

**BABYLON YACHT CLUB**  
**2009-2010 FLYING SCOT FROSTBITING SERIES**  
BABYLON YACHT CLUB, EATON LANE, WEST ISLIP, NY, 11795



**NOTICE OF RACE**

Posted: Nov 1, 2009

**1. VENUE:**

1.1 The venue will be off the Babylon Yacht Club in the general area of Babylon and West Islip, NY.

**2. SCHEDULE:**

2.1 Dates

<b>Friday Nov 27</b>	<b>Saturday Dec 12</b>	<b>Saturday Jan 2</b>	<b>Saturday Feb 13</b>	<b>Saturday Mar 13</b>
<b>Saturday Dec 5</b>	<b>Saturday Dec 19</b>	<b>Saturday Jan 16</b>	<b>Saturday Mar 6</b>	<b>Saturday Mar 20</b>

2.2 First gun 1100.

2.3 Alternate/Make up dates will be at the discretion of the Frostbiting Chair.

**3. RULES:**

3.1 The event will be governed by the current *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).

3.2 Spinnakers will not be permitted.

**4. RESPONSIBILITY:**

4.1 As a condition of participating in winter racing at the Babylon Yacht Club, (BYC), each participant is required to sign a Waiver and Release of Liability on a form provided by the Frostbiting Committee. By participating in such racing, each skipper and crew thereby confirms and agrees to the terms of such Waiver and Release of Liability.

**5. WEATHER CONSIDERATION:**

5.1 Decision as to whether racing may take place will be made no later than 2000 the day before.

5.2 While the final decision as to whether racing should be held will rest with the Frostbiting Chair, the responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue is hers alone. See RRS 4, Decision to Race.

**6. ELIGIBILITY:**

6.1 The Series will be sailed in Flying Scots.

6.2 This Series is open to members of the BYC & guests to whom an invitation has been extended by the Frostbiting Committee.

**7. ENTRIES:**

7.1 Competitors must register with the Regatta Chair in the Junior Yacht Club prior to racing.

7.2 Mandatory Skippers/Safety Meeting for participants each race day at 1030 in the JYC.

7.3 The fee to participate in the Frostbiting Series

7.3(a) BYC Member - \$70.00 per Competitor.

7.3(b) Non BYC Member - \$85.00 per Competitor.

7.3(c) A single one day fee of \$25.00 may be applied towards the season fee.

**8. SAFETY:**

8.1 USCG approved Personal Floatation Device (PFD) shall be worn at all times by all competitors while afloat. Flag Y will not be displayed. This modifies RRS 40 and the preamble to Part 4. Competitors must supply their own PFD.

8.2 **INFLATABLE PFD's and FLOAT COATS ARE NOT PERMITTED.**

8.3 Boats are to remain in the vicinity of the basin until chase boat(s) are launched and operational.

8.4 At the conclusion of racing all boats are to head directly to the basin

8.5 Failure to comply with 8.1 thru 8.4 will lead to an immediate disqualification of the boat from the day's racing.

**9. SCORING:**

9.1 The 'Low Point' Scoring System, RRS Appendix A2, will apply.

**10. COURSE:**

10.1 Courses will be triangles, windward/leewards, no-gybe or a combination thereof.

**11. PRIZES:**

11.1 Scores will be announced at the conclusion of day's racing.

11.2 Prizes may be awarded at the Series conclusion.

**12. BOAT STORAGE:**

12.1 Registered Flying Scots will be permitted to stay in the BYC boatyard for the Series duration where they will be stored in a locked boatyard. Access to boats will be restricted to race days only. The BYC assumes no responsibility for loss or damages.

**13. MISC:**

13.1 The BYC is closed during the off-season, no facilities will be available.

13.2 This is a "Pack-in/Pack-out" event. Please make arrangements to take with you anything you bring – including trash.

**14. CONTACT:**

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