**NANTUCKET IOD FLEET ASSOCIATION**

**2021 SEASON CALENDAR**

**NANTUCKET INVITATIONAL:** Friday, June 25– Saturday, June 26: Cancelled due to complications via Covid-19

**NIODFA “Open House”:** Saturday, June 19, from 2-4 pmat the Nantucket Yacht Club Waterfront Wash-Down Dock. This is a chance to inspect an IOD, meet NIODFA Syndicate Members, and discuss the up-coming Season.

**SUNDAY RACING:** Except as otherwise indicated**,** Skippers meetings on the water at 1:15 p.m.; first gun at 1:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY RACING:** First Gun 6 p.m.

**JUNE AND JULY RACING**

There will be racing on June 27, 30 and on July 4, 7-8, 11, 14, 18, 21, 23 +25.

* June 27 (Sun) Practice Starts and Short Races
* June 30 (Wed) Warm-up. **First Gun at 5 p.m.**
* July 4 (Sun) July Series. **First Gun at 2:30 p.m.**
* July 7-8 (Wed-Thurs) **2 Day Fun Regatta.**

First Gun 5 p.m. Wednesday and 1:30 p.m. Thursday.

Cocktails and Hors d'oeuvre on NYC Terrace on Thursday after racing.

* July 11 (Sun) July Series
* July 14 (Wed) July Series
* July 18 (Sun) July Series
* July 21 (Wed) July Series
* July 23 +25 (Fri+Sun) **Qualifier for Worlds, Bermuda and NAs.**

First Gun 1:30 p.m. both days. Sunday races count as July Series.

* July 25 (Sun) Annual Dinner at NYC at 7 p.m.

**AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER RACING**

There will be racing on August 1, 4, 8-9, 11, 15, 25, 29, and September 5.

* August 1 (Sun) **NIODFA Annual Share Owners and Board of**

**Directors Meetings**. Nantucket Yacht Club at 11:30 a.m.

* August 1 (Sun) August Series
* August 4 (Wed) August Series
* August 8-9 (Sun-Mon) **Qualifier for Worlds, Bermuda and NAs**.

First gun at 1:30 p.m. on both days. Sunday races count as August Series.

* August 11 (Wed) August Series
* August 15 (Sun) August Series
* August 19-20 (Thurs-Fri)**Race Week- Celebrity Invitational**
* August 25 (Wed) August Series
* August 29 (Sun) August Series
* September 5 (Sun) August Series

**IMPORTANT DATES (all subject to change.)**

2021 World Championship Bermuda September 12-18

2021 North American Invitational unscheduled

2021 Bermuda International Race Week unscheduled

**QUALIFER SERIES** The races held on July 23+25 and August 8+9 will constitute the Qualifier Series for 2022-23 Off-island championships and regattas.

**AWARDS:**

* July Wednesday Series 30% throw outs
* July Sunday Series 20% throw outs
* August Wednesday Series 30% throw outs
* August Sunday Series 20% throw outs
* Qualifiers 20% throw outs

(Qualifying for off-island regattas, Worlds, North American Invitational, and Bermuda)

* Season Long Championship 30% throw outs; includes Sunday races and

races in the two Qualifiers.

**CLINICS:**

* Wednesday Clinics will be replaced with PHRF Racing

**SOCIAL (dependent on NYC dining policies):**

* **Post Racing on Sundays and Qualifer Days-** drinks and grilled cheese on NYC Terrace. Spouses and sailing guests invited.
* **Post Racing on Wednesday nights –** meet at Burgee Bar. Spouses and Guests invited.
* Annual Dinner on Sunday, July 25th at the NYC at 7 p.m.

**SKIPPER MEETINGS:**

* Sundays at 1:15 p.m. on the water, except otherwise indicated.
* Wednesdays at 5:45 p.m. on the water if necessary.

**BOAT ROTATION:**

* Will be posted on NYC Bulletin Board; In the event your assigned boat in the rotation is out-of-service, Oliver La Farge will assign another boat to you on race day. Oliver’s contact information is as follows:

Oliver La Farge

Email address: oliver@topgallantmarine.com

Telephone: (508) 221-1646

**ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP:**

The NIODFA will be offering Associate Memberships for the 2021 season. An Associate Member does not have an ownership interest in the Fleet or any share thereof. The fee will be $150 and Associate Members will be required to sign an agreement in which the Associate Member agrees to abide by the Rules and Regulations of the NIODFA and to hold the NIODFA harmless. (Attached hereto as Exhibit A.) All Associate Members must be approved by the NIODFA Board. The benefits of an Associate Membership include the following:

* the ability to charter an IOD
* the ability to sail in the Qualifier Series
* the ability to attend the NIODFA meetings and social functions
* Associate Members will receive all NIODFA communications and will be added to our crew pool. Crewing opportunities will be posted on Wednesdays, prior to Sunday racing.

**CHARTERING AN IOD:**

The NIODFA will charter to Associate Members who intend to sail with a Qualified Skipper, who is approved in advance by the NIODFA. Boats owned by the NIODFA or available as a result of inactive syndicates will be made available for charter. The charter fee schedule for the 2021 Season will be as follows:

* ***Full Season Charter*:** A guaranteed boat for all races in a given IOD season, including the entire qualifier series; $9,000 per season
  + Parties will be limited to two full season charters before being required to join as full syndicate members.
* ***Monthly Charter****:* A boat will be guaranteed for all races in a given month (July or August + Labor Day), including the qualifier series that falls within the given charter month; $5,000 per month.
  + The chartering party can charter a boat for the qualifier series that is not held during the chartering month for an additional $1,000
* ***Qualifier Series Charter:*** A boat will be guaranteed boat all races that are included in the annual qualifier series for various IOD events; $2,500 for the entire qualifier series.
* ***Single Sunday Race Day:*** A boat will be guaranteed for all races held on a given day; a minimum of one race must be run for the party to be charged; $500 per day.
* ***Single Wednesday Race Day:*** At the discretion of the Board, and depending on availability, a boat may be sailed during a Wednesday race day so long as the two associate member threshold is met, and the boat is helmed by a Board approved qualified skipper.