

MILES RIVER YACHT CLUB

2017 Dr. DAVID OURSLER Star Spring Regatta

NOTICE OF RACE May 6 & 7, 2017

1. RULES:

- The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- The rules of the International Star Class Yacht Racing Association (STCR) will apply.
- The amendment to STCR 31.2.6 (ISCYRA Resolution #4-2016) is in effect: Boats may carry VHF radios for purposes of safety and for receiving race committee communication, including notification of OCS boats.

2. ELIGIBILITY: All members in good standing with ISCYRA are eligible

3. ENTRIES:

- Participants are **REQUIRED** to register on [Regatta Network](#) by May 3, 2017. If you need assistance registering please contact Tim Paris – timparis@webtechllc.com or 703 856-6740.
- Regatta Network: <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/14510>

4. REGISTRATION FEE: \$60.00

5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

	SATURDAY 5/6/2017	SUNDAY 5/7/2017
Check In	8:30 – 9:15 am	
Skippers' Meeting	9:15 am	
1 st Warning Signal	10:30 am	10:00 am
PM Warning Signal	N/A	No Start after 2:00 pm
Trophy Awards		Approx. 3:00 pm

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS: Sailing Instructions will be provided at Registration. They may be posted at www.milesriveryc.org when available.

7. RACING AREA: The race area will be Eastern Bay. If conditions dictate otherwise, racing may be held in the Miles River.

Race area changes may be made at the Skipper's meeting.

8. SCORING: The low point scoring system of Appendix A (RRS) will apply. One completed race constitutes a series. Each boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores unless (4) four or more races are completed and then she may exclude her worst score.

9. TROPHIES: Trophies will be awarded to the first, second, and third finishers plus a Novice trophy. The winner is awarded the Dr. DAVID OURSLER MEMORIAL TROPHY. The Awards ceremony is scheduled at 3:00 pm on Sunday following the racing.

10. LAUNCHING AND BERTHING: Lift launching and dry storage are available. Washing/cleaning of boats must only be done in the Club field.

11. SOCIAL:

- **BREAKFAST:** A continental breakfast will be served Saturday & Sunday and is included in the registration fee.
- **DINNER:** The Mid-Eastern Shore Star Fleet is hosting a happy hour at Isabel's bar after racing on Saturday, approx. 5:00 pm.

In addition, Regular Club Menu Dinner service will be available from 5:30 to 9:00 pm on Friday and Saturday night. Competitors are requested to make their own reservations and all are encouraged to attend.

12. HOUSING: If you need housing please contact Tim Paris, timparis@webtechllc.com. Talbot County does not allow overnight camping on MRYC grounds.

13. OTHER INFORMATION: For more information contact Norval Thompson, Sail Committee Chair at ne.thompson47@gmail.com

14. DISCLAIMER:

- Competitors participate in this regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race.
- The Organizing Authority shall require each competitor to sign a waiver for loss, damage or injury to persons or property occurring in conjunction with the regatta or on the property of Miles River Yacht Club.
- The Organizing Authority, their members, employees, officers and/or agents shall not be responsible for any loss, damage or injury that may occur to person or property whether ashore or at sea as a consequence of the participation of any boat.