



GSBYRA Singlehanded Championship for the Shinnecock Trophy



July 24, 2024

Organizing Authority – GSBYRA **Host Club**: Moriches Yacht Club Union Avenue
Center Moriches, NY 11934

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

posted 7/15/24

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing. 1.2 [The Code of Conduct](#) shall apply.
- 1.3 This championship is not being conducted as a sanctioned or class association event. Only the Equipment Measurement Rules for the Sunfish class will apply.
- 1.4 **RRS 40.1 applies.**
- 1.5 **RRS 60.1(a)** is changed to prohibit a boat from protesting another boat for an alleged breach of any class rule other than class equipment measurement rules.
- 1.6 **RRS 61.1(a)** is changed so that "A boat intending to protest about an incident that occurs in the racing area shall notify the race committee finish boat of her intention as soon as possible after finishing, including the boat identification number of the boat(s) being protested".
- 1.7 **RRS 64.1** is changed to allow penalties imposed by the Protest Committee, for hearings held under Rule 60.3, as changed, which may range from a reprimand to a dismissal from the regatta.

2. NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors will be posted on the Official Notice Board located near the entry in the MYC club house.

3. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 3.1 Changes to the SIs will be posted no later than 10 minutes after the close of the Competitors meeting on the day it takes effect, except any change to the schedule of races will be posted no later than 2000 on the day before it will take effect.

4. SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

- 4.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed from the flagpole located on the South side of the club.
- 4.2 When code flag AP is displayed ashore, "1 minute" is replaced with "not less than 30 minutes in the race signal AP.
- 4.3 Flag D with one sound means "The Warning Signal will be made not less than 30 minutes after Flag D is displayed." Boats shall not leave the harbor until this signal is made.

5. SAFETY

- 5.1 Before the warning signal of the first race in which they intend to compete each day, boats shall check in by sailing on starboard past the race committee signal boat. Each boat shall hail her sail number until acknowledged by the signal boat. Failure to check in may result in a penalty.
- 5.2 A boat retiring from a race shall notify a Race Official vessel before leaving the course, or, when that is impractical, immediately after arrival ashore.

6. SCHEDULE OF RACES

Wednesday July 24, 2024

0800 to 0900 Check in/Setup

0800 to 0900 Continental Breakfast

0930 Mandatory Competitors Meeting

1000 First warning for racing

Subsequent races to follow

1600 No warning after 1600

6.1 A maximum of 6 races are scheduled.

6.2 The warning signal for succeeding races will be made as soon as possible after finish of preceding race.

6.3 No warning signals will be made later than 1600.

7. RACING AREA

The sailing Area will be within the vicinity of Moriches Yacht Club.

8. THE COURSE

8.1 Course will be Windward/Leeward/Windward/Leeward/Finish (Start-1-2-1-2-Finish).

9. MARKS – Marks 1 and 2 will be orange cylinders.

9.1 The change mark will be a yellow tetrahedron

10. THE START

10.1 Races will be started using Sound Signal Starting System in Appendix U A series of short signals may be made before the sequence begins in order to attract attention.

Signal Sound Time Before Start

Warning 3 long 3 minutes

Preparatory 2 long 2 minutes

1 long, 3 short 1 minute, 30 seconds

1 long 1 minute

3 short 30 seconds

2 short 20 seconds

1 short 10 seconds

1 short 5 seconds

1 short 4 seconds

1 short 3 seconds

1 short 2 seconds

1 short 1 second

Starting 1 long 0

10.2 The starting line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the race committee signal boat and the course side of an orange ball at the port end of the line.

11. RECALLS

11.1 In accordance with Appendix U4 Individual recalls shall be signaled by hailing the sail number (or other distinguishing feature) of each recalled boat. Flag X need not be displayed. 11.2 The failure of any boat to hear the hail, promptness of a hail or the order of boats hailed shall not be grounds for redress. This changes rule 62.1(a).

12. CHANGE THE NEXT LEG OF THE COURSE

Rule 33 applies.

13. THE FINISH

13.1 The Finish Line is "the same as the Start Line".

13.2 The start/finish line is open and may be disregarded except when starting or finishing.

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14. TIME LIMIT

14.1 The time limit for each race will be 45 minutes for the first boat to finish. 14.2 Boats failing to finish within 10 minutes after the first boat that sails the course in accordance with rule 28 finishes will be scored TLE (Time Limit Expired) without a hearing and scored one more than the number of boats in the race. This changes rules 35, 63.1, A4.2 and A5.

15. EVENT PROTESTS AND REQUIREMENTS FOR REDRESS 15.1 Protest forms will be available at the registration table and must be returned to a committee person at the table.

15.2 The Protest Filing Time Period is 60 minutes from the time the RC boat docks. 15.3 Protest Hearing Schedule will be posted on the official notice board.

15.4 Competitors must notify the race committee of intent to protest another boat after a race and prior to communicating with a coach.

16. REPLACEMENT OF EQUIPMENT

16.1 Substitution or repair or replacement of hulls, sails, or equipment will not be allowed without prior approval of the Race Committee.

17. US SAILING YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS

17.1 The US Sailing Youth Championships Single-handed event in ILCA 6 and ILCA 7 is open to all qualified competitors.

17.2 Registration for the US Sailing Youth Championships Single-handed event shall be submitted online at <https://theclubspot.com/regatta/9F8SVyBQD9>. Registration closed May 15, 2024.

18. FURTHER INFORMATION - For additional information contact either:

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