Annapolis to Miles River Race

Notice of Race/GSI Amendment

MILES RIVER YACHT CLUB

Saturday 24 May 2014 Sanction #: 308

Entry Fee: CBYRA & USSA Members: \$55 **Entry Due:** Wednesday 21 May 2014.

All Others: \$60 Late fee applies to entries received Late Fee: \$50 after Wednesday 21 May 2014.

Scan the QR Code! Or, visit MRYC website: www.milesriveryc.org for Online Entry:

online entry availability.

Mail To: **MRYC**

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Prior to a competitor's warning signal, competitors must check in at the "Race Committee Rendezvous:

> Check-In" boat flying a large yellow flag stationed approximately 300 yards NW of the Race Committee Signal Boat. Please do not attempt to check in with the Signal Boat.

Radio: Boats should monitor VHF 71 for courtesy communications from the Race Committee.

Competitors retiring are requested to notify the Race Committee by hail or VHF.

Between orange flag on the Signal Boat and Annapolis Area Chart mark "X" (R "2"), or Start:

alternative mark if the Signal Boat displays the "L" flag and moves to another location.

Signals: RRS 26 (Starting Races):

COURSE 1				COURSE 2		
CLASS	TIME	SIGNAL		CLASS	TIME	SIGNAL
	0925	Warning		J/30	1005	Start
Cruising	0930	Start		PHRF C*	1010	Start
Cal 25	0935	Start		Multihull	1015	Start
Catalina27	0940	Start		PHRF B*	1020	Start
Alberg 30	0945	Start		J/105	1025	Start
J/24	0950	Start		PHRF A2*	1030	Start
J/70	0955	Start		J/35	1035	Start
PHRF N*	1000	Start		PHRF A0/1*	1040	Start

^{❖ –} This event is included in the PHRF Distance Challenge Cup Series.

COURSE 1: Annapolis Area Chart - round Bloody Point Light to port, "L" (G "1") to port, Course:

mark "F" (R "2A") to port, and mark "N" (R "4") to starboard (17.5 nautical miles).

COURSE 2: Annapolis Area Chart - round mark "Q" (R "84A") to port, mark "F" (R "2A") to

port, and mark "N" (R "4") to starboard (20.9 nautical miles).

Region 3 Miles River and Eastern Bay Area Mark "E" (C "9") and split as follows: Finish:

HANDICAP CLASSES: Between orange flag on Race Committee boat and Buoy C "9". ONE DESIGN CLASSES: Between orange flag on Race Committee boat and the orange

drop mark.

Shortened Course Finish:

HANDICAP CLASSES: Between orange flag on Race Committee boat and the

shortened-course mark.

ONE DESIGN CLASSES: Between orange flag on Race Committee boat and an orange

drop mark.

This changes Rule 32.2.

Time Limit: 8 hours from start of Class.

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O - Denotes event does not qualify for CBYRA High Point.

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Protest: A boat intending to protest shall inform the Race Committee as soon as

possible after finishing by hail until acknowledged. The hail shall include the sail number or boat name of the protested yacht. The protest time limit is 60 minutes after the arrival of the Race Committee signal boat at the dock. Written protests must be filed at MRYC Race Committee desk located in the Commodore's Room. Protests will be heard on Saturday 24 May 2014 at the MRYC Pool House second floor as posted on the official race bulletin

board.

Awards: 1st/3, 2nd/6, 3rd/9 & 4th/12 in each class. Awards will be presented at approximately 2000

at the post-race party. Rhine Trophy will be awarded to the MRYC skipper with the best

corrected finish time per mile.

Beneteau America will also award prizes to the top three Beneteaus in the Cruising

Class and the top three Beneteaus in the Handicap Classes.

Social: Skippers and their guests are invited to rendezvous at MRYC after the race.

Live entertainment, food and drink will be featured on Saturday after the race.

National Bohemian and Mr. Boh will be at the Club. Festivities planned!

Other: Additional information, including scratch sheets, shall be posted on the MRYC Website

www.milesriveryc.org when available.

<u>Docking</u>: Slips are available on a first come first served basis at \$40 per slip plus electricity if used. Contact MRYC on VHF channel 68 as you approach Long Haul Creek.

<u>Rafting</u>: The rafting off the pier T-heads is free. There is also free rafting in the Club's West basin for boats drawing four feet or less. Please follow rafting instructions from the club patrol boat.

<u>Tender Service</u>: For boats wishing to anchor in or near Long Haul Creek, tender service will be available on Saturday from race finish to midnight.

On Sunday, tender service will begin at 0645 and end at 1000.

<u>Food/Drink</u>: A la carte food options will be available on the lawn or inside the Club starting after the racing concludes. **National Bohemian** will also be available. Tables for dining will be available on the lawn and inside the Club. Ice will be available for racers from arrival to departure. Breakfast will be served Sunday 25 May 2014 starting at 0700 for \$9. Please remember that alcoholic beverages may not be brought onto, or taken from the MRYC grounds (liquor license issues).

<u>Club Access</u>: MRYC is committed to make visiting sailors feel safe and welcome at our Club. All Club facilities will be available to visiting sailors. The pool will be open, so bring your bathing suit. Children 14 and under must be supervised by an adult when in the pool area.

<u>Showers/Rest Rooms</u>: Showers and restrooms in the Club and Pool house will be open all weekend. However, because our septic system has limited capacity, we ask our visitors to help us and use the portable facilities on the grounds to the extent possible.

<u>No Camping</u>: Please note that overnight camping (e.g. tents, campers, trailers, RVs) on the MRYC grounds is illegal due to Talbot County zoning restrictions. Sleeping on your boat is always welcome.

<u>Parking</u>: Racers and guests may park in the Club field on Friday and Saturday. Please do not block the boat wash-down areas.

Bus Transportation to and from Annapolis: Buses will depart from the Miles River Yacht Club headed for Annapolis for people who want to return home. Buses will also depart Annapolis headed for MRYC for people who want get to the Club. The cost will be \$25 per person each way. Additional details will be posted on www.milesriveryc.org.