

ROBERT H. TIEDEMANN CLASSIC YACHTING WEEKEND

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July 1-2, 2017 Newport, Rhode Island

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The Organizing Authority is the New York Yacht Club Regatta Association. Social events are hosted by the New York Yacht Club.
- 1.2 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*, except as may be changed by Notice of Race Addendum A The Classic Yacht Owners Association Class rules.
- 1.3 The Protest Committee may impose suitable penalties, other than disqualification, for violations of any non-Part 2 rule. This changes rule 64.1.

2 ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 The Regatta is open to all eligible yachts as described in Notice of Race Addendum A, as well as "Metre Classes" and the Herreshoff S Class.
- 2.2 The 12 Metre and 6 Metre classes may sail as one-design classes unless handicap ratings are provided by their respective Class Associations. Prizes may be awarded to different vintage divisions if there are sufficient entries in each division.
- 2.3 Classes using CRF Mark II will be non-spinnaker only.

3 ENTRY & FEES

- 3.1 Entry Forms: The entry form is available on the regatta website. The official entry form and entry fee shall be submitted online on or before 1700 on Wednesday, June 21.
- 3.2 Entry Fee: LOA < 30' \$240 LOA 30' + \$300
- 3.3 The entry fee includes two tickets to the Sunday BBQ/Awards. Additional BBQ tickets may be purchased on the online social reservations form before 1700 on Wednesday, June 21, 2017. Tickets may be available from the NYYC Sailing Office after the deadline on a space-available basis.

4 EVENT HEADQUARTERS

Event Headquarters will be the Sailing Center at New York Yacht Club Harbour Court.

5 SCHEDULE

The first Warning Signal will be at 1300 on both Saturday, July 1, and on Sunday, July 2.

Friday, June 30, 2017

1700-1830 Race registration at Event Headquarters

Saturday, July 1, 2017

0900-1100 Race registration at Event Headquarters

1300 First warning signal

1800 Post-Race Reception at Harbour Court

Sunday, July 2, 2017

1300 First warning signal

1800 BBQ Dinner and Awards Ceremony at Harbour Court

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at registration and will be posted on the regatta website.

7 THE COURSES

Racing will take place on Narragansett Bay using the South Bay Racing Chart that will be supplied at registration. Courses will be described in the sailing instructions. It is the intention to hold no more than two races each day.

8 PENALTY SYSTEM

Rules 44.1 and 44.2 are changed so that only one turn, including one tack and one gybe, is required.

9 SCORING

The Low Point Scoring System Appendix A of the *Racing Rules* will apply, as modified by the Sailing Instructions. Each yacht's total score will be the sum of her scores for all races. There will not be a throw-out provision for any class. A minimum of one race shall constitute a series.

10 PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to the top three yachts in each class.

11 WAIVER OF LIABILITY

- 11.1 Competitors participate in this regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The Organizing Authority and the New York Yacht Club, affiliated companies, and other sponsors will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.
- 11.2 As a condition of entry, each owner, skipper and individual participating crew member shall submit an online liability waiver/media release. The fully executed Liability & Media Waiver Form shall be submitted prior to racing. The waiver form link can be found on the regatta website. A yacht whose skipper has not completed the waiver will not be scored.

12 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

Regatta Website: www.nyyc.org

New York Yacht Club Regatta Association

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