# Fayerweather Yacht Club's Distance Race

## **Around Stratford Shoal's**

NOTICE OF RACE
Saturday July 25, 2015.

## Start Time 1900

#### 1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016*, the current PHRF Regulations as administered by the YRA of LIS.
- 1.2 Boats shall observe the Minimum Equipment Recommendations of YRA of LIS, Race Category B.
- 1.3 Each boat shall carry a radio capable of transmitting and receiving on VHF channel 68 and comply with US Coast guard color regulations for Sailing Vessels at night.
- 1.4 At sunset all participants are required wear personal floatation devices when on deck. **2 ENTRIES** 
  - 2.1 Eligible boats must enter online http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/9429
- 2.2 All entries must indicate on the race form the division intending to racein, Spinnaker, Non-Spinnaker or Double-Handed. All entries must be received no laterthan July 25 2015
- 2.3 The Entry Fee is \$20.00
- 2.4 At the discretion of the race committee, divisions may be subdivided into classes.
- 2.5 The Non-spinnaker division is open to all boats that comply to the rules.
- 2.6 All entries must be accompanied by a PHRF certificate if no cert one will be assigned by the organizing athourity. PHRF certificates from other areas will be adjusted to conform to the YRA of LIS ratings.
- 2.7 Scratch sheets listing the boats by their divisions and class will be available on line or before the starting sequence from one of the committee boats.
  - 2.8 All entries shall be made online at http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/9429

#### **3 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Sailing Instructions will be available on the Fayerweather Yacht Club website.

#### **4 START AND FINISH**

- 4.1 The first warning is scheduled for 1855 on Saturday July 25 2015
- 4.2 The starting line will be located approximately between Black Rock harbor FL,R "2A" and Little Cow's Green LC

4.3 The finish will be at Fayerweather Yacht Club Docks between a white flag from the deck and an orange tetrohedan

#### **5 COURSE**

- 5.1 Spinnaker Course. From the start to and around RW NH Morse code A New Haven to and around RW PJ Morse code A Port Jefferson to the finish at Black Rock Harbor keeping Stratford Shoal to Starboard approx. 46 nautical miles.
- 5.2Non-Spinnaker Course. From the start to and around RW NH Morse code A to and around Stratford Shoal Light to finish at Black Rock Harbor approx. 35 nautical miles.

#### 6 SCORING

6.1 For PHRF time allowances will be computed using time on distance.

#### **7 TIME LIMIT**

The time limit for all classes will be 0900, Sunday, July 24. Boats that have not finished by that time will be scored DNF. Boats withdrawing from the race shall notify the race committee by VHF on channel 68

#### 8 PRIZES

- 8.1 Perpetual prizes will be awarded for the first boats to cross the finish line in Spinnaker and Non-Spinnaker. Also First, Second and third on corrected time in each division.
- 8.2 Prizes will be awarded at Fayerweather Yacht Club at the annual awards Party on November 7, 2015.

#### 9 GUEST MOORINGS AND PRIVILEGES

9.1 Guest moorings will be available on a first come basis at no charge. Please contact the Waterfront Director at the Fayerweather Yacht Club for reservations at 203-576-6796 9.2 The privileges of the Club will be extended to owners and crews of competing boats.

### 10 CONDUCT AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- As a condition of participating, the skipper/owner shall be responsible for all actions of his or her crew or guests. skipper/owner will be held responsible and his/her boat shall be subject to protest and disqualification.
- The Fayerweather Yacht Club is not responsible and will not accept any liability for bodily injury, death or property damage suffered from any cause.
- Skipper and crew have read RRS 4, Decision to Race, and hereby acknowledge and agree that we are participating in this event, including all shore sideand social activities, entirely at our own risk.