



# True North Regatta

September 25, 2021

## NOTICE OF RACE

### 1. RULES

- 1.1. This event will be governed by the *rules* as defined in the current edition of *The Racing Rules of Sailing* ("RRS") including *US Sailing Prescriptions*.
- 1.2. **Rule Change:** The Finishing Line is changed to use a line between the Port Jefferson Harbor entrance bouys 'Green 1' and 'Red 2' which are PJ1 and PJ2 respectively in the coordinates list in the Sailing Instructions. The Finish is self timed by each boat.

### 2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available no later than 1900 on September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2021 online at:

<https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/23282>

### 3. COMMUNICATION

- 3.1. The online official Notice Board is at: <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/23282>. See the 'Newsroom & Results' tab for notices, race status (Abandoned, postponed, etc...).
- 3.2. All boat 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 standard RRS Sound and Visual signals will the be the official signals 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 certificate issued by the *Yacht Racing Association of Long Island Sound* (YRALIS) (<https://www.yralis.org/>). You can get a single event PHRF certificate from YRALIS if needed. Boats without certificates can get a provisional rating from the race committee and will race non-spin only.

**4.2.** No Club Affiliation is required.

**4.3.** Eligible boats shall enter by registering online. Entries must be received no later than September 24<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

**4.4.** Register online at: <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/23282>

#### **5. FEES**

Fee: \$10. Payable by credit card at time of registration.

#### **6. SCHEDULE**

One Race with First Division Warning at 1000.

#### **7. VENUE**

The Racing Start Area is approximately 1.25 nm NE of the Port Jefferson Harbour East Breakwater and the course crosses Long Island Sound to an area between Stratford Point and Penfield Reef. See the *Sailing Instructions*.

#### **8. DIVISIONS**

The fleet will be divided into Spinnaker and Non-Spinnaker divisions. Other 'One Design' divisions will be created as the makeup of the fleet allows. Scratch Sheets will be available online at: <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/23282> . Click 'Current Registrants'.

#### **9. THE COURSE**

The Course can be found in the *Sailing Instructions*. It may be changed on race day by the Race Committee based on conditions, and will be signaled on VHF 72.

## **10. SCORING**

**10.1.** All divisions will use YRALIS PHRF ratings and will be scored Time-On-Distance.

**10.2.** Scoring will use the 'Low Point' system as described in the RRS Rule 90.3 and RRS Appendix A.

## **11. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

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

**12.1.** Final results will be available at:

<https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/23282>

## **13. FURTHER INFORMATION**

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