

NOTICE OF RACE  
27th Annual Sail Oswego Labatt Blue Regatta  
July 25-26 2014  
Hosted by the Oswego Yacht Club, Oswego, NY

RULES

- The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing for 2013-2016 and the rules of PHRF LO.

ENTRY INFORMATION

- Entries will be divided into PHRF Flying Sails (FS), PHRF Non Flying Sails (NFS) and One Design divisions.
- Five (5) entries are required to constitute a division. This requirement may be waived by the PRO.
- To enter a boat must have a current PHRF-LO Rating Certificate or be a boat eligible to receive one. When one is not available, a handicap will be assigned for a fee of \$25.

REGISTRATION and FEES

- Eligible boats may enter by registering online at [www.oswegoyachtclub.org/sailoswego](http://www.oswegoyachtclub.org/sailoswego). Registration may be completed online by completing the registration form and paying the appropriate fee or by printing the completed registration form and mailing it with a check or money order to Sail Oswego Regatta, Oswego Yacht Club, PO Box 13, Oswego, NY 13126
- The registration fee is \$120 US (includes 2 social tickets, 2 t-shirts, 4 breakfasts and rum party tickets) for registrations completed by 2400 July 15, 2014. Registrations submitted by mail or personal delivery must be received by the organizing committee no later than the close of business on July 15, 2014 to be eligible for the reduced registration fee.
- The registration fee for registrations completed or received after 2400 July 15 2014 will be \$130 US. A completed registration consists of a completed registration form and payment of all fees.
- Registrations will be accepted at check-in.

DOCKING/GIN POLE SERVICE

- Docking for registered boats will be available at the OYC dock.
- Gin Pole Service will be available for an additional fee for boats arriving via water by making an appointment with the Regatta Chairs. Service will be available on Thursday and Sunday.
- Gin Pole Service for dry-sailed boat will be available at OYC.

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- Sailing instructions will be available at the Oswego Yacht Club during check-in.
- A competitors' meeting will be held at 0830 at the Oswego Yacht Club on Friday July 25, 2014.
- The warning signal for the first race of the Regatta will be made at 1000 hours on Friday July 25, 2014.
- Courses shall be windward-leeward with the number of legs to be determined by the PRO.
- A maximum of 7 races are scheduled. One race constitutes a series. Scoring will be in accordance with Appendix A of the RRS and the PHRF LO handicapping system and Time on Time scoring method. No race will be excluded. This changes RRS A2 and A4.

PRIZES

- Prizes will be awarded to the first three places in each Division, best OYC boat and the PHRF FS Fleet overall winner.
- Competition for Fleet Overall and Downing Memorial Trophy (best OYC boat) is open to boats in One Design and spinnaker divisions and will be scored as if all eligible boats were sailing in a single division for each race.

VHF RADIO

- The race committee may make on the water hails and announcements using VHF radio ch. 6.

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- All competitors will sign a Disclaimer of Liability stating that they participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. 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.

INSURANCE

- Each participating boat must provide proof of being insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of \$300,000 per incident or the equivalent.

FURTHER INFORMATION

- Additional information is valuable at [www.oswegoyachtclub.org](http://www.oswegoyachtclub.org) or contact regatta chairs John Gary (315) 591-5078, [jtgary85@gmail.com](mailto:jtgary85@gmail.com) or Dan Mather (315 ) 592-8521 [dansailj30@gmail.com](mailto:dansailj30@gmail.com)