



**Monroe Wednesday Skyline Series  
In Conjunction with Chicago Beer Can Series  
Monroe Harbor, Chicago, IL  
May 15 - September 25, 2024**

Chicago Yacht Club is the Organizing Authority of the 2024 Monroe Skyline Series.  
Columbia Yacht Club is the Organizing Authority of the 2024 Chicago Beer Can Series.

**Sailing Instructions (SIs)  
ADDENDUM A**

**ABBREVIATIONS**

**[DP]** Rules for which the penalties are at the discretion of the protest committee.

**[NP]** Rules that are not grounds for a protest or request for redress by a boat. ***This changes RRS 60.1(a)***

**1 RULES**

- 1.1 The races will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The LMPHRF Rating System Time-on-Time (ToT) for buoy races will apply to all boats, except for one-design sections.
- 1.3 The following US Sailing prescription will not apply: 63.1.
- 1.4 **[DP]** Boats shall not fly drones while racing or in the racing area.
- 1.5 Crews must consist of 2 or more persons. ***This changes J/70 Class rule C.3.1(a), T-10 Class rule 5.1 and Etchells Class Rule C.2.1 (a).***
- 1.6 LMPHRF Certificate crew limitations do not apply.

**2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

- 2.1 The official Sailing Instructions for the 2024 Chicago Beer Can Series are available at <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=16415>.
- 2.2 CYC SI addendums are available at <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=16400>.

**3 COMMUNICATIONS WITH COMPETITORS**

- 3.1 Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board online at <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=16415> for CoLYC hosted events.
- 3.2 Notices to competitors shall also be posted by Chicago Yacht Club on YachtScoring at <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=16400>. **[NP]** As a courtesy, text and email notifications will be sent to the cell phone number and email address provided by competitors at the time of registration.



#### **4 CHANGES TO THE SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

- 4.1 For CoLYC hosted events, refer to Official Sailing Instructions at <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=16415>.
- 4.2 For CYC hosted events, changes to SIs or Addendum A will be posted by 1700 on the day they will take effect at <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=16400>.

#### **5 SIGNALS MADE ASHORE**

- 5.1 Refer to Official Sailing Instructions: <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=16415> for CoLYC hosted events.
- 5.2 For CYC hosted events, SI 4.1 is changed to read "Signals made ashore will be displayed from the main flagpole at the northeast of the Monroe Station clubhouse. In addition, signals made ashore will be distributed, as a courtesy, to the email or text address listed in a boat's entry form. Failure to receive courtesy electronic communications shall not be grounds for a request for redress. *This changes RRS 62.1(a).*"

#### **6 SCORING**

- 6.1 See NOR 11.
- 6.2 Registered boats shall be scored by both Chicago Yacht Club and Columbia Yacht Club and are eligible for awards at both clubs.
- 6.3 NoR 11.6 is amended so that section scoring combinations will be:
  - a- Spin 1 will be scored with Spin 2
  - b- 36.7s will be scored with J105's
  - c- Spin 4 will be scored with Spin 3
  - d- Green will be scored with JAM

#### **7 AWARDS**

- 7.1 Race Awards and Special Prizes will be presented at the After Racing Social. A boat's representative must be present to receive an award or prize.
- 7.2 Weekly prizes may be given at the discretion of the Organizing Authority to maximize fun and camaraderie.
- 7.3 There will be Season Series Awards for the top three (3) boats in each section and for the overall fleet. These will be awarded at the Annual CYC Offshore Awards Dinner.

#### **8 AFTER RACING SOCIAL**

- 8.1 There will be an After Party at CYC Monroe Station immediately following the race. There will be food and drink specials available.
- 8.2 We will award prizes at approximately 9:30 or just after the fireworks.
- 8.3 There will be an End of Season Party, which will be announced at a later date.

#### **9 PROTESTS**

- 9.1 Refer to Official Sailing Instructions: <https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eid=16415> for CoLYC hosted race.
- 9.2 For CYC hosted events, SI 15.5 is changed to read "The Protest Committee will hear all protests on the Tuesday following the race at 1900 at Monroe Station unless otherwise scheduled by the Committee Chair."



**10 RISK STATEMENT**

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury, or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

**11 INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with a valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$500,000 per incident or the equivalent. Competitors shall be prepared to supply proof of insurance upon request by the OA.

**12 PRIZES**

Prizes will be awarded in accordance with the NoR.

**13 FURTHER INFORMATION**

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