

2016 Huntington Bay Championship



122nd HYC Huntington Day Race & 50th LHYC Lloyd's Trophy Race

Saturday, June 4, 2016 Registration Deadline June 2

NOTICE OF RACE

1. MANAGEMENT

1.1. Huntington Yacht Club is the Organizing Authority for the Huntington Day Race. Lloyd Harbor Yacht Club is the Organizing Authority for the Lloyd's Trophy.

2. RULES

- **2.1.** The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in:
 - **2.1.1.** The *Racing Rules of Sailing*, the current PHRF regulations as administered by YRA of Long Island Sound (YRALIS) including non-spinnaker regulations, crew weight limitations, and the current Minimum Equipment and Safety Recommendations of YRALIS, Category C.
 - **2.1.2.** The following racing rules will be changed; RRS 28.2 (to honor certain government marks), 33 (indication of change of course), 44.1 (two turns penalty), 61.1(a) (informing protestee), 62.1a (redress for RC hail for OCS), 35, A4, A5 (scoring DNS, DNF). The changes will appear in full in the sailing instructions. The sailing instructions may also change other racing rules.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- **3.1.** The regatta is open to boats of PHRF and One-Design classes. Eligible boats can enter and electronically pay the entry fee using the Lloyd Harbor Yacht Club's online registration at www.lhyc.org, following the link to the Race Information page. The final deadline for entries is 1800 hrs, June 2, 2016.
- **3.2.** If fewer than four entries are received for any one-design class, they will be entered in an appropriate PHRF class unless they wish to withdraw their entry.
- **3.3.** Entrants must possess a valid YRALIS PHRF certificate, a valid one-design certificate, or receive a waiver and LHYC handicap rating from the LHYC Measurer.
- **3.4.** No boat shall make any change during the regatta which would affect its rating.

4. FEES

- **4.1.** The early registration fee of \$75 is available to boats registering and paying through May 29th.
- **4.2.** For entries received after May 29th the full entry fee of \$90 is required.
- **4.3.** US Sailing members receive an additional \$5 discount.
- **4.4.** Fees should be paid be paid online during registration, but may be paid by check if necessary, made out to the Lloyd Harbor YC, P.O. Box 60, Huntington, NY 11743. Please contact the LHYC Fleet Captain prior to the race if you are planning on paying by check. Unpaid entrants will not be scored.

5. SCHEDULE OF RACES

- **5.1.** Racing is scheduled for June 4, 2016.
- **5.2.** The scheduled time for the first warning signal is 1100 hrs.
- **5.3.** Two races will be held conditions permitting. The Huntington Day Race will be first, followed immediately by the Lloyds Trophy Race.
- **5.4.** No warning signal will be made after 1500 hrs.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

6.1. The sailing instructions will be available on the LHYC club web site by May 28 at 1800 hrs. Scratch Sheets will be available on the web site no later than 1800 hrs, June 3, 2016.

7. VENUE

7.1. The venue is Huntington Bay and Long Island Sound outside Huntington Bay, Long Island, NY. The starting area will be, in the vicinity North of Bell "8", but no further than one mile north of Nun "6" off Lloyd Neck.

8. COURSES

- **8.1.** The course for all classes will be indicated by the race committee and be comprised of a combination of government and/or temporary marks.
- **8.2.** The intention is to favor windward-leeward courses for PHRF and one-design, and navigation courses for JAM.

9. PENALTY SYSTEM

9.1. The first two sentences of Rule 44.1 are changed to: "A boat may take a One-Turn Penalty when it may have broken a rule of Part 2 or rule 31 while racing. However, when she may have broken a rule of Part 2 while in the zone around a mark other than a starting mark, her penalty shall be a Two-Turns Penalty.".

10. SCORING

- **10.1.** Time allowances will be as per YRALIS PHRF procedures using time on distance and will be based on the course distance as calculated by the RC, regardless of the distance sailed.
- **10.2.** "Best Overall Performance" shall be determined at the discretion of the regatta committee.

11. RADIO COMMUNICATION

- 11.1. Each boat shall carry a VHF radio capable of transmitting and receiving on channel 72.
- **11.2.** Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

12. PRIZES

- **12.1.** Prizes will be awarded as follows for each class: First if 3 or more competitors, Second if 5 or more, Third if 7 or more, Fourth if 11 or more.
- **12.2.** The F. Rogers Ketcham Trophy will be awarded to the Huntington YC boat, 30 feet LOA or over, having the best corrected time in the PHRF classes, competing in the Huntington Day Race.
- **12.3.** The R. Finesmith Trophy will be awarded to the Huntington YC boat having the best corrected time in the Club Class (i.e., Jib and Main) for the Huntington Day Race.
- **12.4.** The Lloyd's Trophy will be awarded to the best PHRF spinnaker fleet boat with the lowest corrected time in the Lloyd's Trophy Race (one year retention).

- **12.5.** The Huntington Bay Championship Trophy will be awarded to the best performing boat in both the Huntington Day Race and the Lloyd's Trophy Race as determined by the regatta committee.
- **12.6.** Qualifying race for the Schuster Trophy awarded to the best overall Lloyd Harbor Yacht Club boat in the combined Lloyd's Trophy, Stratford Shoal Race and Katrina Cup using Cox-Sprague scoring based upon fleet placement.
- **12.7.** Each race is a qualifying race for the North Sail's Huntington Bay Boat of the Year Trophy. Participation earns one point per race.
- **12.8.** Participation in the Huntington Bay Championship is a qualifier for the North Sails Charity Cup.
- **12.9.** Lloyd Harbor Yacht Club prizes will be awarded at the LHYC annual awards dinner in November.

13. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

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

14. INSURANCE

14.1. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.

15. POST-RACE RECEPTION

15.1. Competitors and their guests are invited to gather for a celebration at Huntington Yacht Club in Huntington, NY, Saturday evening June 4th after racing, for a BBQ: A \$20.00 fee per attendee is payable at the door. www.huntingtonyachtclub.com

16. Other

- **16.1.** Event proceeds are designated to benefit the Huntington Lighthouse Preservation Society.
- **16.2.** Limited guest moorings will be available to boats entered in the series on a first come first served basis at Huntington Yacht Club. Dry sail storage, hoist and launching ramp access may be available upon request. For moorings, please contact the Dock Master at 631-427-4961 x 108 to make arrangements.

17. Contacts:

- 17.1. Fleet Captain: Art Kelley, 56 Morahapa Rd, Centerport, NY 11721, fleetcapt@lhyc.org, 631-292-1451
- 17.2. Protest Committee Chair: Mike Sterflinger, 220 Taylor St, Centerport NY 11721, protest@lhyc.org
- 17.3. Measurer: Bob Kendrick, measurer@lhyc.org

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