

# **Bronte Rocks Regatta**

## **September 5-6, 2015**

Organizing authority: Bronte Harbour Yacht Club  
2514 Lakeshore Road West, Oakville, Ontario, L6L 1H8

# **Notice of Race**

## **1 RULES**

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 In case of differences between this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions will take precedence

## **2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all yachts 20' and over, Sharks and limited one design fleets.
- 2.2 Handicap racing will be conducted under both PHRF and IRC.
- 2.3 Handicapped racing is restricted to yachts with valid PHRF Certificates or endorsed IRC Certificates.
- 2.4 Multihull boats are encouraged to obtain a PHRF rating from the Great Lakes Multihull Racing association (GLMRA - <http://www.lakeeriamultihull.com>)
- 2.5 Multihull boats that do not have a GLMRA PHRF certificate and Cruising Fleet boats without a PHRF-LO certificate will be assigned ratings by the Organizing Authority.
- 2.6 The Organizing Authority has the right to deny entry to any yacht
- 2.7 Single-handed sailing is specifically prohibited.

## **3 FEES**

- 3.1 Required fees are as follows:

*Early bird entry fee is \$75 plus HST (\$84.75) until August 2. After August 2, entry fee is \$100 plus HST (\$113.00).*

To register for one day only, contact Dusan Davidovic at [rcsail@bhyc.on.ca](mailto:rcsail@bhyc.on.ca)

3.2 Other fees:

*Saturday dinner is \$20, Sunday dinner is \$15.*

## **4 SCHEDULE**

4.1 Registration:

Online at <http://www.yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=1408>

In person at Bronte Harbour Yacht Club:

Friday September 4<sup>th</sup>                      18:00 – 21:00

Saturday September 5<sup>th</sup>                09:00 – 10:00

4.2 A competitors' meeting will take place at 1100h on September 5<sup>th</sup> in the regatta tent.

4.3 Racing on one day will consist of two course races. Racing on the other day will consist of one offshore (point-to-point) race.

4.4 The scheduled time for the warning signal for the first race each day is 1300h. No warning signal will be made after 1500h on either day.

## **5 MEASUREMENTS**

5.1 A boat and/or its equipment may be inspected at any time for compliance with the Sailing Instructions and the Notice of Race

## **6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

6.1 Final Sailing Instructions will be made available immediately prior to the Competitors Meeting at 1100h on September 5<sup>th</sup> in the regatta tent

## **7 VENUE**

7.1 All racing will take place on one or two courses, starting approximately 1.5 nautical miles south of the entrance to the harbour.

## **8 SCORING**

8.1 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

8.2 The Low Point scoring system will be applied, modified so that each yacht's series score shall be the total of her scores for all races.

## **9 BERTHING**

- 9.1 Dockage will be available only to those who have completed registration for the regatta.
- 9.2 This dockage is provided by Bronte Harbour Yacht Club based on availability at the time of the regatta. Additional overflow dockage will be available at the Bronte Outer Harbour Marina.
- 9.3 Competitors shall follow the directions of the BHYC Dock Master. Use VHF channel 68 to contact the BHYC Dock Master.

## **10 PRIZES**

- 10.1 Series prizes for the first 3 places in each division will be awarded at the Awards Ceremony to take place as soon as possible after the racing.
- 10.2 Other special trophies will be awarded at the presentation ceremony.

## **11 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

- 11.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk (see Rule 4). 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.

## **12 INSURANCE**

- 12.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of Canadian \$2,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.

## **13 FURTHER INFORMATION**

- 13.1 For further information contact Dusan Davidovic at [rcsail@bhyc.on.ca](mailto:rcsail@bhyc.on.ca)