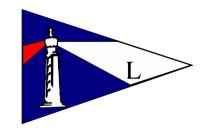


## J70 Beach Brawl

August 10, 11, 2013 Lewes Yacht Club, Lewes, DE



Sponsors: Dogfish Brewery, North Point Yacht Sales, Harken, North Sails

The Organizing Authority (OA) is the Lewes Yacht Club

## NOTICE OF RACE

- 1. Rules The LYC J70 Beach Brawl will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing. US Prescriptions 60, 63.2 and 63.4 shall not apply. The Class Rules (CR) will apply
- 2.0 Eligibility & Entry
- 2.1 The regatta is open to all J70 boats in compliance with the J70 CR.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter online by completing the entry form located at <a href="http://www.lewesyc.com">http://www.lewesyc.com</a>
- 2.3 The Entry fee is \$ 150.00 per boat, includes racing and social.
- 2.4 All boats shall present completed Regatta Registration and Weight Declaration forms before the close of CHECK-IN.
- 2.5 Entries shall not be accepted after 1900 Friday August 9,2013.
- 3. GREEN REGATTA The Regatta is a clean regatta; all competitors are encouraged to not use disposable water bottles. Refrain from throwing trash in the water and recycle all appropriate items.
- 4. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY	AUGUST 9	1200-1800	OUT OF TOWN STAGING
		1500-1900	Competitors Check- in
		1900	Competitors Briefing, w/complimentary Keg
SATURDAY	AUGUST 10	1030	Warning Signal for first race
		1600	After Race Keg and Debrief at LYC
SUNDAY	AUGUST 11	1000	Warning Signal for first race
			No Warning Signal after 1400
		1700	Awards Presentation

- 5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS The sailing Instructions will be available on January 31, 2013 on the web at <a href="http://www.lewesyc.com">http://www.lewesyc.com</a> and at registration on August 9, 2013.
- 6. VENUE
- 6.1 All registration and social activities will be at LYC.
- 6.2 The Racing Area will be in the Delaware Bay in the vicinity of the entrance of the Roosevelt Inlet, Lewes, DE.
- 7. COURSES WINDWARD/ LEEWARD or Olympic courses will be sailed.

- 8. SCORING A maximum of 8 races are scheduled of which 1 shall be completed to constitute a series. If 5 or more races are sailed, a boats worse score shall be discarded.
- 9. LAUNCH/HAUL/STORE All out of town boats shall contact the regatta chair to make launch and storage arrangements in Lewes, DE.
- 10. SAFETY –A boat retiring from a race shall notify a Race Committee vessel before leaving the course, or when that is impossible, Race Committee PRO on Cell # 302-344-9401 immediately after arrival onshore.
- 11. RESPONSIBILITY The safety of the boat and the crew is the sole and inescapable responsibility of the Skipper who must ensure that the boat is fully sound, thoroughly seaworthy and manned by an experienced and physically capable crew. Neither the establishment of regulations or inspections of a boat in any way limits or reduces the complete and unlimited responsibility of the Skipper.
- 12. MEDIA RIGHTS By entering this event competitors give absolute right and permission to the Lewes Yacht Club, J70 NCA, and the J70 Class Association USA Fleet #1 for any photography and video footage taken of persons and boats during the event to be published in any media worldwide whatsoever for any editorial, promotional, and advertising purposes and to be used in press information.
- 13. DISCLAIMER of LIABILITY As a condition of participating: My crew and I recognize that sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury associated with it. We have read RSS 4, Decision To Race and hereby acknowledge and agree that we are participating in this event entirely at our own risk. I acknowledge and agree that neither the organizing authority or the race committee, nor their members, will be (A) responsible for any damage to the entered boat or my other property or (B) any injury to myself or crew, including death, sustained as a result of participation of myself, my crew and the boat in this event. I hereby waive any rights I may have to sue the race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) with respect to personal injury or property damage suffered by myself or my crew as a result of our participation in this event and hereby release the race organizers for any liability for such injury or damage to the fullest extent permitted by law. I have taken all necessary steps to ensure that myself, crew and the entire boat are adequately prepared for all possible contingencies, including appropriate safety equipment as may be required by law or that a prudent seaman would consider advisable.
- 14. INSURANCE Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of \$ 300,000.
- 15. PRIZES Prizes will be given as follows. Inaugural perpetual trophy. Overall event trophies.
- 16. SOCIAL Lots of beer and buffet dinner Saturday night. LYC extends the courtesy of its bar and galley to all participants and guests during the event.

## 17. FURTHER INFORMATION

Contact Rick Pfarr, 424 Kings Highway, Lewes, DE 19958

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And check the web site for more information.

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