



Wet Pants Sailing Association Sunfish Notice of Race

June 30

July 7, 14, 21, & 28

August, 11, 18, & 25

September 1

Organizing Authority – Wet Pants Sailing Association

1. RULES

- 1.1 The Sunfish Racing Series is sponsored by the Wet Pants Sailing Association.
- 1.2 The Series will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.3 The first series will run from June 30 to July 28. The second from August 11 to September 1. **August 4 is reserved for the Ma Huus Sunfish Race.**
- 1.4 No fee is required of Wet Pants members.

2. ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 The Sunfish Racing Series is open to all Sunfish owners.

3. REGISTRATION AND ENTRY

Registration may be made by emailing treasurer@wetpantssailing.org any time before June 30, 2026. Please leave your name and sail number of the Sunfish you intend to race.

4. Schedule for each race:

1815 Several short horn blasts will sound at 1815 on the day of the race and will be followed by the three-minute starting sequence. Several races will be scheduled each evening.

5. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS and CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS** – The Signal Boat will give oral instructions on the course before the start. The race will begin at a starting line between the Signal Boat and an inflatable buoy. The course will be sailed around inflatable buoys. The finish line will be the same as the starting line. During the race the starting line will be open. **THE STARTING LINE MAY BE CROSSED DURING THE RACE.** Several races will be held each evening.

6. PERSONAL FLOTATION DEVICES (PFD) AND PERSONAL EQUIPMENT

RRS 40.1 applies for all. Each competitor shall wear a personal flotation device except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. Wet suits and dry suits are not personal flotation devices.

7. PRIZES

The low point scoring system will be used. To be eligible for a prize, a skipper must race at least half of the total races held over the evenings in each series. A prize will be awarded for the top finisher at the annual mess. Final Scoring for the series will be done by the Wet Pants Sailing Association.

8. **FURTHER INFORMATION** - For additional information contact treasurer@wetpantssailing.org

9. **DISCLAIMER of LIABILITY** – Competitors in this series are participating entirely at their own risk and are bound by The Racing Rules of Sailing for 2025-2028, and assume full responsibility for starting or continuing to race – Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority, host club and/or personnel conducting this event will not accept any liability for material damages or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the event.