

# **2011 Potomac River Laser Fleet CAPITAL CITY LASER REGATTA**

**Washington Sailing Marina  
Daingerfield Island, Alexandria, Virginia**

**Saturday and Sunday March 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> 2011**

ORGANIZING AUTHORITY: POTOMAC RIVER SAILING  
ASSOCIATION  
CLUB/HOST ORGANIZATION: POTOMAC RIVER LASER FLEET  
WASHINGTON, DC  
OFFICIAL WEB SITES: <http://potomacriversailing.org/lasers>

## **NOTICE OF RACE**

- 1. Rules:** This regatta is governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* for 2009-2012, the prescriptions of the US Sailing Association, and the rules of the International Laser Class Association except as any of these are altered by this notice, and/or by the sailing instructions.
- 2. Eligibility and Entry:** This regatta will be a Category A event as it relates to advertising.
- 3. Number and Schedule of Races**

Several races may be sailed on any day at the discretion of the race committee. The warning signal for the first race on each day is scheduled as indicated below.

Sat. 26<sup>th</sup>                      1100 Skipper Meeting  
                                     1200 Warning Gun for Race 1, other races to follow  
                                     No races after 15:30

Sun. 27<sup>th</sup>                      1100 Warning Gun for 1<sup>st</sup> race of the day, others to follow  
                                     No race will be started after 1400  
                                     Awards immediately following racing

- 4. Social and Registration Schedule**

Sat. 26 <sup>th</sup>	0900 to 1100	Registration
Sat. 26 <sup>th</sup>	1700	Dinner
Sun. 27 <sup>th</sup>	1500	Awards, afterwards left-over's will be served

- 5. Advance Registration:** Online registration is available on the [PRSA Laser Web site](#).
- 6. Fees:** The entry fee is \$35 for registering before March 21<sup>st</sup>. Registration the day of the event will be \$45.
- 7. Sailing Instructions:** Sailing instructions will be available on the official Potomac River Sailing Association Laser Fleet website and at registration.

8. **Scoring:** If 4 or fewer races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of all her race scores. Otherwise, her worst score will be excluded. This changes RRS Appendix A rule A2. Boats failing to finish within 30 minutes after the first boat to finish will be scored TLP (time limit penalty). TLP is two plus the number of boats finishing within the time limit, and not thereafter retiring or being disqualified. This changes rule 35, A4.1, and A4.2.
9. **Trophies:** Trophies will be awarded to 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> places.
10. **Launching:** Two ramps are available. For launching off the ramp, competitors will be required to provide their own beach dollies. Road trailers can also be used.
11. **Disclaimer of Liability:** Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See 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 or prior to, during, or after the regatta.
12. **Further Information:** Visit <http://www.potomacroversailing.org/laser> or email [laser\\_captain@potomacroversailing.org](mailto:laser_captain@potomacroversailing.org)