







Village Cup 2020 Covid Race

NOTICE OF RACE

RULES

This event will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing for 2017-2020* ("RRS") including *US Sailing Prescriptions*.

Each boat may crew their boat per the 'Divisions' section below. Guests are allowed at the discretion of the skipper, however for short-handed boats they may not in any way be used to assist with sailing. This includes shifting them to assist with boat trim.

NOTES for 2020

There will be no guests from Mather Hospital or Port Jefferson Village this year due to covid-19 restrictions. There will be no 'Parade of Boats' this year or gatherings post-race.

ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

This event is open to all single hull boats holding a valid PHRF certification issued by the *Yacht Racing Association of Long Island Sound* (YRALIS) (www.yralis.org). No club affiliation is required. Provisional ratings may be obtained for this event by contacting the PJYC Fleet Measurer, Mort Fortgang at: sailor36@optimum.net.

Eligible boats shall enter by registering online using $\underline{www.RegattaNetwork.com}$. Entries must be received no later than September 11^{th} . Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Fleet Captain.

To Register, Click HERE.

FEES

There are NO fees. HOWEVER, a goodwill donation to the Village Cup cause is requested. See the PJYC club website: https://portjeffersonyachtclub.com/community/village-cup/

SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 12th - NO ALTERNATE DATE

1100 - Sailing Instructions and Scratch Sheets Available at *Port Jefferson Yacht Club*, and on line (See below).

1130 - Harbor Start

1300 - First Division Warning Signal - Subsequent races to follow

No Post Race Event this year.

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available no later than 1900 on September 11th, 2020 through RegattaNetwork.

ENTRIES

Eligible Yachts must be entered by completing the online registration form at <u>RegattaNetwork</u>. No mail ins will be accepted.

VENUE

Racing area- Centered approximately 1.25 NM NE of the Port Jefferson Harbour East Breakwater. See the Sailing Instructions for more detail.

CLASSES and DIVISIONS

The fleet will be divided into Non-Spinnaker divisions. There will be a 'Short Handed' class for single and double handed racers, and a cruising class for 3+ crew. Scratch Sheets will be available on line prior to the race through RegattaNetwork.

THE COURSES

Courses will be signalled from the Committee Boat in accordance with the Sailing Instructions.

SCORING

• Scoring for this event will use the 'Low Point' system as describes in the RRS Rule 90.3 and RRS Appendix A.

PRIZES

The usual 'Village Cup' will not be awarded this year, as covid-19 restrictions prevent us from having Mather Hospital and Village guests on board.

Final results will be available at RegattaNetwork.

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4 of the RRS, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after this event.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For additional information please contact: PJYC Fleet Captain – Dave Hubbard davechub@gmail.com 516-313-7617.