



The 34th Port Jefferson Harbor Cup

June 19, 2021

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1. This event will be governed by the rules as defined in the current "*The Racing Rules of Sailing*" ("RRS") including *US Sailing Prescriptions*.
- 1.2. **Rule Change:** The Finishing Line is changed to use an Orange flag on the Committee Boat as one end of the line. This changes RRS "Race Signals"/"Other Signals" in the flags section at the end of the RRS.
- 1.3. Radio: Each boat will carry a VHF radio capable of sending/receiving on marine channels 16 and 72 and will monitor channel 72 continuously as that is the channel the Race Committee will use to coordinate the race.

2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available no later than 1900 on June 18th, 2021 at:
<https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/22433>

3. COMMUNICATION

- 3.1. The online official Notice Board is at: <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/22433> . See the 'Newsroom & Results' tab, and 'Notices'. All documents are there as well.
- 3.2. All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on channels 16 and 72.
- 3.3. On the water, the race committee will make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on channel 72. However, the official signals will be the sound and flag signals as per the RRS as usual.
- 3.4. Except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data communication related to the race that is not available to all boats.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1. This event is open to all single hull, non-foiling 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. There are NO Provisional Ratings. You can get a single event PHRF Cert from YRALIS if needed. Boats without a certificate will be considered but will be placed in their own division which will not be scored toward the actual Harbor Cup Trophy.
- 4.2. Register online at: <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/22433>
- 4.3. Entries must be received no later than June 17th. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Fleet Captain.

5. FEES

There is a \$50 entry fee for the race, payable by credit card at time of registration.

6. SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 19th – NO WIND DATE (In event of postponement): Same schedule, Sunday June 20th

1000 - Sailing Instructions and Scratch Sheets Available at *Port Jefferson Yacht Club*, and online.

1130 - Harbor Start

1300 - First Division Warning Signal

There will be one race for the day.

1700 – After Race Party and Awards at PJYC.

7. VENUE

Racing area- Centered approximately 1.25 NM NE of the Port Jefferson Harbour East Breakwater.

See the **Sailing Instructions** for more detail.

8. THE COURSES

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

9. DIVISIONS

9.1. The fleet will be divided into Spinnaker and Non-Spinnaker divisions. 'One Design' divisions will be considered based on the makeup of the fleet.

9.2. Scratch Sheets will be available online at: <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/22429> . Click 'Current Registrants'.

10. SCORING

10.1. All divisions will be scored Time-on-Distance.

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

10.3. The "Harbor Cup" is awarded to the club or association with the lowest point totals for their top 3 boats. A minimum of 3 boats is required to qualify a club or association for the cup.

11. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 3 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.

12. PRIZES

The **Port Jefferson Harbor Cup** will be awarded to the yacht club or association with the lowest cumulative score of their three best finishing yachts. To be eligible for this award, entrants must declare their yacht club or association affiliation upon registration. Results will be available at: <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/22433>.

13. FURTHER INFORMATION

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