



# AYC SERC SPRING REGATTA

9 May 2015

Organizing Authority: Annapolis Yacht Club

Annapolis, Maryland, USA

Event Website: [www.annapolisyc.com/racing](http://www.annapolisyc.com/racing)

## NOTICE OF RACE

### 1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).

### 2 ADVERTISING

Boats will not be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

### 3 ELIGIBILITY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Herreshoff 12.5, Harbor 20, and Alerion 28 classes.

### 4 CLASSIFICATION

There will be no sailor classification requirements beyond those stated in applicable class rules.

### 5 FEES AND ENTRY

- 5.1 The entry fee is \$50.  
5.2 Boats wishing to enter shall register on line at [www.annapolisyc.com/racing](http://www.annapolisyc.com/racing) by Wednesday, 6 May 2015  
5.3 Registrations made after Wednesday, 6 May will be subject to a \$25 late fee.  
5.4 To be considered an entry, a boat must complete all requirements of registration.  
5.5 The fee includes racing and awards ceremony afterward at AYC.

### 6 SCHEDULE

- 6.1 The event schedule will be:

Date	Time	
Saturday 10 May	1030	Rendezvous ½ mile NE of Back Creek entrance
	1100	First warning signal for first race of the day
	1600	Awards at AYC

- 6.2 Three are scheduled.

### 7 MEASUREMENT AND INSPECTION

No pre-regatta measurements or inspections will be required.

### 8 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available on the event website and at the AYC Front Desk by 1700 Thursday 7 May 2015. They will also be available from the RC signal boat at the start.

### 9 VENUE

- 9.1 Attachment 1 shows the layout of the regatta venue.  
9.2 Attachment 2 shows the location of the racing area.

### 10 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be windward-leeward or triangular drop mark courses.

## **11 PENALTY SYSTEM**

- 11.1 Penalties while racing: RRS 44.1, One-Turn and Two-Turns Penalties will apply.
- 11.2 Penalties after racing: RRS/US Appendix T, Section B (Post-Race Penalties) and Section D (Arbitration) will apply.

## **12 SCORING**

- 12.1 RRS Appendix A4, Low Point System, will apply.
- 12.2 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 12.3 A boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

## **13 HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS**

There will be no restrictions on haul-out.

## **14 RADIO COMMUNICATION**

The race committee intends to make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on VHF radio. The specific channel will be stated in the sailing instructions.

## **15 PRIZES**

- 15.1 Prizes will be given as follows: 1<sup>st</sup> place, 2<sup>nd</sup> place, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place in each class.
- 15.2 Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organizing authority.

## **16 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 or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

## **17 INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of \$US 300,000 per event or the equivalent.

## **18 FURTHER INFORMATION**

- 18.1 Guest privileges can be established on registration.
- 18.2 For more information contact:
  - AYC Regatta Manager: Linda Ambrose, [lambrose@annapolisyc.org](mailto:lambrose@annapolisyc.org) , 410.858.4964
  - Special Events Race Chair: Bobby Frey, [bobbyfrey1@verizon.net](mailto:bobbyfrey1@verizon.net), 410.703.3291

## ATTACHMENT 1 - REGATTA VENUE



## ATTACHMENT 2 - RACE AREA

