BREAKWATER YACHT CLUB

BOX 2601, SAG HARBOR, NEW YORK 11963

2017 FALL SERIES (THE RUM CHALLENGE)



Sept. 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th, Oct. 4th, and 11th

1. <u>RULES</u>

- 1.1 The U.S. Sailing Association's Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020 edition will govern this regatta.
- 1.2 US Sailing Racing Rule 52 is modified so that a Brenta 38 may use hydraulics for their mainsail only.

2. <u>ELIGIBILITY</u>

Notice of Regatta

2.1 All competitors must:

- 2.1a Be members in good standing of Breakwater Yacht Club
- 2.1b Have paid the entry fee preferably through <u>https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=4215</u>.
- 2.1c Have completed the registration on https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?elD=4215
- 2.1d Have boat insurance covering racing
- 2.1e Submit a valid ELIYA PHRF 2017 certificate within one week of competing in your first race.
- 2.2 Visiting boats may enter at a cost of \$20.00 per individual race but will not be scored for the series.
- 2.2 Eligibility to race for visiting boats is up to the discretion of the Regatta Committee.

2.3 No competitor will be scored without fulfilling all eligibility requirements prior to the race.

3. <u>FEES</u>

- 3.1 \$55 for US Sailing members
- 3.2 \$60 for non-US Sailing members

4. <u>DIVISIONS</u>

- 4.1 Division I: Spinnaker boats having PHRF of 95 or less and rated with an Asymmetric Spin
- 4.2 Division II: Spinnaker boats having PHRF of 96 or more <u>or</u> rated with a Symmetric Spin
- 4.3 Division III: Non-Spinnaker boats
- 4.4 The Race Committee reserves the right to classify certain boats as it sees fit.

5. <u>REGISTRATION</u>

- 5.1 Entry is good for the yacht named on the entry only. No substitutions allowed.
- 5.2 All registration must be done through <u>https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=4215</u>

6. <u>COURSES</u>

- 6.1 All races will be run in Shelter Island Sound.
- 6.2 Courses will be displayed from a board on the committee boat.

7. <u>START</u>

The start shall be in the area west of Majors Cove in Shelter Island Sound. The RC shall attempt to sound the first gun at **6:00 PM local time in September and 5:30 PM in October**, unless notified by email of change from those times.

8. <u>SCORING</u>

- 8.1 For each division, the low point scoring system (U.S. Sailing rules Appendix A using A9 modified to count DNS, DNF, RAF, DSQ, and OSC as scored equal to the number of boats coming to the starting area and keeping DNC scored as 1 more than the number of boats entered in the series) will be used.
- 8.2 A boat's best scores for 70% of the races run, rounded normally to a whole number will be counted to score the series.
- 9. PRIZES of rum will be awarded in each division (Skippers over 21 of age only), otherwise a trophy.

10. CHANGES

10.1 Changes to the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions may be posted on the official notice board at the Breakwater Yacht Club and/or on https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?elD=4215. Skippers may also be notified by email.

11. CONTACT INFO.

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