



**Plymouth Yacht Club Junior Regatta  
Wednesday July 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008**



**Boat Compliance Checklist**

**All boats (club or private) must have the following:**

Life Jackets- Each competitor must wear a Personal Flotation Device (PFD) that is a USCG approved Type III device.

Whistle- Functional and attached to the competitor's PFD.

Bailer- A minimum of one bailer per vessel shall have a half gallon or more capacity and be secured to the vessel with a lanyard.

Painter- Painters will be a minimum of 24 feet long, buoyant, and 3/16" or greater diameter line.

Rudder- Rudder will be tied down.

**In addition all Optimists will have the following:**

Air Bags- Each optimist will have three buoyancy bags made of a strong fiber- reinforced material with non-return valves. Each bag must be properly inflated and secured to the boat.

Mast Tie-Down- There must be a line or a device secure enough to lift the boat by the mast without disengaging the mast from the mast step.

Daggerboard- The daggerboard will be securely attached to the boat with a lanyard.

Mainsheet Bridle- The mainsheet bridle shall be no looser than 4" from the boom at any point.