

SANCTION 101 EVENT SAILING INSTRUCTIONS FOR JUNE 10, 2017

1. RULES

- 1.1 This regatta shall be governed by the International Sailing Federation Racing Rules of Sailing for 2017-2020 as adopted by US Sailing and CBYRA, the 2017 Green Book General Sailing Instructions, the notice of regatta, class rules and these Event Sailing Instructions.

2. NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

- 2.1 Notices to competitors will be posted on the NERYC Sail Race Notice Board located at the base of the stairs on the dock, and posted on the NERYC website (www.neryc.com).

3. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 3.1 Any change to the schedule of races will be posted on the official notice board and the NERYC website (www.neryc.com) no later than 48 hours prior to the first anticipated warning signal.

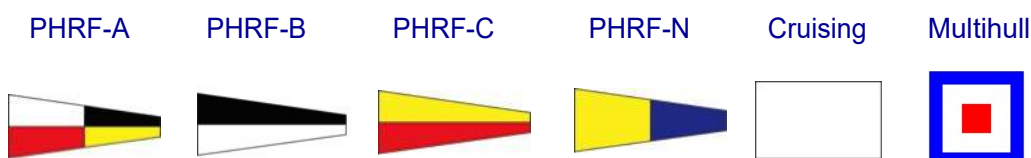
4. CLASS FLAGS AND FLEETS

- 4.1 The Fleet splits will be as follows:

- 4.1.1 PHRF - A - All spinnaker boats with a current, valid PHRF Chesapeake rating up to and including 109.
- 4.1.2 PHRF - B - All spinnaker boats with a current, valid PHRF Chesapeake rating between and including 110 and 145.
- 4.1.3 PHRF - C - All spinnaker boats with a current, valid PHRF Chesapeake rating 146 and above.
- 4.1.4 PHRF -N - All non-spinnaker boats with a current, valid PHRF Chesapeake rating (all ratings).
- 4.1.5 Cruising
- 4.1.6 Multihull

- 4.2 For all non-spin classes, only one (1) headsail may be used at a time while racing, except for cutter rigs flying headsails in the normal configuration.

4.3 CLASS FLAGS



5. COURSES

- 5.1 Government marks based on Region 1 Standard Racing Marks and race buoy drop-marks may be used. Marks will be designated by letters and numbers on the Race Committee Boat. Class Flag representations will be used to identify courses. The class flag(s) will be followed by the course mark designations reading from left to right.

6. CHECK IN

- 6.1 Before the first warning signal of the first race, each boat shall pass by and be acknowledged by the check-in-boat displaying a yellow flag in the vicinity of the rendezvous area.
- 6.2 Rendezvous will be at 11:00 at Region 1 Mark B (RG "A") near Turkey Point.

7. THE START

- 7.1 Races will be started under RRS 26 with the first warning anticipated at 11:25. The warning signal for each succeeding class shall be made with the starting signal of the preceding class.
- 7.2 All boats must start within 30 minutes of their starting time

<u>CLASS</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>SIGNAL</u>
	11:25	Warning
PHRF-A, PHRF-B	11:30	Start
PHRF-C, PHRF-N	11:35	Start
Cruising	11:40	Start
Multihull	11:45	Start

8. STARTING LINE

- 8.1 The starting line will be between the staff or halyard containing an orange flag on the race committee boat and the course side of the designated starting mark. The starting mark may be a government mark or a temporary drop mark set by the RC. The temporary mark automatically becomes mark "Y" and may be used as a course mark.

9. THE FINISH

- 9.1 The finishing line will be between the staff or halyard containing an orange flag on a race committee boat and the course side of the last posted mark, unless the course is shortened.
- 9.2 All boats in a class must finish within 4 hours and 30 minutes.

10. SCORING

- 10.1 1st, 2nd and 3rd will be awarded for each class scored separately. Awards presentation will take place at the race party at NERYC following the race.

11. PROTEST TIME LIMIT

- 11.1 Written protests must be submitted to the Race Committee within one hour of the Race Committee returning to the NERYC dock. The protest time limit will be displayed on the official notice board after the RC returns to the NERYC dock.

12. WIRELESS COMMUNICATION



- 12.1 Competitors should monitor VHF channel 71 for communications from the Race Committee.
- 12.2 The Race Committee will respond to transmissions from competitors to acknowledge retirements, protests, penalties reported or taken, or requests for emergency assistance only.
- 12.3 Broadcasts of Race Committee intentions are made as a courtesy only. Neither the failure of the Race Committee to broadcast or of a competitor to hear shall be grounds for redress under RRS 62.1a, nor shall it relieve the competitors of responsibility to monitor and respond to Race Committee flags and signals and comply with the Rules (as defined in Section 1).

13. SOCIAL INFORMATION

- 13.1 Following the race, a party will be held at NERYC, 80 Bayside Drive, North East, MD 21901. A Pig roast with trimmings, music and prizes promise fun for all. Free overnight dockage is available for racers. From Turkey Point light follow the channel markers and go north on the Northeast River. The club is to the starboard of day marker 14.

Day Marker 14 (F1 R2.5secs) N39 34.50 W75 57.75.

14. START SEQUENCE FLAGS

Signal	Flag	Sound	Minutes to Start
Warning	Class flag up 	1 sound	5
Preparatory	 Preparatory Flag up	1 sound	4
One-minute	Preparatory flag down	1 sound	1
Start	Class flag down New class flag up - Repeat of sequence	1 sound	0

15. OTHER FLAGS

Flag	Name	Sound	Definition
	Start mark Committee Boat End	None	Raised before racing commences
	Class	1 Sound	Fleet 5 minute warning
	P	1 sound	Preparatory 4 minute warning
	X	1 when raised	Individual recall
	1st Substitute	2 when raised 1 when lowered	General recall
	AP	2 when raised 1 when lowered	Postponement
	L	1 when raised	Come within hail
	S	2 when raised	Shorten course
	C	Repetitive	Change of course
	N	3 when raised 1 when lowered	Abandonment and re-sail
	N over H	3 when raised	Abandonment and return to shore
	Y	1 when raised	Wear life jackets