been through the checkout process earlier in week. Team bags with regatta gear will be ready for pickup, last minute details finalized and tickets for the social events available for purchase, in person rather than online. Please be sure to bring your credit card!

SPECTATOR BOAT

A limited number of spectator boats will be available to take guests out to view the races on Thursday, Friday and Saturday (9/16-9/18). If you are interested, please complete the [Spectator Boat Sign Up Form](#) by Monday, September 13.

WASHDOWNS

Hoses, buckets, brushes and soap are staged at the Alofsin Pier at Sail Newport. [Click here](#) to view the assigned washdown schedule for each boat along with a map of the harbor showing the dock. Prior to Sunday, September 11, all boats can washdown at will.

RACE DOCUMENTS

All race documents can be found on the [event website](#).

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Please click [here](#) to view FAQ's regarding Newport, New York Yacht Club and Harbour Court, including the hours of operation and dress code policy.

GUEST CARDS

We want you to consider Harbour Court home during the Invitational Cup. If you have not yet done so, please complete the online [Guest Registration Form](#) and your Guest Card will be waiting for you at the Quartermaster Desk upon your arrival.

IC37 PERFORMANCE RESOURCES & BOAT DRAW

The IC37 Performance Resources and results of the Boat Draw can be found on the event website. The links are included below for your convenience.

- [2021 Invitational Cup Competitor Briefing and Performance Document](#)
- [IC37 Tuning Guide](#)
- [North Sails Sailing Manual](#)
- [North Sails Reefing Video](#)
- [IC37 Sailing Resources](#)
- [Boat Draw Assignments](#)

REMINDERS:

VACCINATION CARDS

[Please email a copy here](#) of your vaccination card, positive antibody test or letter from a physician confirming post-COVID infectious antibody levels prior to arrival. Also, be sure to have a copy of your vaccination card available at all times when traveling. Proof of vaccination is required by everyone to access Harbour Court.



Time to go sailing!!



Sincerely,

Robbie M. Benjamin



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Event Chairman

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PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 11	0900-1100	Registration – Sailing Center
	0900-1200	IC37 check-out following registration
	1200-1600	IC37s available for practice following check out
	1600-1800	Late Registration – Sailing Center
Sunday, September 12	0900-1000	Late Registration (if needed) – Sailing Center
	0900-1000	IC37 Protocol, Safety & Sail Briefing – Arcadia Room (r for Helmsmen, Tacticians and mainsail trimmers)
	1200-1500	Mandatory Practice Starts and Racing
	1600-1730	Practice Day Video Weather & Local Knowledge – Arcadia Room (mandatory for Helmsmen, Tacticians a mainsail trimmers)
Monday, September 13	1800	Classification Protest Time Limit
	0900	IC37s available for practice
	1200-1500	Mandatory Practice Starts and Racing
	1600-1800	Hospitality Center – Lower Lawn
	1730-1800	Meeting with Umpires – Arcadia Room

		(mandatory for Helmsmen and Tacticians)
	1800-1830	Captains Meeting – Arcadia Room (mandatory for Helmsmen, Tacticians, coaches and spectator boat captains)
Tuesday, September 14	1830-2000	Opening Ceremony & Reception – Marquee (Jacket & Tie)
	0830	Morning Competitor Meeting
	1100	Race Day 1 – First Warning Signal
	1600-1800	Hospitality Center – Lower Lawn
Wednesday, September 15	1800-1930	US Sailing Hall of Fame Open House
	0830	Morning Competitor Meeting
	1100	Race Day 2 – First Warning Signal
	1600-2000	Hospitality Center – Lower Lawn
Thursday, September 16	1800	Daily Awards at the Hospitality Center
	0830	Morning Competitor Meeting
	1100	Race Day 3 – First Warning Signal
	1600-1830	Hospitality Center – Lower Lawn
Friday, September 17	1830-2130	NYYC Lobster Bake and Daily Awards - Marquee (Smart Casual)
	0830	Morning Competitor Meeting
	1100	Race Day 4 – First Warning Signal
	1600-2000	Hospitality Center – Lower Lawn
	1800	Daily Awards at the Hospitality Center
Saturday, September 18	1830-1930	Commodore’s Reception (Jacket & Tie, by invitation only)
	0800	Morning Competitor Meeting
	0900	Parade of Nations – Newport Harbor
	1100	Race Day 5 – First Warning Signal
	1800	Awards Banquet Cocktails – Hospitality Center (Jacket & Tie)
	1900-2300	Rolex Awards Banquet – Marquee (Jacket & Tie)