



The Neuse Yacht racing association presents

THE 2021 NYRA INVITATIONAL REGATTA

April 17-18, 2021

On the Neuse River, downriver from New Bern

Around the buoys river racing on Saturday, medium distance racing on Sunday (overnight dockage may be available contact bod@nyra.org if interested)

Schedule of Events:

Saturday April 17

10:00 am – Competitors Meeting (via Zoom)

12:00 am – First Starting Signal on the Neuse River off Broad Creek in vicinity of markers 17/19/2 (2-3 races planned - around buoys style)

5:00 pm – Shore Party at the Parker Waterfront Campground (Seafood and Soulfod available from the Sea&Soul food truck, as well as our non unlimited supply of Beer & Wine for those of sufficient maturity) Masks encouraged, plenty of room for social distancing. BYOC (chair. Bring your own Chair!)

Sunday April 18

11:00 am - First Starting Signal on the Neuse River off Broad Creek in vicinity of markers 17/19/2 (1 race planned, down river, ending near Minnesott to encourage visitors from the Oriental area, weather permitting)

**Shore Party to Follow
Saturday racing at
on the waterfront at the
Parker's campground
(end of Broad Creek Rd)
New Bern, NC 28560**



Sea and Soul food truck will be onsite after racing on Saturday (plus a not unlimited supply of Beer & Wine included for those of sufficient maturity) Masks encouraged, and plenty of room for social distancing while socializing!

Anticipated Classes for Spinnaker, Non Spinnaker and Fun Class Boats

Friendly Racing for new and old in Fun Class - great chance to learn new skills and meet other sailors! Great tune up for the 4th Saturday fun racing series also!

The Regatta will be governed by the 2021-2024 Racing Rules of Sailing. All boats shall comply with N.C. Wildlife Commission and U.S. Coast Guard safety regulations. Multiple races are planned for the NYRA Invitational Regatta; one completed race will constitute the regatta.

Eligibility:

The Regatta is open to any Yacht holding a current NC-PHRF. Eligible boats may enter by completing an entry form online at NYRA.org (under the "Race Registration" tab), and paying the required fees to NYRA. Late entries will be accepted via online registration until 7:30 pm April 16.

Classes:

A minimum of three boats will constitute a class. There will be classes for spinnaker, non-spinnaker, fun, and multi hull fleets. Each fleet may be broken into multiple classes based on PHRF rating, depending on the number of entries, at the discretion of the Principal Race Officer.

Scoring:

NYRA Invitational Regatta - PHRF handicap system Time on Time scoring. Pursuit start racing on Sunday

PHRF:

A NC-PHRF Rating Request form that can be submitted for boats that do not have a current rating is available at <http://www.ncphrf.com/>. If you need to apply for a rating, please send the completed and signed Request Form and check no later than 1 week prior to the regatta to the address on the form. Fun class sailors can apply for a temporary rating; contact bod@nyra.org

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. Each participating boat shall either self-insure or carry adequate third party insurance to cover their liability.

Dockage. Limited free Dockage without electricity or water *may* be available for the weekend, please contact bod@nyra.org if interested

REGISTRATION

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Register online - link may be found at <https://www.nyra.org> (under the "Race Registration" tab)

Registration fee \$20.00 _____

Discount for members of US Sailing – *Member Number* _____ (-\$5.00) _____

Discount for members of NYRA (-\$5.00) _____

Donation to the Edward Teach Youth Sailing Association _____

Please Make check payable to NYRA Total Enclosed: \$ _____

Skipper _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Boat Make _____ Length _____ PHRF Rating _____

Sail Number (*required*) _____ Boat Name _____

Spinnaker Class _____ *or* Non-spinnaker Class _____

Cruising Class _____ *or* Multi-Hull Class _____

Mail this form with fees to: NYRA, P.O. Box 235, New Bern, NC 28563;

or register online at: www.nyra.org (under the "Race Registration" tab), or

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Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, Decision to Race. Each competitor is responsible for any and all liability claims which may result from their participation and shall be adequately self-insured or covered by third party insurance. 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 each day's racing.