

2025 Eri-dragon TEAM CHALLENGE NOTICE OF RACE



(Revised 5/21/25)

June 28th, 2025

Hosted by the San Diego Argonauts
San Diego Model Yacht Pond, Vacation Island, Mission Bay
San Diego, CA

1. RULES AND GOVERNANCE:

The event will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2025-2028 (RRS) as changed by RRS Appendix E, selected portions of RRS Appendix D, this Notice of Race (NOR), the Sailing Instructions (SI), the DF95 Class Rules, Version 1.5 (incorporating the most recent Manufacturer's Rigging Instruction Manual), and the Equipment Rules of Sailing (2025-2028). The Sailing Instructions shall prevail in case of conflict with this Notice of Race.

1.1 CHANGE TO RULE 90.3(e)

Replace "24 hours" with "10 minutes."

2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:

The Sailing Instructions will be published on or before June 22, 2025.

3. EQUIPMENT INSPECTION:

- **3.1** All boats shall be presented at check-in and equipment inspection on Saturday June 28 from 9:00am to 10:00am.
- **3.2** At the discretion of the PRO, checks of randomly selected boats to ensure that they comply with class rules may be conducted during the event.

4. FREQUENCIES:

- **4.1** Permitted frequency bands are FCC-approved surface bands. 2.4 GHz radios are encouraged and are exempt from RRS E2.4.
- **4.2** Radios on 27 MHz, 53 MHz and 75 MHz are subject to the following restrictions:
 - a) No frequency conflicts will be allowed.
 - b) Radio frequencies will be allocated on a "first come first served" basis.
 - c) Transmitters on 75 MHz must be narrow band certified.

5. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY:

- **5.1** The regatta is open to registered owners of the DF95 Class Owners Association. All competitors must be members of the AMYA or their appropriate National Authority and shall include their membership number on their Entry Form.
- **5.2** Competitors with Disabilities that require any form of help or special requirements should, prior to entry, get in touch with the club contact given in Section 11 to check if the club is able to help with the provision of any such special requirements. The onus is on the competitor to establish whether the available facilities are adequate before deciding to enter the event.

6. REGISTRATION AND FEES:

- **6.1** The entry fee for the event per boat is \$15.00.
- **6.2** Payment can be made directly to Organizer via Square (See Regatta Entry Form)
- **6.3** Registration will be limited to the first 30 entries with priority determined by date of entry.
- **6.4** Entry form and fees must be submitted no later than June 21, 2025.
- **6.5** Due to the team racing format being utilized, If the final number of registered boats falls within an 'Xed Out' row of Table 1 below, the last registered boat(s) will be refunded their entry fee and will be given the option to serve as an alternate.

7. TEAM RACING FORMAT:

- 7.1 A Team Racing format with one or more round-robin stages will be utilized (Rule D4.1(b)).
- **7.2** Individual entrants will be seeded onto teams based on their current Travelers Trophy standing and national ranking.
- **7.3** The number and size of teams as well as the number of heats sailed will be determined by the final number of boats entered as set forth below in Table 1.

Table 1. Round Robin Team Racing Format							
No. of Boats	No. of Teams	Boats per Team	No. of Round Robins	No. of Heats per Competitor	Total No. of Heats Sailed		
8	4	2	4	12	24		
9	3	3	5	10	15		
10	5	2	3	12	30		
11	\times	\times	X	\times	\times		
12	6	2	2	10	30		
13	X	X	X	X	X		
14	7	2	2	12	42		
15	5	3	3	12	30		
16	8	2	2	14	56		
17	X	X	X	X	\times		
18	6	3	2	10	30		
19	X	X	X	\times	\times		
20	10	2	1	9	45		
21	7	3	2	12	42		
22	\gtrsim	$\geq \leq$	\searrow	$\geq \leq$	>>		
23	\times	\times	\times	$>\!\!<$	$>\!\!<$		
24	8	3	2	14	56		
25	5	5	3	12	30		
26	$>\!\!<$	$>\!\!<$	\times	$>\!<$	$>\!\!<$		
27	9	3	1	8	36		
28	7	4	2	12	42		
29	$>\!\!<$	$>\!\!<$	$>\!\!<$	$>\!\!<$	$>\!\!<$		
30	6	5	2	10	30		

8. SCORING SYSTEM:

- **8.1** Individual Races will be scored using the low-point system set forth in RRS Rule D3.
- 8.2 The Event will be scored as a round-robin stage as set forth in RRS Rule D4.3.
- 8.3 Results from previous round-robin stages will be carried forward (Rule D4.3(c)).
- **8.4** Ties will be broken using combined results from all stages in the following order: (1) The winner of the most races between the tied teams; (2) The winner of the last race between the tied teams. (This changes RRS Rule D4.4.)

9. VENUE:

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10. SCHEDULE

Saturday June 28

9:00-10:00 AM Check-in, Equipment Inspection

10:15 AM Skipper's meeting

10:30 AM First Warning Signal, conditions permitting ~4:30 PM Awards presentation following final race

11. RACE STAFF:

Regatta Chairman: Chris Staiger Principal Race Officer: Chris Staiger Registration: Gil Jansky / Chris Staiger

12. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY:

12.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, "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. **12.2** All those entering or taking part in this regatta do so at their own risk and responsibility. AMYA, the San Diego Argonauts, Regatta Staff and any other parties involved in the organization of this event disclaim any and all responsibility whatsoever for loss, damage, injury or inconvenience that might occur to persons and goods, both ashore and on the water as a consequence of entering or participating in the event covered by this Notice of Race. **12.3** At all times the responsibility for the safety of their boat and themselves including the decision to participate or continue shall rest with the competitors. By entering this event, it is deemed that you accept these conditions. Competitors are advised to ensure that they have adequate insurance that provides coverage for public liability and their possible injury in the Country and County of this event.

13. AWARDS:

Awards will be presented to the winning Team or Teams based on the number of entries.

14. CONDUCT:

14.1 The PRO, all race officials and observers have been directed to record any incidents, which will be dealt with to the full extent available to the Protest Committee. Penalties available to the Protest Committee include exclusion from the race in question or subsequent races, exclusion from the regatta, or other action within the Committee's jurisdiction.

15. MEDIA RIGHTS:

15.1 Competitors, owners of the boats and their guests are giving all rights for using pictures and videos of persons and boats during the regatta in medias, including commercials, press materials and all other promoting activities and press releases, unless it is notified by writing before submitting entry.





REGATTA ENTRY FORM

Name:		AMYA #:	
City:	State:	Phone #: ()	
Email Address:			
Emergency contact name:		phone #: ()
Sail #: (As it appears on	Sails. <u>Note</u> : C	lass Rules allow 1,	2 or 3 Digits)
Radio Frequency: ☐ 2.4 GHz ☐ 27/53/75 MHz (Primary	v: Se	econdarv:	Alternate:)
By signing this entry form I agree Race above.	to all the term	•	et forth in the Notice of
1) E-MAIL Entry Form to: <u>WCStai</u>	ger@att.net		

https://checkout.square.site/merchant/MLKBTJBWVW9SB/checkout/ABZ4MH4HIEFBVPY5XHV67LD5

2) \$15 Entry Fee can be paid via the following Link / QR Code: