



**PHRF Fall Series  
September 28 & 29, 2019  
Tred Avon Yacht Club  
Oxford, MD**

**NOTICE OF RACE**

**As amended September 11, 2019  
To incorporate the changes of Amendment #1**

**1 RULES**

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing, 2017 – 2020 (RRS)*.
- 1.2 The Nearshore Category of the US Sailing Safety Equipment Requirements will apply.

**2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats with a valid 2019 PHRF of the Chesapeake rating, the rating certificate to be on board.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may register by going to the TAYC website ([www.tayc.com/racing](http://www.tayc.com/racing)) and completing the entry form for the event. Entry forms must be received no later than 1600 on Friday, September 27.

**3 FEES**

- 3.1 The entry fee is \$60 for USSA or CBYRA members, \$65 for all others, to be received no later than 1600 on Friday, September 27.
- 3.2 An early registration discounted fee of \$35 for USSA or CBYRA members and \$40 for all others is available for registrations received by 1600 on Monday, September 23.

**4 SCHEDULE**

- 4.1 PHRF A, B and C will race as one class. PHRF N will race as a second class.
- 4.1 The intent is to sail two races on Saturday and one on Sunday. Club starts and finishes.
- 4.2 Saturday, 0915 – Competitors Meeting in TAYC clubhouse
- 4.3 Saturday, 0955 – warning gun for first class. Second race to follow as soon as possible.
- 4.4 Sunday, 1055 – warning gun for first class

**5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

- 5.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available on the event website by 1600 on Friday, September 27.

## **6 THE VENUE**

6.1 Tred Avon and Choptank Rivers using CBYRA Region 3 Choptank Area Standard Racing Marks.

## **7 TIME LIMIT**

7.1 3 hours for the first boat in each class on Saturday and 4 hours for the first boat in each class on Sunday.

## **8 SCORING**

8.1 Corrected times will be calculated using PHRF time-on-distance circular random ratings.

## **9 RADIO COMMUNICATION**

9.1 Boats should monitor VHF channel 68 for courtesy broadcasts from the RC.

## **10 PRIZES**

10.1 Prizes will be given for spinnaker and non-spinnaker classes as follows: 1 if 3 finishers, 2 if 5 finishers, 3 if 7 or more finishers.

10.2 Prizes will be presented at the clubhouse following the final race on September 29. Results will be posted at [www.tayc.com/racing](http://www.tayc.com/racing).

## **11 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

11.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 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.

## **12 INSURANCE**

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

## **13 FURTHER INFORMATION**

13.1 For further information contact Vicky Van Loo: 410-226-5269 or [manager@tayc.com](mailto:manager@tayc.com).

13.2 Pets: With the exception of service animals, TAYC does not allow dogs or other pets in the clubhouse or on the club's grounds at any time.