



Seattle Yacht Club

Established in 1892

Amendment #2 to 2020 Grand Prix Notice of Race – COVID Parameters

Our ability to host the 2020 Grand Prix is based on the latest state COVID guidelines and the current King County COVID activity level. While other recent regattas have proceeded using state regulations allowing '[Outdoor recreation involving five or fewer people outside your household](#)', Grand Prix is a big boat regatta primarily composed of racing crews larger than 5 competitors.

The interpretation of the '[Professional Sports & Other Sporting Activities COVID-19 Requirements](#)' released by Governor Jay Inslee on 10/6 allows larger crews, but only if the King County COVID activity level is determined to be MEDIUM or LOW.

The King County dashboard of key COVID indicators as of 10/14 list the rolling 14 day case ratio as 92 cases/100k residents. This puts the King County COVID activity level in the HIGH range, and specifically prohibits "intra-team competitions, and league games or competition."

We will make a final assessment of the King County COVID activity level on Wednesday evening, 10/21 in hopes that the 14-day COVID cases per 100K residents falls below 75, the threshold for MEDIUM activity level. If COVID activity level remains HIGH, we will be forced to cancel the regatta.

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