

BREAKWATER YACHT CLUB

BOX 2601, SAG HARBOR, NEW YORK 11963



Notice of Regatta

2018 OZ TROPHY RACE

Wednesday, July 4th, 2018

1. RULES

- 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.
- 1.3 The next leg of a course may be changed to be to the Finish Line by signaling all boats before they begin the leg by displaying flag "F" with repetitive sounds. The new leg will then be directly to the Finish Line, compliant with S.I. 7.4. This changes RRS 33 and Race Signals

2. ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 All Breakwater YC Summer Series entrants need not submit any fees or paperwork, except letting BYC Sailing Director Sean Elliott know the name of your female skipper and if you are racing in a different division from your Summer Series division.
- 2.2 All other competitors must:
 - 2.2a Have submitted a completed 2018 ELIYA Race Entry Form (available at www.elisailing.org or www.breakwateryc.org).
 - 2.2b Have paid the summer series entry fee
 - 2.2c Have boat insurance covering racing.
 - 2.2d Have submitted a valid ELIYA PHRF 2018 certificate.
- 2.3 All entrants **MUST** have a female helmsman from the warning to the finish.
- 2.4 No competitor will be scored without fulfilling all eligibility requirements.

3. FEES

- 3.1 This race is free for all entries in the Summer Series
- 3.2 \$30 for any vessel that is not entered in the Summer Series

4. DIVISIONS

- 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 or 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. REGISTRATION

- 5.1 Entry is good for the yacht named on the entry only - no substitutions allowed.
- 5.2 Entry forms will be available at the Breakwater Yacht Club and from our website www.breakwateryc.org
- 5.3 Entries can be mailed to Sailing Director, PO Box 2601, Sag Harbor, NY 11963, or placed in the RC box in the BYC office. Forms and PHRF Certificates can also be emailed to Sailingdirector@BreakwaterYC.org.
- 5.4 If you haven't gotten forms and payment to the Sailing Director (Sean Elliott) by the Tuesday July 3rd, then please notify Sean (even if by phone, 631-725-4604) before 11am on Wednesday July 4th, so that he can get your boat onto the timesheet. Then get paperwork and payment in before the race on Wednesday.

6. COURSES

- 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. START

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.

8. SCORING

The handicap system used to score individual placement of boats in a race is the Time-on-Time System. The Time Correction Factor (TCF) is multiplied to a boats elapsed time to get their corrected time. The formula for TCF is: $TCF = 650 \text{ divided by } (550 + PHRF)$.

9. PRIZES

Prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place will be awarded in each division with at least 4 boats entered in that division.

10. CHANGES

Changes to the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions may be posted on the official notice board at the BYC Clubhouse and/or on their website (www.breakwateryc.org). Skippers may also be notified by email.