



# **John Paul Jones Destination Regatta June 16-17, 2017**

*Kittery Point Yacht Club in conjunction with Sandy Bay Yacht Club  
and Piscataqua Sailing Association*

## **NOTICE OF RACE**

### **1 RULES**

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) US Sailing 2017-2020.
- 1.2 PHRF-NE 2017 rating certificate will be required for each yacht.

### **2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the PHRF-NE Racing and Cruising classes.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the on-line registration from by clicking on or going to the following link [www.regattanetwork.com/event/13806](http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/13806).

### **3 FEES**

- 3.1 Required fees are as follows:  
*Entry Fee: \$40.00 per yacht* – Fee includes awards dinner ticket for the skipper
- 3.2 Other fees:  
Awards Dinner: \$10.00

### **4 SCHEDULE**

- 4.1 Skippers Meeting & Registration:  
Thursday, June 15, 2017  
From: 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm

- 4.2 Dates of racing:  
06/16/2017 Kittery Point to Rockport – Pre Event Race  
06/17/2017 Rockport to Kittery Point – Main Event

- 4.3 Number of races: 2

## 5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at the skippers meeting and on line prior to the scheduled first race.

## 6 VENUE

- 6.1 Attachment A shows the location of the regatta harbour.

- 6.2 Attachment B shows the location of the racing areas.

## 7 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be as follows:

Navigation able waters between Pepperell Cove, Kittery Point, ME and Sandy Bay, Rockport, MA using government marks. Course requirements will be disclosed at the pre race skippers meeting along with the sailing instruction.

## 8 PENALTY SYSTEM

- 8.1 For all classes rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

## 9 SCORING

- 9.1 The scoring system is as follows: Time on Time.

## 10 RADIO COMMUNICATION

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. The Race Committee and chase boats will be using and monitoring VHF Channel 68.

## 11 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows:

**Pre-Race - Kittery Point to Rockport:** 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, & 3<sup>rd</sup> place trophies in PHRF Racing, Open and Cruising Fleets.

**Main Event - John Paul Jones Race:** 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, & 3<sup>rd</sup> place trophies in PHRF Racing, Open and Cruising Fleets – Winners of each class will have yacht name and skippers name engraved on the Perpetual Trophy that is housed at Kittery Point Yacht Club.

**12       DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

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

**13       INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$300,000.00 per incident or the equivalent.

**14       FURTHER INFORMATION**

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