



NYYC RACE WEEK AT NEWPORT

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J/109 – ADDITIONAL CLASS REQUIREMENTS

For *J/109*'s participating at New York Yacht Club Race Week, the Notice of Race posted on the event's website, <http://www.nyyc.org/RaceWeek/>, is amended as follows:

1. This Regatta will be the **2010 North American Championship** for the *J/109* Class.
2. This Regatta will be conducted under the Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions, and Regatta Regulations posted on the event website (<http://www.nyyc.org/RaceWeek/>) and will be subject to the *J/109* Class Rules as posted on the *J/109* Class website (www.j109.org).
3. Entry for this Regatta shall be online at the New York Yacht Club event website, <http://www.nyyc.org/RaceWeek/>.
4. Check-in, sail inspection, crew declaration and weigh in shall be at registration; from 1200-1800 on July 16th. (Crew declaration forms are available in the Class website under Racing – documents.) Weight of each crew member will be recorded at registration.
5. All sails shall be inspected at Check-in. All sails delivered on or after September 1, 2006 shall have class royalty tags. Sails delivered before September 1, 2006 shall have a Sail Declaration from the sail maker. [Sail Declaration forms are available in the Class website under Racing – documents.] All sails shall conform to *J/109* Rules 5.1-5.7 with the modification noted in paragraph 6. All conforming sails will be marked by the class at Check-in.
6. **Jibs and spinnakers may be changed at any time during the Regatta at the discretion of the captain, provided that a second jib may not be pre-fed to the furler foil and provided further that neither a jib nor a spinnaker shall be changed within three boat lengths of a rounding mark, including any offset. This provision modifies *J/109* Rule 5.3.**
7. All boats and all sails may be inspected and measured at any time during the Regatta at the discretion of the Class.
8. All Skippers and Drivers shall be Voting Members or Associate Members of the *J/109* Class and shall be listed as 2010 Voting or Associate Members in the *J/109* website. Each Skipper, Driver, and crew member shall have a current ISAF Competitor Classification, available at www.sailing.org.
9. All Skippers, Drivers, and crew shall meet the ISAF eligibility requirements of *J/109* Rules 2.2-2.4.
10. *J/109* Rule 6.2 shall apply. Crews will be required to weigh in at registration. Maximum crew weight, regardless of the number of crew members, shall not exceed 550 kilos (1213 pounds) in swimming apparel, excluding the driver.