2023 AYC Spring Harbor Regatta Saturday, May 13, 2023



CBYRA Sanction #TBD

Organizing Authority: Annapolis Yacht Club, Annapolis, MD USA http://www.annapolisyc.com/racing/regattas

NOTICE OF RACE (NoR) including Amend. No. 1

The notation '[DP]' in a rule in this Notice of Race (NoR) means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification. The notation '[NP]' in a rule means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that rule. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

1 RULES

1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 The sailing instructions (SIs) will be available on the notice board approximately 10 days before the first scheduled day of racing.

3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 The online official notice board is located at https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=15656
- 3.2 [DP] All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on channels 9, 13, 16, 68, 69, 70, 71, and 72.
- 3.3 On the water, the race committee will make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on VHF radio. The specific channel will be stated in the SIs.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The event is open to all boats of the Harbor 20 class.
- 4.2 For a class to have a start, it must have a minimum of 5 paid entries by 1200 on Friday, May 12. Entry fees for boats in classes that fail to meet the minimum will be returned.
- 4.3 Boats wishing to enter shall register online at: https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=15656
- To be considered a valid entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements including the waiver and pay all fees.

5 FEES

- 5.1 Early registration and entry fee of \$70 are due by 1700 on Monday, May 1. After that, registration and entry fee of \$95 will be accepted until 1200 on Friday, May 12. Entry fees are payable in full upon registering and are non-refundable.
- 5.2 The entry fee includes, at a minimum, racing and awards.

6 SCHEDULE

- 6.1 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race of the regatta is 1100.
- 6.2 Three races are scheduled.
- 6.3 No warning signal will be made after 1530.

7 VENUE

7.1 The racing area will be in the Chesapeake Bay off the mouth of the Severn River.

8 COURSES

8.1 The courses to be sailed will be drop mark courses.

9 SCORING

9.1 RRS Appendix A4, Low Point System, will apply as changed by the SIs.

10 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

10.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue *racing* is hers alone.'

11 INSURANCE

11.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with coverage of \$300,000 or greater per incident.

12 PRIZES

- Prizes will be given in each class for 1st place with 3 or more starters (boats starting in at least one race), 2nd place with 6 or more starters, and 3rd place with 9 or more starters.
- 12.2 This event will be part of the Harbor 20 Fleet 5 Championship for the G. di Marzo Centennial Cup (along with the AYC Fall Series).
- 12.3 Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organizing authority.

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

- 13.1 Non-AYC members may organize guest cards at the Front Desk of the AYC Clubhouse.
- 13.2 For more information contact: AYC Harborside Director: Linda Ambrose, lambrose@annapolisyc.org, 410.858.4964.