

SQUAMISH WINDSPORTS SOCIETY

2010 KITE COURSE RACE SUMMER SERIES

Saturdays: June 12th, July 10th, August 28st, Sept 11th.



NOTICE OF RACE

The Squamish Windsports Society is pleased to announce the 2010 Kiteboard Course Racing Summer Series. This is meant as a fun series for beginner racers and eager competitors alike. We invite you to join us!

1.0 RULES

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing: Experimental Kiteboarding Competition Rules 2009-2012.

2.0 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1 To be eligible to race, kiteboarders must be current SWS Members in good standing *OR* pay SWS day use fee and sign appropriate waiver form for each scheduled race day. Forms and waivers must be completed prior to racing.

2.2 All racers must be competent with upwind/downwind riding and have the ability to kite safely and comfortably in close quarters with other riders.

2.3 Racers must complete a Registration Form and Waiver of Liability at race day or submitted to Race Director prior to racing.

2.4 Racers may join the Series on/before any race day. By entering in any one day, racers will be scored as for the entire Series.

2.5 "Short Course" division is open to all riders with any regular Kiteboarding equipment. (ie. twin-tips, surfboards, skims, etc.)
"Long Course" division is recommended only for riders with proper race-boards.

3.0 FEES

3.1 Entry fee:

- **\$35 for the series** of 4 days, or **\$10 per day** for drop in.
- **\$5 Jersey Fee** also required.

3.2 Fees are payable via cash or cheque to the **Squamish Windsports Society**.

3.3 "Early Bird Registration": Riders registering (in person/fax/email scan) **before May 31st** will have Jersey Fee omitted!

4.0 SCHEDULE

4.1 A mandatory riders meeting will be held each day at **1100 hours** on the Spit.

4.2 The first possible start is scheduled at **1130 hours** and the last possible start scheduled at **1700 hours**, for each day.

4.3 Competitors will be given a mid-day break for water & food.

4.4 Summer Series Racing will be held on the following 4 Saturday dates: **6/12, 7/10, 8/28, 9/11**.

4.5 Pending poor weather, make up racing will be held on each subsequent Sunday: 6/13, 7/11, 8/29, 9/12.

4.6 A free "**Intro to Racing Clinic**" Orientation Day will be held Saturday, June 5th on location at the Spit at 1100 hours.

5.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1 Copies of the Sailing Instructions will be available during the Riders Meeting and on the SWS website.

6.0 RACING AREA

6.1 The race area will be set with marks from the "Spit" Windsports area, in Squamish, BC, Canada. Details in Sailing instructions.

7.0 SCORING

7.1 A description of scoring will be outlined in the Sailing Instructions, with rankings for Long Course, Short Course, Men & Women.

8.0 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

8.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, decision to race. The organizers 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.

9.0 CONTACT INFORMATION

9.1 For further information please contact the Squamish Windsports Society (www.SquamishWindsports.com).

9.2 Race Director: **Kyle Touhey** (SWS.Racing@gmail.com). **Fax:** (604) 648-8158