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First Revision

FIFTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL MAYOR'S CUP INVITATIONAL REGATTA

This is a qualifying race for the ECSA Offshore Racing Circuit and the Mid Sound Offshore Racing Championship

DATE:	Saturday, July 26, 2025
ENTRIES CLOSE:	Thursday, July 24, 2025, at 1800 EDT
FIRST GUN:	1200 EDT
STARTING LINE:	In the vicinity of Morris Cove, on the east side of New Haven Harbor
ELIGIBILITY:	All yachtsmen and yachts must meet the eligibility requirements for the ECSA Offshore Racing Circuit, as set forth in the 2025 ECSA Yearbook; it is recommended that yachts be equipped according to the Nearshore category of the US Safety Equipment Requirements
CLASSES:	At the discretion of the Race Committee, according to PHRF/ECSA ratings; a Cruising Canvas class will be started if there are sufficient entries
COURSE AND DISTANCE:	To be determined by the Race Committee, depending on wind/weather conditions; distance will be approximately 16-18 miles, shorter course for Cruising Canvas
FINISH:	Same as Start, unless course is shortened
RACE MANAGEMENT:	The Race Committee of the New Haven Yacht Club will manage the race in accordance with current ISAF and USSA rules, the NOR, and the Sailing Instructions
CHANGES TO RACING RULES:	Rule 26 (Starting Races) will be changed to a 10-minute sequence as detailed in the Sailing Instructions
SAILING INSTRUCTIONS/ SCRATCH SHEETS	Will be e-mailed to entrants at the address on the entry form; please be sure this address is for the skipper or a designated crew member. SI/Scratch Sheets will also be available on the New Haven YC website and at regattanetwork.com. They will not be available from the Committee Boat
AWARDS:	An after-race party will be held, and trophies will be awarded at that time to the first, second, and third place finishers in each class. The boat and skipper in the Spinnaker classes with the best corrected time overall will be awarded the Mayor's Cup
ENTRIES and FEE	Enter by completing an entry at <u>www.regattanetwork.com</u> (<u>https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet_registration_form.php?regatta_id=300</u> <u>64</u>). The entry fee is \$60.00/yacht (including the party), plus a \$5.00 surcharge if the skipper is not a member of USSA: members of New Haven Yacht Club receive a \$10.00 discount

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