

RAM ISLAND YACHT CLUB

75th Annual Invitational Regatta **Notice of Race Saturday, 29 August 2020**

www.ramislandyachtclub.org

1. **RULES**: The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing*. Participants are required to meet the minimum equipment requirements as described in the ECSA yearbook. Ram Island Yacht Club is the Organizing Authority.

2. **ELIGIBILITY and ENTRY:**

- 2.1. The regatta is open to all monohull boats with PHRF-Eastern Connecticut handicap ratings, multihull boats with NEMA handicap ratings and One-Design Class boats with an LOA of at least 18 feet. Handicap spinnaker and non-spinnaker classes and one-design classes will be offered. Class assignment will be determined by the Race Committee.
- 2.2. Eligible boats may register online at YachtScoring.com. The web link can also be accessed through ramislandyachtclub.org. Snailmail entries are also available by downloading the Entry Form from the Club website and sending it with payment to: Robert Austin-LaFrance, 207 Plant St., Groton, CT 06340. Please make checks payable to "Ram Island Yacht Club".
- 2.3. **ENTRY DEADLINE:** Is 2400 August 27th, 2020.
- 3. **FEES:** Entry fee is \$50 per boat; \$20 per adult for party tickets in advance; \$25 at the door; Juniors \$10.
- 4. **SCHEDULE:** The First Warning is scheduled at 1055. The Starting Areas will be in the vicinity of Horseshoe Reef N 26, Southwest of Groton Long Point. There will be a Skipper's party on Friday, August 28th between 1700 and 1900 at Ram Island Yacht Club, Noank, CT where party tickets can be picked up.
- 5. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Will be posted to the Official Notice Board at YachtScoring by 1800 August 22nd
- 6. **THE COURSES:** Handicap and some One-Design classes may sail the traditional "Around Fisher's Island" course. Additional course may be sailed within Fisher's Island Sound. Course(s) will be determined by the Race Committee based on weather conditions.
- 7. **SCORING:** All handicap classes will be scored using the Time-on-Time method.
- 8. **PRIZES and PARTY:** Trophies will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place for each class. Additional prizes, including best overall, best Traditional, best youth and best Ram Island member in Racing and Cruising classes, may be awarded. The post-race party is scheduled to start at 1600 at the Club. is limited. Carpooling is recommended. Dock space and moorings are available on a first come, first served basis

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