



2019 Around The Point Race

Davis Island Yacht Club Boat of the Year Event

Davis Island Yacht Club, Tampa, Florida

February 2nd, 2019

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NOTICE OF RACE

Now in its 3rd year, the ATP Race loosely follows our DIYC series formula of starting and finishing at DIYC. The unique element of this race is that it finishes on the "other" side of our peninsula at **Westshore Yacht Club**. Although not a Council club, West Shore offers beautiful dockage and amenities with a deep water approach. Just minutes away from South Tampa, after the poolside/dockside awards celebration and party, sailors have the choice of heading home or staying on the boat for the night.

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*, including Appendix V2 (post-race penalty).
- 1.2 US Sailing prescriptions to RRS 63.2 and 63.4 will not apply.

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats with a valid WFPHRF certificate, or a temporary rating assigned by the DIYC Club Measurer.
- 2.2 Expected classes are Spinnaker, Racer-Cruiser, Non-Spinnaker, Cruising, and Multihull.
- 2.3 Classes may be divided based on the number of entries.
- 2.4 Boats in classes with fewer than 4 entries will be placed in the appropriate WFPHRF Class/Division.
- 2.5 Under West Florida PHRF rules, this is a Category 4 event.
- 2.6 Cruising spinnakers are permitted for the Cruising Class. All Cruising Class boats intending to use a cruising spinnaker must declare so either by email to fleetcaptain@diyc.org or by informing the registration desk staff during registration hours.
- 2.7 Boats may enter on-line at the Racing/Regattas page at www.diyc.org.

3 FEES

All boats: \$50.00 plus tax.

4 SCHEDULE

1130-1200	Registration and check-in
1200	Competitors meeting
1300	Warning signal
~1700	Awards ceremony

Make-up date for this event may be Sunday, February 3rd – details TBD

If enough boats stay overnight, an informal return race will start Sunday morning in the vicinity of the range marker at the mouth of the channel - for those returning to DIYC.

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions may be available on the DIYC website, and at registration.

6 VENUE AND COURSE

- 6.1 The racing area will be Hillsborough Bay, Tampa Bay, and Old Tampa Bay.
- 6.2 One point-to-point race is scheduled, starting near DIYC and finishing near West Shore Yacht Club near the East end of the Gandy Bridge.

7 PENALTY SYSTEM

- 7.1 All classes will use the Scoring Penalty of RRS 44.3.
- 7.2 The 30% Penalty Taken After a Race of RRS V2 will apply.

8 SCORING

All classes will be scored TOD using West Florida PHRF RLC ratings.

9 PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded based on entries received by January 28th. Prizes will be awarded in each Division for first place, if 1-3 boats; top two, if 4-5 boats; top three, if 6 or more boats.

10 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or injury to any competitor, including death, sustained as a result of participation in this event. By participating in this event, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

DOCKAGE

For dockage at DIYC before or after the event, please contact DIYC Dockmaster Bob Griffin at dockmaster@diyc.org or 813-928-2940 for slip reservations.

Westshore Yacht Club floating dock is complimentary. If you prefer a slip overnight, please contact the dockmaster, Kyle Lewis.

Email kyle.lewis@lennar.com or 813-955-1804 for reservations.

<https://www.facebook.com/Westshore-Yacht-Club-Marina-101178763310046/>

Dockage at Westshore includes access to Bay Club (indoor) Dining Room, and (outdoor) Tiki Bar.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact

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