

Race for Ukraine Regatta June 4, 2022 NOTICE OF RACE

The Herreshoff Marine Museum (HMM) is the Organizing Authority



The Herreshoff Marine Museum (HMM) in conjunction with the International 12 Metre Association, 12 Metre Yacht Club, Bristol Yacht Club, and the Ida Lewis Yacht Club, along with Heart to Heart International invite you to participate in the inaugural Race for Ukraine Regatta, June 4, 2022.

The General Format

The Race for Ukraine Regatta shall consist of:

- A friendly and heartfelt fundraising and sailing competition around Conanicut Island for PHRF boats on Saturday, June 4, 2022.
- There is no entry fee as all resources required to run the Regatta are being donated by 12MYC, HMM, ILYC and BYC. Therefore 100% of all contributions will be donated to the Heart to Heart International (HHI) Ukrainian Relief Fund. Boats will have the ability to create their own HHI donation page where crew and friends can donate in the name of their boat. At the end of the race we will announce the boats that raised the most money for the cause as well as the boats that completed the race course with the fastest adjusted times.
- All entries are required to register online. No hard copy or in person registration is available.

- There will be two separate start lines, and entries can choose to start at either one:
 - ALPHA (at the north end of Conanicut Island): At the R "2" Fl R 4 Sec Bell 900 yards NE of Conanicut Point (Mark 22 on the South Bay Race Chart) staffed by the Bristol Yacht Club; and,
 - ZETA (south of the Newport Pell Bridge): At the GR "EP" Fl (2+1) Bell 800 yards N of the Newport Pell Bridge (Mark 13, on the South Bay Race Chart) staffed by Ida Lewis Yacht Club.
- Boats starting at the ALPHA starting mark will finish at the same mark and take their own finish time.
- Boats starting at the ZETA starting mark will finish at the same mark and take their own finish time.
- **1. RULES:** The Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024 will apply except as altered by this Notice of Race, by the Sailing Instructions, and any subsequent amendment
 - 1.1 The US Safety Equipment Requirements of US SAILING for NEARSHORE
 - 1.2 2022 PHRF Regulations of PHRF Narragansett Bay.
 - 1.3 Advertising
 - (a) Advertising shall be in accordance with World Sailing regulation 20.2.1.
 - (b) Competitors may be required to display sponsor flags or graphics on the side of their hulls and/or lifelines; these graphics, if any, could be supplied by the sponsors and/or the OA.
 - (c) Advertising that is a conflict with any race sponsor is prohibited unless permission is requested and authorized by the OA in writing.
- **2. ELIGIBILITY:** The regatta is open to the boats with a valid 2022 PHRF-NB Certificate.
- **ENTRIES:** The Entry form is available and should be completed online via: https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=15242
 - 3.1 Entries should be submitted by Thursday, June 2, 2022.
 - 3.2 There is no entry fee, however, competitors, their crews and their friends are encouraged to donate to the Heart to Heart Race For Ukraine Fund. You may do so by clicking this hyperlink: https://give.communityfunded.com/o/heart-to-heart-international/i/race-for-ukraine

And while there is no minimum donation – entries are encouraged to reach deep and help the people of theUkraine during this most trying of time.

The donation site will allow owners, crew members and friends to contribute additional amounts and have that credited to the boat's "account".

There will be a friendly competition among boats as to which boat can generate the largest contribution among its owners, crew and friends.

- 3.3 As a requirement for entry:
 - (a) Each Boat must complete the registration form online, including crew waivers for all on board personnel.
 - (b) Each boat must carry a working VHF capable of sending and receiving VHF Channels 69 and 72.
 - (c) Each boat must carry a working cell phone capable of sending and receiving text messages.
 - (d) Each Boat must check in via VHF Channel 69 with the signal boats on their respective starting line by 1045 hrs on June 4, 2022

4. CLASSES:

- 4.1 PHRF Boats: A valid 2022 PHRF NB Certificate must be on file with **PHRF Narragansett Bay** by 1900 on June 1, 2022.
- 4.2 Depending on the composition of the entries, the entries my be divided into spinnaker and non-spinnaker divisions for scoring, and starting classes based on size and maneuverability.
- 4.3 Boats wishing to participate as a non-spinnaker entry must register and declare their intent no later than 1900 on June 1, 2022. Boats entering after this date and time will be entered using their CRF spinnaker handicap.

5. SAFETY:

- 5.1 It shall be the sole and inescapable responsibility of the owner and master of each boat to declare that she is seaworthy in hull, rig and gear and that she is properly equipped and competently manned and sailed.
- 5.2 A Finish Declaration and Participant Waiver will be be available on line as part of the registration package. HMM must receive the Participant Waiver signed by all crew members by 1800 hrs on June 3, 2022.

6.0. **COURSES**:

- 6.1 The Course to be sailed will be announced by the Race Committee no later than 15 minutes from the first warning signal for the first start of the day on June 4.
- 6.2 SEE ADDENDUM A FOR THE COURSE DESCRIPTIONS.
- 7.0 **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Sailing Instructions will be available on the Herreshoff Marine Museum Yacht Scoring 2022 Race For the Ukraine regatta website: https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=15242

8.0 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

THURSDAY, JUNE 2

1800 COMPLETED ONLINE REGISTRATION DUE

SATURDAY, JUNE 4

1030	On the Water Skipper's Meeting via VHF Channel 72
1045	Mandatory Check In with RC Signal Boat via VHF Channel 69
1100	Warning Signal – PHRF
1600	Time Limit for all competitors
1800	Results Published on 12 Metre Web Site

9.0 AWARDS: All entries will receive recognition for both their performance and philanthropy on the 12 Metre YC Web Site and will be be presented with the heartfelt thanks of the organizers and the brave people of Ukraine.

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US Safety Equipment Requirements

https://www.ussailing.org/competition/offshore/safety

ADDENDUM A – COURSES

I. ALPHA (NORTHERN) START LINE:

COURSE A: Clockwise

Start: R "2" Fl R 4 Sec Bell 900 yards NE of Conanicut Point

- The center span of the Newport Pell Bridge
- Pass to the west of R "12" off Rose Island
- GR "NR" Bell 650 yards SW of Beavertail Point to starboard
- The center span of the Jamestown Verrazano Bridge
- G "5" 1,250 yards NW of Conanicut Point to starboard

Finish: R "2" Fl R 4 Sec Bell 900 yards NE of Conanicut Point to starboard

COURSE B: Counter-clockwise

Start: R "2" Fl R 4 Sec Bell 900 yards NE of Conanicut Point

- G "5" 1,250 yards NW of Conanicut Point to port
- The center span of the Jamestown Verrazano Bridge
- GR "NR" Bell 650 yards SW of Beavertail Point to port
- Pass to the west of R "12" off Rose Island
- The center span of the Newport Pell Bridge

Finish: R "2" Fl R 4 Sec Bell 900 yards NE of Conanicut Point to port

II. ZETA (SOUTHERN) START LINE

COURSE 1: Clockwise

Start: GR "EP" Fl (2+1) Bell, approx. 800 yards N of the Newport Pell Bridge

- The center span of the Newport Pell Bridge
- Pass to the west of R "12" off Rose Island
- GR "NR" Bell 650 yards SW of Beavertail Point to starboard
- The center span of the Jamestown Verrazano Bridge
- G "5" 1,250 yards NW of Conanicut Point to starboard
- R "2" Fl R 4 Sec Bell 900 yards NE of Conanicut Point to starboard

Finish: GR "EP" Fl (2+1) Bell, approx. 800 yards N of the Newport Pell Bridge to starboard

COURSE 2: Counter-clockwise

Start: GR "EP" FI (2+1) Bell, appox. 800 yards N of the Newport Pell Bridge

- R "2" Fl R 4 Sec Bell 900 yards NE of Conanicut Point to port
- G "5" 1,250 yards NW of Conanicut Point to port
- The center span of the Jamestown Verrazano Bridge
- GR "NR" Bell 650 yards SW of Beavertail Point to port
- Pass to the west of R "12" off Rose Island
- The center span of the Newport Pell Bridge
- Finish: GR "EP" Fl (2+1) Bell, approx. 800 yards N of the Newport Pell Bridge