

City Island Cup 2017

NOTICE OF RACE rev 6-8-17

EVENT

The City Island Cup consists of up to five scheduled races. One or more races will constitute a series. The organizing authority is the Eastchester Bay Yacht Racing Association, Inc. (EBYRA).

ELIGIBILITY

The series is open to all sailing yachts, spinnaker and non-spinnaker, with a valid 2017 YRALIS PHRF certificate or a 2017 International or Club ORC Certificate, or, for one-design classes, a class measurement certificate and/or other agreed to stipulations.

RULES

The regatta will be governed by, in reverse order of prevailing authority, the United States Sailing Association, The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020, the Notice of Race, and the Sailing Instructions. A yacht shall have a minimum crew of two people on board at all times. If necessary, a boat's YRA of LIS PHRF rating will be adjusted to reflect EBYRA policy, specifically that crew weight limit penalties and weight credits are not in effect.

DIVISIONS

PHRF, ORC, One-Design or level divisions shall be determined after all entries are received.

TEAM CHALLENGE

We will offer a Team Challenge Cup, whereby two to three boats from a club or organization can form a team and have their combined scores compete against other teams' combined scores. There will be no extra charge to form a team. Look for details in a later addendum.

REGISTRATION

Application, certificate, and \$80 entry must be received online at yachtscoring.com by Wednesday, June 7th, 2017. Late applications must include a \$20.00 late fee. No applications will be accepted after Friday, June 9th.

SCHEDULE AND LOCATION

The races take place June 10th & 11th. The start line will be in Eastchester Bay, in the vicinity of 46A. The first warning gun will be no earlier than 1300 each day. No warnings will be signaled after 1600 hours on Sunday.

COURSES

Courses will be signaled from the committee boat according to course codes in the Sailing Instructions.

THROWOUTS

If five races are sailed, where there is a finisher in the division, the yachts in that division will earn one throwout.

SCORING

Races will be scored using time-on-time based on a time correction factor (TCF) derived from a yacht's PHRF certificate rating, using the formula $TCF = 600 / (480 + PHRF)$ or the Time Correction Factor listed on their ORC Certificate or the finish position for level and one-design classes. Series scoring will be done using Low Point Scoring System.

Team Challenge results will use Cox-Sprague scoring to determine cumulative team scores.

AMENDMENTS

Any additions or changes to the sailing instructions or scratch sheet will be posted on the Yachtscoring website by 0900 on the day of a race, and are effective for that day's race and all races thereafter.

ADMINISTRATION

Eastchester Bay Yacht Racing Association, Inc., P.O. Box 126, City Island, NY 10464. The organizing authority may establish themselves as members of the Race Committee and/or Protest Committee when necessary.

AWARDS

Final cumulative trophies will be awarded at the EBYRA Awards Dinner in December 2017.

INFORMATION

ebyra.com and yachtscoring.com

