

54th Annual Hammond Memorial Race

Notice of Race/GSI Amendment



TRED AVON YACHT CLUB

Sunday 13 September 2015

Sanction #: 356

Entry Due: Thursday 3 September 2015 (by 1600). **Entry Fee:** USSA & CBYRA Members: \$45

Others: \$50

Online Entry: Available at TAYC web site: <http://tayc.com/racing>

Late Fee: \$25

Mail To: TAYC Race Committee
P.O. Box 337
Oxford, MD 21654

Contact: Vicky Van Loo: 410.226.5269; email: manager@tayc.com.

Eligibility: All entries must have a valid 2015 PHRF of the Chesapeake rating. PHRF category 4P requirements must be met.

Rendezvous: Boats must check in prior to their Warning between the boat flying "L" flag and Mark "N" (R"2"). Boats failing to check in shall receive 20% penalty calculated per rule 44.3(c) without a hearing.

Radio: Boats should monitor VHF 71 for courtesy communications from the Race Committee.

Start: Between orange flag on Race Committee boat, 0.4 nm. S of Mark "N" (R"2") off Tred Avon Yacht Club, and orange club mark. A yacht in the starting area other than at her authorized time can expect to be protested by the Race Committee.

Signals: RRS 26 (Starting Races):

COURSE 1			COURSE 2 (cont'd)		
CLASS	TIME	SIGNAL	CLASS	TIME	SIGNAL
	0830	Warning	PHRF B	0905	Start
Alberg 30	0835	Start	Multihull A	0910	Start
PHRF N	0840	Start	Beech Cat	0915	Start
Multihull B	0845	Start	PHRF A2	0920	Start
COURSE 2			J/35	0925	Start
J/30	0850	Start	PHRF A1	0930	Start
PHRF C	0855	Start	PHRF A0	0935	Start
J/105	0900	Start			

Course: Course 1: Round Region 3 Choptank Area Marks "H" (R"14") and Choptank Area Mark "A" (G"13") to starboard; pass Mark "D" (R"10") to port, and round G"7" (off Black Walnut Point) to starboard, and then to finish (18.4 nautical miles).

Course 2: Round Region 3 Choptank Area Marks "H" (R"14") and Choptank Area Mark "A" (G"13") to starboard; orange club mark at approximately N 38° 40.7' W 76° 14.8' to port; pass Mark "D" (R"10") to port, and round G"7" (off Black Walnut Point) to starboard, and then to finish (20.1 nautical miles).

Finish: Between orange flag on Race Committee boat and Region 3 Annapolis Area Mark "R" (R"84" FI R4s) off Poplar Island.

Time Limit: 8 hours and/or boats must finish within 1 hour of the first boat in class that finishes.

Protests: Verbally notify Race Committee boat at finish. Written protests must be received at the above address by 1600 on Thursday 17 September 2015. Heard at Tred Avon Yacht Club at 1300 on Friday 18 September 2015..

Awards: 1st/3, 2nd/5 & 3rd/7+ finishers. Trophies will be shipped. This race is part of the PHRF Northern Bay Championship series.

Social: Skippers, crew and guests are invited by TAYC to the Hammond Memorial Party for an a la carte dinner and cash bar Saturday afternoon and evening, and dance band 2000-2400. Breakfast and Hammond Punch will be available on Sunday morning. Tender service will be available from 1300 Saturday until 0130 Sunday, and 0630-1030 Sunday. Bringing alcoholic beverages to and from club premises is unlawful.