

# LITTLE TRAVERSE YACHT CLUB BEAVER ISLAND RACE

AUGUST 11 & 12, 2018  
HARBOR SPRINGS, MICHIGAN

## NOTICE OF RACE

*The Organizing Authority is the Little Traverse Yacht Club (LTYC).*

### 1. Rules

- 1.1. The event will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing, 2017-2020 and the prescriptions of US Sailing (hereafter, RRS), except as altered by this Notice of Race or the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2. Each boat entered shall have functional auxiliary power and fuel, all safety equipment required by the U.S. Coast Guard and the State of Michigan, lifelines, and a bow pulpit for boats with non-furling headsails and/or spinnakers.
- 1.3. Each boat entered shall carry an operating VHF radio capable of receiving and transmitting on Channel 16 and 73.

### 2. Eligibility

- 2.1. Entries are limited to Offshore Racer/Cruiser type yachts and boats with overall length of 25' LOA or greater, multi-hulls included.

### 3. Race Format and Scoring

- 3.1. The event will consist of two races. **Race 1** will be from Harbor Springs to Beaver Island. **Race 2** will be from Beaver Island to Harbor Springs. The start and finish lines for each Race will be specified in the Sailing Instructions.
- 3.2. **Race 1** (Harbor Springs to Beaver Island) will be conducted using a "pursuit" format. Each boat entered will be given an individual starting time based on their PHRF rating. Starting times will be calculated so that the order of finish will determine the scores.
- 3.3. **Race 2** (Beaver Island to Harbor Springs) will be conducted using standard PHRF time correction. All boats will start at the same time; the scores will be determined by corrected time based on each boat's elapsed time.
- 3.4. The event winner will be the boat with the lowest total score of the two races. Ties will be broken according to the RRS.
- 3.5. If the first yacht does not finish by 1900 hours for Race 1 or 1800 hours for Race 2, that race is abandoned.

#### **4. Schedule**

- 4.1. *Friday August 10:* Start Times for all entered competitors will be posted on the Official Notice Board and emailed to competitors no later than 5:00pm.
- 4.2. *Saturday August 11<sup>th</sup>*
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| 0830 | Sign in at LTYC and Skippers' Meeting.  |
| 0930 | Starts begin. Each entry will have an assigned start time at or after 9:30am. (see 3.2, above). |
- 4.3. *Sunday August 12<sup>th</sup>:*
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| 0900 | Skippers' Meeting on the Dock |
| 0955 | Warning signal for all boats  |

#### **5. Registration and Fees**

- 5.1. Yachts may register on [www.yachtscoring.com](http://www.yachtscoring.com) and fax or email a LMPHRF 2018 certificate to
- Little Traverse Yacht Club  
Fax: 231-526-5899  
Email: [info@ltyc.org](mailto:info@ltyc.org)
- 5.2. The event fee is \$80.00.

#### **6. Measurement and Rating**

- 6.1. Lake Michigan PHRF ratings will be used for the event. Entries of yachts which do not have Lake Michigan PHRF ratings may be accepted; in such cases the rating may be assigned by LTYC.

#### **7. Sailing Instructions:**

- 7.1. Sailing instructions will be sent to entered competitors via email and made available on [www.yachtscoring.com](http://www.yachtscoring.com)

#### **8. Further Information:**

- 8.1. Contact: Dan Thompson  
LTYC Sailing Director  
651-283-2156  
[Daniel.e.Thompson@icloud.com](mailto:Daniel.e.Thompson@icloud.com)
- 8.2. Dockage: Each Boat needs to make their own reservation with the Beaver Island Marina: <https://www.midnrreservations.com/>
- Please make sure you sign in with the Harbor Master at Beaver Island and pay dockage fees.***