



2019 NOTICE OF RACE

August 30th – September 1st, 2019 [A1

08/01/2019]

AMENDMENT 1

NoR 1 and 2 are hereby revised as displayed below in bold:

1. RULES

Racing will be governed by:

NoR 1.1 – 1.5 do not change

1.6 The current ORC Rules

1.7 The New England Multihull Association (NEMA) RACE RULES 2019 (www.nemasail.org)

1.8 The Offshore Multihull Association MultiRule (www.offshoremultihull.org)

1.9 Each boat shall carry an operating VHF radio capable of transmitting and receiving on Channel 05A and a cell phone, the number of which shall be on file with the Race Committee.

1.10 Tracking– Each boat shall be required to carry a device (Spot or InReach) or download an application to be run on a smartphone. There will be a link on the Vineyard Race section of the Stamford Yacht Club web page (www.stamfordyc.com) which will allow anyone with web access the ability to track the progress of the race.

2. ELIGIBILITY and ENTRY:

2.1 This event is open to single and multi-hulled boats owned by or chartered to members of yacht clubs or organizations affiliated directly or through regional associations with US SAILING. The provision for US Sailing affiliation is waived for boats of foreign registry.

2.2 Boats that meet the following additional requirements may enter this race:

NoR 2.2 (a) – (c) do not change

(d) Boats may race ORC if there are enough entries (min. 5) to form a class.

(e) Boats electing the Seaflower Reef Course must have either an IRC rating between 0.880 and 1.045 or a PHRF rating from 69 to 147 (YRA of LIS distance rating) and have a minimum LOA of 27 feet.

(f) Boats electing the Cornfield Point Course must have a PHRF rating from 90 to 198 (YRA of LIS distance rating) and have a minimum LOA of 24 feet.

(g) Cruising Boats – Boats rated PHRF 129 seconds/mile or faster may sail on the Vineyard Course, with spinnaker, provided it is tacked at the stem with no longer than a 3' line. Spinnaker poles and bow sprits of any kind are NOT permitted. Such boats will race at their YRA-LIS Spinnaker Rating.

(h) Mini-650 or Mini Transat Class boats with a minimum crew of two (2) are permitted.

(i) For classes sailing the Vineyard Race course – The current YRA-LIS Minimum Equipment and Safety Recommendations for Category A races.

(j) For PHRF classes sailing the Cornfield Point or Seaflower Reef courses - Minimum Equipment & Safety Recommendations of the YRA of Long Island Sound for Category B races.

(k) A copy of these regulations is available on the YRA web site at www.yralis.org and shall be kept aboard while racing.

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