Notice of Race Anniversary Race Sunday July 13, 2025, at 1300 Duxbury Yacht Club

Anniversary Race: Any kind of sailboat, "Round the Island" event. All fleets start together and navigate around Clark's Island in either direction.

Organizing Authority

Duxbury Yacht Club (DYC), Duxbury Massachusetts, as the organizing authority, presents the 2025 Anniversary Race to be sailed around Clark's Island on Duxbury Bay. The starting area will be near the middle of the bay east of the DYC waterfront clubhouse unless otherwise specified.

The DYC Anniversary Race is open to any kind of sailboat. The Sarah Danner Sawyer Trophy is awarded to the winner of the race.

These trophies are presented, along with all other DYC club sport awards, at the DYC Prize Day event on the afternoon of Labor Day. Additional prizes on the day of the event will be awarded based on the discretion of the DYC Adult Sailing Committee.

The regatta includes a social gathering at the DYC waterfront clubhouse after racing.

Start Time

The first warning signal will be at 1300 on Sunday July 13, 2025.

Every effort will be made by the Race Committee to provide a start up until two hours after the first warning signal.

Tides are a factor on Duxbury Bay, if a postponement is required, it will be continued, if necessary, up until two hours after the posted high tide for the day.

Rules

Races will be conducted and judged under the US Sailing *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) 2025-2028 except as modified in the Sailing Instructions, or by a notice posted two days prior to a race on the Race bulletin board (outside the DYC waterfront clubhouse), or by verbal notice given at a scheduled skippers' meeting.

Eligibility and Entry

All races are open to DYC members and non-member skippers and their member and guest crews. Registration will be facilitated using the Regatta Network website (https://www.regattanetwork.com/). All skippers will pay the designated entry fees via Regatta Network.

See Regatta Network for registration fee information. Juniors are encouraged to participate in Adult Racing as equal competitors without a fee. Skippers are considered Juniors who have not reached the age of 25 on January 1 of the current year.

Sailing Instructions

The DYC Sailing Instructions are available on the Regatta Network, posted on the DYC Notice Board and DYC website (www.duxburyyachtclub.org).

Course

Around Clark's Island in either direction.

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 or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

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