



# Lloyd Harbor Yacht Club

## Sunset Series

Aug. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, Sept. 7

Entry Deadline August 2

## NOTICE OF RACE

### 1. MANAGEMENT

- 1.1. The Lloyd Harbor Yacht Club is the Organizing Authority for this event.

### 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, and the current Minimum Equipment and Safety Recommendations of YRALIS, Category C.
  - 2.1.2. YRA of LIS PHRF weight limitations will not apply for this series, nor will credits or penalties for crew weight be applied to the boat's base ratings.
  - 2.1.3. The following racing rules will be changed; RRS 33 (indication of change of course), 44.1 (two turns penalty), 61.1(a) (informing protestee), 62.1a (redress for RC hail for OCS), A2 (races to be dropped from score), 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](http://www.lhyc.org), following the link to the Race Information page. The final deadline for entries is 1800 hrs, August 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 for LHYC members, \$90 for non-members, is available to boats registering and paying through July 31<sup>st</sup>.
- 4.2. For entries received after July 31<sup>st</sup> the full entry fee of \$95 for LHYC members and \$110 for non-members is required.
- 4.3. US Sailing members receive an additional \$5 discount.
- 4.4. Fees should 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 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 the 6 consecutive Wednesdays of Aug. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, Sept. 7.
- 5.2. The scheduled time for the first warning signal is 1900 hrs.

## 6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 6.1. Sailing instructions will be available on the club web site by July 27 at 1800 hrs. Scratch Sheets will be available on the web site no later than 0800 hrs, August 3, 2016.

## 7. VENUE

- 7.1. The venue is Huntington Bay. The starting area will be in Huntington Bay but no further north than Nun "6" off Lloyd Neck.

## 8. COURSES

- 8.1. The course for all classes will be indicated by the race committee and be windward/leeward using drop marks and Bell "8" (Target Rock) when appropriate. Each leg will be approximately 1 mile.

## 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-Time.
- 10.2. Six races are scheduled; however, two races will constitute a series.
- 10.3. A boat's series score will exclude her worst race score if four or more races are completed. This changes RRS A2.

## 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 registrants, Second if 5 or more, Third if 7 or more and Fourth if 11 or more.
- 12.2. The Sunset Trophy will be awarded to the overall best performing PHRF yacht as determined by the Regatta Committee.
- 12.3. This is a qualifying race for the North Sail's Huntington Bay Boat of the Year Trophy. Participation earns two points.

## 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. When possible, a post-race gathering will be held at one of the three local clubs, or at local restaurant or bar. Please watch your email, and listen to VHF channel 72 prior to the start for details.

## 16. Contacts:

16.1. Fleet Captain: Art Kelley, 56 Morahapa Rd, Centerport, NY 11721, [fleetcapt@lhyc.org](mailto:fleetcapt@lhyc.org) 631-292-1451

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