

# Monroe Skyline Series - Wednesdays

Monroe Harbor, Chicago, IL September 16, 23 & 30, 2020

# SAILING INSTRUCTIONS ADDENDUM A - SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

#### 0. ENTRY

0.1 Any boat registered in the Chicago Yacht Club Monroe Skyline series or the Columbia Yacht Club Beer Can Series is eligible to enter at no cost. The boats entered in CYC Skyline series are already registered for these races. All other boats wishing to race must register by emailing to:

<u>regattamanager@chicagoyachtclub.org</u> the following information: Boat name, Sail number, PHRF rating. Entries must be in by Monday noon on Sept. 14th. Your entry enters you into all three races.

#### 1 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

1.1 Notices to competitors shall also be posted by Chicago Yacht Club on Yachtscoring and as a courtesy, text and email to cell phone numbers and email addresses of record provided by competitors at the time of registration.

#### 2 CHANGES TO THE SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 Changes to the Special Instructions will be posted no later than three (3) days prior to the race day that the change will affect.

## 3 SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

- 3.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed at the flagpole of Chicago Yacht Club Monroe Station.
- 3.2 When flag AP is displayed, '1 minute' is replaced with 'not less than 30 minutes' in the RRS Race Signals AP.

# 4 SECTIONS, FLAGS, & START ORDER

4.1 boats shall start themselves based on your GPS time. There will be no committee boat or signals.

4.2	Start Order	<u>Classes</u>	Start Time
	Start 1	JAM, T-10, & Spin 3	18:30
	Start 2	Spin 2 & Spin 1	18:40

#### 5 RACING AREA

The racing area is located in the open waters of Lake Michigan east of the Monroe Inner Harbor entrance.

#### 6 RADIO COMMUNICATION

There is no radio communications.

#### 7 THE COURSES

7.1 Boats will start at the Chicago Lighthouse with the line being between the lighthouse and the green light on the south breakwall.



- 7.2 Boats will round the 4-Mile Crib leaving it to starboard.
- 7.3 The finish line is a line extending from the red light on the south breakwall due South (180T)

#### 8 MARKS

8.1 Marks are all government marks.

# 9 AREAS THAT ARE OBSTRUCTIONS AND/OR PART OF A MARK

The following area is designated an obstruction: the area around the pumping stations (cribs) and the guard marks placed around them by the Coast Guard. Boats shall not sail between the marks and the cribs. Guard marks shall be considered part of the mark and rounded as part of the mark.

# 10 THE START

10.1 Boats will start at the Chicago Lighthouse with the start line being between the lighthouse and the green light on the south breakwall.

# 11 THE FINISH

- 11.1 The finish line is a line extending from the red light on the south breakwall due South (180T).
- 11.2 Boats will record their own finish time based on their GPS.
- 11.3 Boats must text their finish reports to: 630-772-6323 within 15 minutes of finishing. Finish report shall have Boat name, Sail number, and finish time.

#### 12 TIME LIMIT

Any boat failing to finish prior to 90 minutes after the last start will be scored Did Not Finish (DNF) without a hearing. *This changes rules 35, 63.1, A4 and A5*.

# 13 PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS

- 13.1 Protests and requests for redress shall be filed by email to <u>regattamanager@chicagoyachtclub.org</u> by 0900 on the Thursday following the incident.
- 13.2 Protests will be heard at Chicago Yacht Club Belmont Station within 10 days following the incident.

#### 14 RESULTS and AWARDS:

- 14.1 All sailors are welcome to come back to CYC Monroe station after the race. The club will be serving food and beverages under the following guidelines.
- 14.2 Non CYC members are welcome also. Credit cards will be accepted at the bar. Docking permitted while you are there.
- 14.3 Boats must RSVP ahead of time each night their intent to stop by and eat, by texting: 630-640-3399 between 17:00 and 18:00 on each race day. Text should have boat name and expected number of crew.
- 14.4 Face masks must be worn at all times while in the club, or on its property, except when eating or drinking. Seating is outside on the patio with a maximum of 6 people per table.
- 14.5 When you enter, please go to the bar. There will be a choice of three prepared boxed meals (Cheeseburger/burger, Turkey Club, or Dinner Salad) which can be ordered at the bar. Full bar is available including specials of some beer at \$3 and Mount Gay Rum pours at \$6.
- 14.6 Results will be announced at approximately 21:00 and prizes of rum will be handed out at the committee's discretion.

# 15 FURTHER INFORMATION

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