

MYC J22 Spring Series

Milford Yacht Club

June 7, 14, 21, 28, 2022

Notice of Race (NoR)

1 RULES

The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available from the MYC Fleet Captain and always at the Race Committee boat.

3 COMMUNICATION

3.1 The official notice board will be located at www.MilfordYachtClub.com

3.2 On the water, notices to competitors including changes to the sailing instructions will be delivered by hailing. This changes RRS 90.2 (c).

3.3 All boats shall carry a marine VHF radio capable of communicating on channels 9, 13, 16, 68, 71, 72 and 73.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

4.1 The event is by invitation to interested members of the Milford Yacht Club (MYC) and limited to 4 teams. Entry will be confirmed by the Milford Yacht Club Fleet Captain.

4.2 MYC is providing four J-22 sloops of comparable condition with mainsail, jib and spinnaker. Use of spinnakers will be determined based on conditions at the time of race.

4.3 Boats will be rotated each week.

4.4 The skipper (person in charge) shall be a member of the Milford Yacht Club. The skipper shall helm the boat at all times by racing except in an emergency. The skipper is responsible for the actions of the boat and crew while participating in this series.

4.5 Skippers may be alternated at the discretion of the fleet captain.

5 FEES

There is no fee.

6 CREW LIMITATIONS

6.1 MYC membership is not required for crew.

6.2 Crew members may be alternated as needed.

6.3 The total crew, including skipper, can number 3, 4 or 5.

7 SCHEDULE

7.1 The event will consist of four evenings of racing June 7, 14, 21 and 28, 2022.

7.2 The scheduled time for the first warning signal each day will be 6:00 pm

7.3 There shall be no more than 4 races on any day.

8 EQUIPMENT

Each competitor shall provide and wear a USCG approved PFD that is 100% dependent on foam for flotation

9 Venue

The location of the racing area will be the “Gulf” at the entrance to Milford Harbor.

10 COURSES

10.1 The courses shall be windward-leeward, triangle or simple modifications.

10.2 The target time for each race will be 25-30 minutes.

11 SCORING

11.1 Races for each individual day will be scored (RRS Appendix A) with no races discarded.

11.2 Series scoring will total finish positions for all races scored for the event. A DNC for series scoring will be equal to the number of boats competing on that day plus 1. Each Skippers series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score if 5 or more races are completed.

11.3 Three races must be completed to constitute a series.

12 RISK STATEMENT

RRS 3 states: ‘The responsibility for a boat’s decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.’ By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury.

Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes

13 PRIZES

Prizes will be determined.

14 FURTHER INFORMATION

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