

## Milford Yacht Club 2020 Milford Invitational for the Boardman Cup Notice of Race

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**Date:** Saturday, August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020

Organizing Authority: Milford Yacht Club in conjunction with the Eastern Connecticut Sailing Association.

Rules: Racing will be governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing for 2017-2020 (RRS)*, the

prescriptions of the United States Sailing Association and the 2018 Eastern Connecticut

Sailing Association Rules, as amended by this Notice of Race and the Sailing

Instructions.

**Entries & Eligibility:** Boats must have a valid 2020 PHRF-ECSA certificate. Yachts must have self-bailing

cockpits, fixed berths, galley facilities and the ability to be self-supporting for a weekend

cruise. Enter by going to www.yachtscoring.com to register.

**Entry Fee:** Fee is \$50 for US Sailing member; \$55 for non-US Sailing member.

**Party:** There will be no charge for the party at the MYC following the race.

**Deadline:** Friday, July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020 at 1700

**Schedule:** There will be no more than two races with the First Warning signal no earlier than 1200

hours.

**Start/ Finish:** The racing area will be held in an area about 1 nm south of Charles Island, Milford, CT

**Notice to Competitors:** Changes in the NOR and Sailing Instructions will be posted on the official notice board

outside the Dock master's Office at MYC by 09:00 the day of the race; SI's and Scratch Sheets may be posted on <a href="https://www.yachtscoring.com">www.yachtscoring.com</a> 24 hours before the First Warning.

**Signals Made Ashore:** Signals made ashore will be displayed from a flagpole adjacent to the Dockmaster's

office at the Milford Yacht Club.

Classes: Entries will be divided into classes considering PHRF ratings, the number of entrants and

the types of vessels entered. Spinnaker, non-spinnaker and one-design classes are offered and encouraged. Those interested in one-design classes should contact the fleet captain.

**Courses & Marks:** Courses will be described in the Sailing Instructions; marks may be a combination of

inflatable and government marks.

**Scoring:** Races will be scored using a PHRF based "time-on-time" system. The Low Point Scoring

System will be used to determine the places for boats in each class.

**Results & Prizes:** The Boardman Cup winner will be awarded to the Club whose top three finishing

spinnaker entries total the lowest score based on their class finishes. Day prizes must be claimed at the Milford YC on the day of the race at the post-race party to be held

following the race.

**Facilities:** Dockage space, as available on Friday and Saturday nights, will be provided at no extra

cost to competing yachts who REQUEST DOCKAGE ON THEIR ENTRY FORM.

Expect some rafting. Dock Office: (203) 783-0065