



## NOTICE OF RACE

**Revised on 2/12/2021**

Changes marked in red

### Pensacola Yacht Club 2021 Mardi Gras Regatta Saturday - February 13, 2021

#### 1. RULES

1.1. This regatta will be sailed under the management of the PYC Race Committee and governed by rules as defined in the current *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).

#### 2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1. **Open to all boats.** Classes may include PHRF, One-Design Classes (such as Optimis, Sunfish, Lasers, 420's, Flying Scots, Vipers, and Fish Class) and Multihulls (Hobies, Waves, others). Each class must have no less than 3 boats in order to compete as a class. Any PHRF class with more than 6 boats may be divided into sub-classes A, B, etc. at the discretion of the Race Committee.

2.2. **PHRF** Spinnaker and Non-Spinnaker classes will be sailed under GYA PHRF handicapping. **One-Designs, Multihulls, and others** will sail under the Portsmouth system.

2.3. **PHRF** entries must have a valid PHRF Rating Certificate or accept a temporary, provisional rating as assigned by the Race Committee.

2.4. **Online Registration** at <https://www.regattanetwork.com/html/calendar.php#>. Scroll down to the date of the event to find the link to the registration form.

2.6. Boats not registered before 1700 on Friday, February 12 are not eligible for entry into the regatta and will not be scored.

#### 3. ENTRY FEES

3.1. **Early** Registration thru January 28th: PHRF = \$30; Portsmouth = \$20 (\$15 for singlehanded)

3.2. Registration after January 28th: PHRF = \$35; Portsmouth = \$25 (\$20 single-handed)

#### 4. SCHEDULE

No Skippers Meeting at PYC due to COVID Protocols. Race updates will be given on water if necessary.

## 1255 Warning Signal for Start of Racing

Trophy Presentation will be at PYC at the traditional Yachting Banquet

### 5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

**5.1.** The race(s) will be sailed under the current Pensacola Bay Sailing Instructions, except as modified by notice of Race Committee. Supplemental Sailing Instructions will be available online and at the Skipper's Meeting.

**5.2.** The Pensacola Bay Sailing Instructions are available online and at registration. Other instructions may be provided at the Skippers Meeting.

**5.3.** The Race Committee will be monitoring VHF Radio Channel 72 on the water.

### 6. PENALTY SYSTEM

**6.1.** The Scoring Penalty, Rule 44.3, will apply.

### 7. SCORING

**7.1.** The Low Point Scoring System, Appendix A2 (RRS), will apply.

### 8. PRIZES

**8.1.** Trophy Presentations will be at Pensacola Yacht Club at the traditional Yachting Banquet

**8.2** Trophies will be awarded as follows:

Classes with 5 or more boat will be awarded 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> places

Classes with 4 boats will be awarded 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Places

Classes with 3 boat will be awarded 1<sup>st</sup> place only.

### 9. FURTHER INFORMATION

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