NOTICE OF RACE

40th BULLSEYE NATIONALS (Sept. 7-9, 2001)

Hosted by the Southwest Harbor Fleet, Maine.

Check in & event "Club House": Manset Yacht Services (aka MYS), Shore Road, Manset

Schedule (Conditions Permitting):

Wed. & Thu .: 9 AM to noon

Sail measurement at Acadia Sails, Great Harbor Marina, (see # 5)

Friday:

12 to 5 PM 5 PM to 7 PM Check-in, housing & charter assignment, launching boats at MYS

Welcome cocktail party with hors d'oeuvre at MYS, free evening

Saturday:

8 AM

Skippers meeting at MYS

10:20 AM

1st signal AM race

After race

Lunch at Community Sailing Center

1:50 PM

1st signal PM races

6 to 10 PM

Lobster bake (and BBQ chicken) dinner at Causeway Barn

Sunday:

8:30 AM

Skippers meeting at MYS 1st signal AM Races

10:50 AM Immediately after last race

AWARDS and barbecue at MYS

After the awards

Boat hauling, charter return & clean up crew

- 1. Rules. The regatta will be governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2001 2004* except as specifically modified by the *Bullseye Class Association Rules for Conducting Regattas* and the regatta *Sailing Instructions*.
- 2. <u>Eligibility.</u> Any Bullseye Class Association member in good standing (dues current) may enter the regatta by completing a registration form. Non-members may join the Association at the time of registration. The number, identity and substitution of crew members, and the use of co-skippers, shall be in accordance with Bullseye Class Association prescriptions. All crew members of yachts competing for the "Junior Crew" award must be less than 19 years old by the regatta date.
- 3. <u>Fees and Registration.</u> The regatta entry fee is \$260 (\$240 for USSA members). This fee includes housing (see # 4), all meals and beverage booklets for two. Junior entry and other fees may apply (refer to "Entry Form"). Registration must be completed by 5 PM Friday, September 7th. <u>Competitors are encouraged to pre-register</u> their "Entry Form" and deposit by July 31, 2001.
- 4. Housing. Lodging and breakfast for yacht crews will be provided by Southwest Harbor Fleet hosts (first registered, first served!).
- 5. Sails and sail measurement. Entrants shall provide and sail with their own Mainsail, Working Jib and Spinnaker(s). Genoas are not allowed. Measurement certification markings must be displayed to complete check-in procedure. Entrants are encouraged to have all measurements completed by their local fleet admeasurer before checking in. Clearly marked Main, Jib and Spinnakers certified for a previous Bullseye Nationals Regatta will be allowed.
- 6. Sailing Instructions. Sailing Instructions and a local racing chart will be provided at time of registration.
- 7. Scoring. The Low Point Scoring System of the current ISAF Rules will be used.
- 8. Jury. Decisions of the Jury are final in accordance with Bullseye Class Ass.- Rules for Conducting Regattas, Protests, Rule 12.2.
- 9. Prizes. Awards for each race winners and the top five for the event. Special awards will also go to the top three "Junior Crews".
- 10. Borrowed Boats. A limited number of borrowed Bullseyes may be available to USSA Members in good standing. Borrowed boats will be equipped with the minimum requirement under the Bullseye Class Association rules. Crews must provide their own sails and life jackets and may supplement hardware and running rigging with their own gear. No supplemental gear may be permanently affixed to the borrowed boat and must be removed after the regatta has ended. Request for a borrowed boat must be submitted by August 1st.
- 11. Additional information: Boat launching, trailer parking and spectator/shuttle boats will be available. For additional information please contact Jean Beaulieu at 207-244-4374, FAX 207-244-9488 or E-MAIL mjbeaulieu@acadia.net