

2019 Manitoba Keelboat Championship

Sanctioned by Sail Manitoba
Hosted by the Gimli Yacht Club
September 14-15th, 2019

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020*, the prescriptions of Sail Canada, The Sailing Instructions, this Notice of Race and the rules of The Performance Handicap Racing Fleet of Lake Winnipeg and Lake of the Woods as amended by the Gimli Yacht Club.

2 PRINCIPAL RACE OFFICER

The Principal Race Officer shall be appointed by the Gimli Yacht Club.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all keel boats recognized by the Performance Handicapping Fleet of the Lake Winnipeg and Lake of the Woods as amended by the Gimli Yacht Club.
- 3.2 As of September 13th, 2019 boat owners and skippers must be paid members in good standing of a Sail Manitoba/Sail Canada Club.
- 3.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached Registration Form, PHRF Form and sending it, together with the required registration fee, to the Gimli Yacht Club or by registering at GYC on the evening of Friday, September 13th, 19:30h, or on the morning of Saturday, September 14th, 09:00h-09:30h.

4 CLASSIFICATIONS

4.1 There will be two divisions:

The Championship Division (Division I) will be boats sailing in the Manitoba Keelboat Championship and the Division I category for the Lake Winnipeg Keelboat Championships.

Division II will be boats sailing in the Lake Winnipeg Keelboat Championships Division II category.

At registration boats shall declare which division they will race in.

5 FEES

5.1 Registration Fee:

<i>Class</i>	<i>Fee</i>	
All	\$30.00	Registration fee payable to the GYC

6 THE CHAMPIONSHIP (Division I)

There will be a maximum of 5 races with one throw out after 5 races are completed.
There will be a minimum of 1 race to constitute a series.

Division II

There will be a maximum of 3 races with no throw outs.
There will be a minimum of 1 race to constitute a series.

7 SCHEDULE

7.1 Start Times:

Saturday September 14, 2019 first warning 11:00h Skippers Meeting 10:00h

Sunday September 15, 2019 first warning 10:00h

The Lake Winnipeg Keelboat Championships will only be sailed on Saturday, September 14th.

7.2 No race will be started after 16:00h; on Saturday, September 14, 2019.

No race will be started after 14:00h on Sunday, September 15, 2019.

8 MEASUREMENT

Each boat shall complete a valid PHRF Rating Application (Short Form) at the time of registration. Boats may be inspected to determine if their form has been correctly filled out.

9 HANDICAPS

The PHRF Time-On-Time handicap system as administered by the PHRF LWLW and as amended by the Gimli Yacht Club will be used to calculate corrected finish times for all boats. Base handicaps shall be used.

10 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at the GYC or on the GYC website before the regatta.

10.1 The Courses

The courses to be sailed will be Windward Leeward.

11 PENALTY SYSTEM

11.1 The 7200 Penalty System as defined in the SI's will be used.

12 SCORING

12.1 The scoring system will follow appendix A as amended by this Notice of Race.

12.2 Championship Series and Division I

(a) When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of all her race scores.

(b) When 5 Races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

Division II

All races will count. There will not be a throw out.

13 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows:

Manitoba Keelboat Trophy for the 1st place finisher and medals for 1st, 2nd, 3rd in Division I.

Lake Winnipeg Keelboat Championship Division I trophy will be presented to the Winner in Division I.

Lake Winnipeg Keelboat Championship Division II trophy will be presented to the Winner in Division II.

14 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.

15 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with third-party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of \$1,000,000 that covers the owner's boat & crew for racing.

2019 ENTRY FORM

Manitoba Keelboat Championship

GIMLI YACHT CLUB

SKIPPER'S NAME: _____ **YACHT CLUB:** _____

CREW NAMES: _____

***RELEASE:** I have read the rules and regulations issued for this event and agree to be bound by them. In consideration of acceptance of this entry, I agree to save harmless and keep indemnified the Sail Canada, Sail Manitoba and the Gimli Yacht Club its organizers and their respective agents, officials, servants and representatives from and against all claims, actions, costs, expenses and demands in respect to death, injury, loss or damage to me or my property, howsoever caused arising out of or in connection with me taking part in this event, notwithstanding that the same may have been contributed to or caused or occasioned by the negligence of the same bodies, or any of them, or their agents, officials, servants or representatives. I further understand and agree that this Release is binding upon myself, my heirs, executors and assigns. I also understand that I am responsible for the behavior of my crew and liable for any damages to property caused by them and that they may be expelled from the regatta for unacceptable conduct on or off the water.*

Please Sign Name

Please Print Name & Club

Skipper Signature (mandatory)

Date

Boat Information: Make: _____ Length: _____ Sail Number: _____ PHRF: _____

Fee: \$30 Cheque made out to the Gimli Yacht Club

Paid By:

Cheque Date:

LAKE WINNIPEG AND LAKE OF THE WOODS

PHRF RATING APPLICATION (SHORT FORM)

FOR CRUISERS AND RACERS

1.) **DATE** _____

2.) **BOAT OWNER'S NAME** _____

3.) **ADDRESS** _____

CITY _____ **PROVINCE** _____ **POSTAL CODE** _____

4.) **TELEPHONE (HOME)** _____ **(CELL)** _____

5.) **BOAT MANUFACTURER** _____

6.) **BOAT TYPE** _____

MODEL NUMBER (be very specific) _____

DISPLACEMENT _____

7.) **LENGTH OVERALL** _____ **YEAR BUILT** _____

MODEL YEAR _____

8.) **SAIL NUMBER** (if any) _____ **HULL COLOR** _____

9.) **BOAT NAME** (if any) _____ **PHRF** (if known) _____

10.) **KEEL**

(a) FIXED:

FIN	ELLIPTICAL	WINGED	BULB AT TIP
SHOAL DRAFT		FULL	DEEP

(b) MOVABLE:

SWING KEEL	RETRACTABLE	CENTER BOARD
DAGGER BOARD		BULB AT TIP

