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NOTICE OF RACE

The 2011 S1M "CanAm Challenge Cup" Regatta

"A Friendly Cross-Border Rivalry Continues"

Organized by the **STOWE YACHT CLUB (AMYA # 159)**

Regatta Site: The regatta will be sailed on **Commodore's Pond** behind the **Commodore's Inn, Stowe, Vermont, Saturday, July 30 & Sunday, July 31.**

Objective: To promote a friendly, yet competitive, regatta - in the true Corinthian spirit - that will be scored on two levels: (1) Individual performance, and (2) Team performance (Canada vs. U.S). The emphasis is on the individual sailor; team racing is specifically prohibited. It is anticipated that the top five individual positions for each country, for each race, will determine the Can Am Challenge Cup team winner. This number may be adjusted based on lowest number of entries from one country.

Rules: This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current version of *The Racing Rules of Sailing, Appendix E of the RRS, the AMYA By-laws, the Soling One Meter Class Rules, the Regatta's Sailing Instructions ("SI's") and any amendments to the SI's.*

Eligibility: Any owner/skipper of a duly registered S1M Class boat, who is a current member of the AMYA or the CRYA, may participate in this regatta. The number of competitors will be limited to 30. Entries will be assigned in the order the Entry Forms are received.

Entry: Any eligible owner/skipper, as defined above, may enter the regatta by completing and returning the Regatta Entry Form, together with an appropriate check, payable in USD, to the address indicated. To be eligible for frequency assignment, the Entry Form **MUST** indicate at least three (3) available frequencies for each boat entered, unless you are using a Spektrum or equivalent 2.4 GHz system.

Housing - Transportation: A map with general directions to the regatta site will be provided along with a list of area attractions. Each competitor is expected to make arrangements for their own housing and transportation for the duration of the event. A **special regatta rate** will apply to a limited number of rooms at the Commodore's Inn. Call the Inn directly at (800) 447-8693, or email to: reservations@commodoresinn.com, and request this special regatta rate.

Schedule of Events: Early Check-in, possible measurement and Practice Racing will be available at the Race Site on Friday afternoon, July 29.

Saturday July 30	0800-0915	Late check-in
	0930	Skipper's Meeting
	1000-1600	Racing
	1730	Cocktails followed by Prime Rib Buffet
Sunday July 31	0930	Skipper's Meeting
	1000-1430	Racing (no race to start after 1430 on Sunday)
	1500	Trophy Presentation

Measurement: Boats may be measured for class rules compliance, at the regatta site, before the start of the first race. Any measurement specified by the class rules may be checked by the Race Committee prior to, during, and up to 30 minutes after the last race of the regatta.

Sailing Instructions - Frequency Assignments: Frequency assignments and a participants' list will be mailed or emailed to all regatta participants. A copy of the *Sailing Instructions* will be available upon regatta check-in.

Courses: Courses will be set, based on the prevailing conditions, and announced prior to the start of each race.

Race Format: A heat-managed odd/even system will be used if the numbers of competitors or the conditions warrant. This will be determined solely by the Race Committee.

Prizes: (1) Individual Awards: A minimum of the first three places will be awarded trophies or plaques. If twenty or more entries, the first five places will be awarded. (2) Team Award: The perpetual CanAm Cup.

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 sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

Appeals, if any, shall not affect the awarding of prizes.