THE INTERCOLLEGIATE OFFSHORE REGATTA NOTICE OF RACE

Organized by The Storm Trysail Club and Larchmont Yacht Club OCTOBER 8 & 9, 2022 LARCHMONT YACHT CLUB, LARCHMONT, NY.

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing* Rules of *Sailing* (2021-2024))
- 1.2 Appendix V, Alternative Penalties, Rule V2 will apply
- 1.3 Appendix T, Arbitration will apply as changed. At the end of T4, Arbitration Meeting Outcomes, add (c) If a protest is not withdrawn after arbitration, the arbitrator will not be a member of the jury that hears the protest but will be permitted to observe the testimony presented and offer evidence. This changes rule 63.3(a)
- 1.4 Class rules relating to crew weight and the timing for extending sprits do not apply in this regatta. However, sprits should only be extended in anticipation of setting the spinnaker and should be retracted as soon as possible after rounding the leeward mark. Rule 87 is deleted in this instance.

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 Entry will be by invitation.
- 2.2 All team members must be undergraduate students in the college or university that their team represents.
- 2.3 This regatta is for the benefit of the intercollegiate sailors. Coaches are welcome to sail with their students but their duties and advice shall be limited to issues of safety and equipment use. In addition, coaches shall not serve in any capacity in a hearing except as provided under rule 60.3(d).
- 2.4 All team members must sign a Waiver of Liability.

3 SCHEDULE

Friday, Oct 7 Saturday, Oct 8 Sunday, Oct 9
1700-1830 Registration 0730: Registration 0900: Skippers' Meeting 1400: No Warning after 1100: First Warning this time

4 CLASSES

- 4.1 Boats will race in classes as numbered on the scratch sheet.
- 4.2 The class flag for each class will be the numeral pennant for its class number.
- 5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS The Sailing Instructions will be available on the YachtScoring website (www.yachtscoring.com) or the Storm Trysail Club website (Stormtrysail.org) and sent to each entrant prior to the event. Printed copies will be available at the Skippers' Meeting.
- **6 RACING AREA** The racing area will be Western Long Island Sound off Larchmont harbor.

- **7 COURSES:** Courses will be windward-leeward. Course diagrams will be provided with The Sailing Instructions.
- **8 PENALTY SYSTEM** The Scoring Penalty (Rule 44.3) will apply.

9 SCORING

- 9.1 Each boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 9.2 Boats failing to finish within the time limit will be scored TLE (Time Limit Expired) and receive points equal to the number of boats that finished within the time limit plus two but in no case will a boat be scored worse than DNF.
- 9.3 The overall series winner will be determined by the highest winning percentage of the class winners. Winning percentage is calculated by dividing a boat's high point score by the maximum number of points available. The maximum number of points available is calculated by multiplying the number of boats in a class by the number of races.
- 9.4 PHRF classes will be scored time on time.
- 9.5 One race will constitute the series. In the event that only one race is completed, the overall trophies will not be awarded.
- **10 RADIO COMMUNICATIONS** The regatta VHF channel will be VHF channel 05A. Boats shall monitor this channel at all times while on the water. A hand-held VHF radio as a back-up is recommended.

11 SAFETY REGULATIONS

11.1 Approved personal flotation shall be worn at all times while racing.

12 PRIZES

- 12.1 First, second and third place prizes will be awarded in each class and for the series.
- 12.2 The overall series winner will be awarded the Paul Hoffmann Trophy.
- 12.3 The overall series runner up will be awarded the Puff Trophy in honor of Past Commodore Howard McMichael of Larchmont YC.
- 12.4 The owner of the boat winning the Paul Hoffmann Trophy will be awarded the Edward du Moulin Trophy.

13 CONDITIONS PRECEDENTS

As conditions precedent to his/her participation in the regatta, or any race or series of races included therein, or any and all activities relating thereto, each participant will be required to:

13.1 Waiver of Claims- waive any and all claims against the owner of the boat on which such participant sails, the Storm Trysail Club, the Storm Trysail Foundation and Larchmont Yacht Club and their directors, trustees, officers, race committee, members, guests, employees or agents, for any injury or damage resulting from such participation, and to confirm that such waiver is intended to be binding on their heirs, representatives, successors and assigns of each such participant.