

# SOUTHOLD YACHT CLUB NOTICE OF RACE

48th Annual World's Longest Sunfish Race Around Shelter Island, NY
31th Annual Catamaran Race Around Shelter Island, NY
3rd Annual C420 Around Shelter Island, NY

# **SATURDAY**, July 14, 2018

#### RULES

The regatta will be governed by the "rules" as defined by the current Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the prescriptions of US Sailing, the rules of the Sunfish class, and by the Sailing Instructions.

Mandatory check-in with Registration is required for ALL competitors.

#### **CLASSES**

Sunfish, Open Catamaran, C420.

# **ELIGIBILITY**

One sailor on each boat must be at least 16 years of age by December 31, 2018. All sailors under the age of 18 must present a registration form (the receipt that will be generated and on completed registration) signed by their parent/guardian to be scanned & emailed to RC (address below) or presented day of event before 11AM. (Day-of form will be available at registration.)

#### APPLICATION

Online Registration is on the <u>Southold Yacht Club website</u>. We strongly encourage everyone to register in advance prior to arrival.

## **FEES**

\$50.00 per sailor via online registration ALL CLASSES - Fees include the race, regatta T-shirt, continental breakfast, beverages, post-race buffet and awards. \$5 per person food ticket for sailors' guests.

## **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

0900-1030	Registration & Breakfast
1100	Skippers Meeting – ALL CLASSES
1200	Start - Sunfish Class
1230	Start - C420 Class
1300	Start - Catamaran Class
Upon comple	etion Post-race party, awards shortly after.

\*\*\*\*Any boat that does not start within 5 minutes of the actual start of its class shall be scored as DNS.\*\*\*\*\*



## **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Available at registration.

## **BOATS AND EQUIPMENT**

Competitors will be responsible for their boats being in compliance with class rules.

## **AWARDS**

#### Sunfish

Top 10

First Place Doubles, one or both sailors over 18

First Finisher(s)\* Under 18 \*If sailing doubles

Names inscribed on perpetual plaques maintained at Southold Yacht Club as follows:

WBAZ-FM Plaque: Overall race winner

Peggy Wagner Memorial Plague: First female finisher

Heinl-Lyman Octogenarian Plaque: Oldest Competitor and First Masters

(age 50+) to finish.

## Catamarans

Top 3 skippers and crews in each division

US SAILING Portsmouth Yardstick D-PN only will be used to determine the order of finish.

## C420

Top 3 Skipper & Crew.

## SAFETY

US Coast Guard approved PFDs must be worn by all sailors while on the water. **Violators will be disqualified.** All Sunfish & C420s must carry a 20 foot towline. **Mainsheet can serve as towline.** It is highly recommended that catamarans carry an appropriate towline. Safety inspections may be performed by event organizer.

Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race.

## CONTACTS

Southold Yacht Club (631)765-5629 - Day of event only

Regatta Chairperson: Beth Fleisher BMFbethfleisher@gmail.com 646-732-1066



## LOGISTICS AND VISITOR INFORMATION

#### PARKING

A one-day parking permit for the Town of Southold parking lot adjacent to SYC will be available to contestants for the day of the event, at Registration. Please note that the parking permit must be displayed at all times, or you may receive a ticket.

## **BOAT STORAGE**

Boats may be rigged and trailers left in an orderly fashion *on the grass* in the Town Beach parking lot. Please note that boats and trailers may not be left in the parking lot overnight. It's a violation of Southold Town parking regulations. If you need overnight storage please contact Beth Fleisher.

## **BOAT LAUNCH**

Is from SYC grounds only. Please do not launch from either the Town Beach or the private property adjacent to the club.

#### **ACCOMMODATIONS**

There are a multitude of hotels and two campgrounds in close proximity to the event. Information can be found on the <u>Village of Greenport website</u>, <u>iNorthFork</u>, and <u>Explore the North Fork</u>, among other websites. Please note there is no camping on SYC property.

# THINGS TO DO

There are many fun things to do while visiting the North Fork. Information on restaurants, beaches, and events can be found on the websites above.

#### VINEYARDS

Information on the North Fork's award-winning vineyards can be found on <u>Long Island Wine Country</u>.