

TRED AVON YACHT CLUB and the Eastern Shore Star Fleet Hosts the

INTERNATIONAL STAR CLASS

2016 Star Fall Wind-Up

Jack Streeton Memorial

October 1st & 2nd, 2016

Sailing Instructions

PRO Richard Lippincott

RULES

This regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing, as modified by these Sailing Instructions, and notices on the official bulletin board.

ENTRIES

Eligible entries in accordance with STCR 21 and 26.4 **Novice Skippers: please identify yourselves.**

NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices and changes to Sailing Instructions will be posted on the official bulletin board located in Club House lobby, no later than 0900 on the day it is to take effect. The decision to start in a race shall be made by each skipper, on his own responsibility.

SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

Signals made ashore will be displayed from the Club flag pole. If a postponement is signaled ashore, the warning signal will be made not less than 1 hour after AP is lowered.

Star course will be on VHF Channel 19a

SCHEDULE OF RACES

5 races are scheduled.

Saturday Warning 1055,

Sunday Warning 1025, no start after 1400

RACING AREA and MARKS

This is approximately south of the Choptank River Light unless signals are made ashore on the official notice board. The marks will be Orange Tetrahedrons and the Start Pin will be an Orange Cylinder and the Finish Pin a Orange Ball.

STARTING SIGNALS

The starts will use RRS Rule 26

START and FINISH LINES

The start and finish lines will be between the orange flag on the committee boat and the nearby orange mark.

A blue shape will be displayed when the committee boat is on station at the finish.

In case of a gun misfiring, the flag/pennant will govern.

TIME LIMITS

Courses and procedures will be in according to STCR 34.3.7. Format B shall apply.

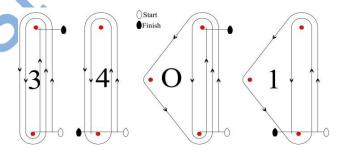
COURSES

The diagrams with identifying numbers shown below indicate types of courses to be sailed.

The identifying number will be displayed from the Committee Boat before or with the warning signal.

- 1- Triangle followed by windward, leeward and windward (Olympic) Finish upwind
- 2- Triangle followed by windward and leeward (Modified Gold Cup) Finish downwind
- 3- W/L/W/L/W Finish upwind
- 4- W/L/W/L Finish downwind

Offset weather mark may be set for either course 3 & 4 Course may be shortened and marks may be moved as required.



PROTESTS

A yacht desiring to protest must display a red flag and try to notify the other contestants involved. The protesting yacht shall notify the race committee boat at the finish line of that race and receive acknowledgment. A written protest must be filed with the Race Committee within one hour after the committee boat returns to the dock. Time of protest hearings will be posted on the official bulletin board.

SCORING

Scoring will use Appendix A, Low Point Scoring modified, so that if five (5) races are completed, the worst score will be excluded. One (1) race will constitute a series.

PRIZES

AB Streeton Trophy: Winning boat after Saturday racing. North Emory Bartlett Trophy: Winning boat for Sunday's races

<u>TAYC Fall Wind-Up</u>: 1st,2nd, 3rd Overall for the weekend. <u>Novice Skipper</u>, Best score among the Novice skippers. <u>Classic Boat</u>, The lowest hull number below 7300

Awards will be presented at the club house Sunday afternoon.