

**MANDEVILLE RACE  
MAY 20 & 21, 2017  
Southern Yacht Club  
Lake Pontchartrain**

**NOTICE TO SKIPPERS**

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VIA EMAIL on 05/18/17

Greetings Mandeville competitors!

This email will serve as our "virtual skippers briefing". The Sailing Instructions have been posted on the event web site, here: <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/14646>. Please print the SIs and forward them to your crew.

The forecast looks like great sailing on Saturday, but a bit changeable on Sunday afternoon. We do not anticipate a postponement.

A few important points about the race:

1. The RC boats will be PATROL II or SCAT 6 on the Southshore and PontYC's SEA SHEPHERD II on the Northshore.
2. PFDs are required to be worn by each crew member at the start under penalty of protest by the RC.
3. There will not be a visible starting clock, so synchronize your watches with GPS time.
4. Note that RRS Part 2 penalties will be TWO-TURNS ("720") per RRS 44.1. RRS Appendix V2 Post-Race Penalty will apply once ashore.
5. PLEASE notify the RC as soon as possible if you drop out of the race. The PRO's cell phones are in the SIs.
6. Boats docking at the bulkhead across the street from PontYC must get a MOORING STICKER from the YC bar.

PontYC will offer a jambalaya dinner (\$10) on Sat evening and an excellent brunch (\$12) on Sunday morning. Please support their gracious efforts.

Thanks for entering the 2017 Mandeville Race! I'll see you on the water.

Fair winds,  
Kett Cummins, Regatta Chair