

CYC Monroe Skyline Series Chicago Yacht Club May 20 - September 09, 2015 Monroe Harbor, Chicago, IL

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The races will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 Appendices T1 and T2 will apply.
- 1.3 The LMPHRF Rating System will apply to all boats.
- 1.4 Cruising Section boats may set one spinnaker which shall be asymmetrical, tacked to the stem or bowsprit, and shall have a TPS measurement not exceeding 125% of J.

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The races are open to monohull and multi-hull boats with auxiliary motors.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter one of five sections: Jib and Main, Cruising, Spinnaker 1, Spinnaker 2 and Multi-hull.
- 2.3 Eligible boats may enter by submitting a completed Monroe Skyline Series Event Registration, together with any required fee, to the series contact prior to the first race in which the boat will sail. Entries will be accepted at the event website at www.chicagoyachtclub.org/offshoreracing.

3 FEES

The entry fee for the entire season will be \$50 for CYC members and \$60 for non-members.

4 SCHEDULE

- 4.1 Races are scheduled every Wednesday from May 20 through September 9, except for July 8 and July 15. Races on June 10 and August 5 will be pursuit races governed by a separate set of sailing instructions with individually assigned dockside starting times.
- 4.2 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race of the traditional section start races is 1855. The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first boat to depart in the two dockside pursuit races will also be 1855.

5 RATING ASSIGNMENTS

While valid LMPHRF certificates are encouraged, a three person subcommittee of the Offshore Committee will assign ratings to boats without certificates.

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available two weeks prior to racing on the Chicago Yacht Club website. Entrants should take special note of the two applicable sets of sailing instructions for the different race formats in this series.

7 VENUE

The races will be held in the open waters of Lake Michigan east of the outer breakwater of Monroe Harbor. The two scheduled pursuit races will start and finish at the docks of CYC Monroe Harbor Station.

8 POST-RACE BERTHING

Post race berthing by participants at the docks of CYC Monroe Harbor Station is available until 2330 after racing.

9 PRIZES

Prizes will be given at the discretion of the organizing authority. The CYC Monroe Bell Trophy will be awarded to the overall winner of the series.

10 SERIES CONTACT

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