

# 2024 Fleet Championships

Hosted by North American Tasar Association and the Orcas Island Yacht Club

June 29th and 30th, 2024 West Sound, Washington USA

## Notice of Race

## 1. Rules

- **1.1.** The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and the rules of the World Tasar Class Association (www.tasar.org).
- 1.2. All competitors shall wear a life jacket or other adequate personal flotation device at all times while on the water other than brief periods while adding or removing clothing. This changes Rule 40.
- 1.3. All applicable rule changes will appear in full in the Sailing Instructions. The Sailing Instructions may also change other racing rules. Where there is a conflict, the Sailing Instructions will take precedence over the Notice of Race.
- **1.4.** The organizing authority is the North American Tasar Association.

## 2. Eligibility & Entry

- 2.1. The regatta is open to all boats of the Tasar class.
- 2.2. Competitors must be members in good standing of their regional Tasar Class Association. Competitors who wish to become members of their regional TCA may join by completing their registration and making payment prior to the close of registration for the regatta.
- 2.3. Eligible competitors may enter by completing the online registration form and fee payment on the regatta page, <a href="https://oivc.org/TasarRegatta">https://oivc.org/TasarRegatta</a>. Registrations must be completed by 10:00 hrs June 28th.
- **2.4.** Competitors will be required to agree to a waiver of liability as a condition of eligibility. This waiver may be completed either during online registration or at the event check-in.

#### 3. Classification

**3.1.** This event is open to sailors of all classifications as described in the ISAF Regulation 22, ISAF Sailor Classification Code.

## 4. Entry Fees

- **4.1.** The entry fee is USD 30.
- 4.2. Entries will not be accepted after 10:00 hrs on June 28th, 2024.

#### 5. Schedule of Events

Saturday, June 29th	9:30 11:00 18:00	Competitor Briefing First Warning Potluck
Sunday, June 30th	11:30 15:00	First Warning No Warning signal after 15:00

**5.1.** A maximum of 10 races are scheduled for the series.

## 6. Inspection & Measurement

- **6.1.** All boats must comply with the Tasar Class Rules.
- 6.2. Boats may be inspected for safety equipment and measurement compliance at any time during the regatta.
- **6.3.** It is the responsibility of each entrant to provide any supplementary weights necessary to ensure compliance with Tasar Class Rule C6.
- **6.4.** Random measurement and compliance checks may be made throughout the regatta at the discretion of the Race Committee.
- **6.5.** For measurement breaches or protests the jury may impose discretionary penalties, which may be less than disqualification.

## 7. Sailing Instructions

7.1. The Sailing Instructions will be available during on-site check-in and prior to the event at <a href="https://oiyc.org/TasarRegatta">https://oiyc.org/TasarRegatta</a>

#### 8. Venue

**8.1.** Racing will be conducted on West Sound and Massacre Bay but not crossing into Cayou Channel or Pole Pass

## 9. Courses

**9.1.** The courses will be prescribed in the Sailing Instructions and will include windward, leeward, and reaching legs.

## 10. Scoring

- 10.1. The Low-Point Scoring System will be used. However, if fewer than 5 races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores; if 5 to 8 races are completed, her series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score. If 9 or 10 races are completed, a boats series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores. DSQs are not excludable.
- 10.2. A minimum of one race must be completed to constitute a regatta.

#### 11. Prizes

- 11.1. Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 positions overall.
- 11.2. Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organizing authority.

#### 12. Risk, Disclaimer of Liability & Personal Conduct

- 12.1. Competitors participate in the regatta 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.
- 12.2. The competitor will accept full responsibility for all his/her actions during any activity related to the event. This includes on-shore activities before, during, and after the regatta.

## 13. Right to Use Names & Likeness

13.1. By participating in the 2024 Fleet Championships, a competitor automatically grants to the organizers and sponsors the right in perpetuity to make, use and show, from time to time at their discretion, any photographs, videos, or other reproductions of him or her during the period of the competition without compensation.