

# **LARCHMONT YACHT CLUB**



## ***Vanguard 15 Spring Regatta*** ***Saturday, June 11 and Sunday, June 12, 2011***

### **NOTICE OF REGATTA**

#### **1 RULES**

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined by *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012*.
- 1.2 Part 5 Section B is changed to provide for arbitration of protests of Part 2 rules.

#### **2 ENTRIES & FEES**

- 2.1 All eligible boats may enter by registering on approved entry forms received not later than 1200, Saturday, June 11, 2011 or online at: [www.yachtscoring.com](http://www.yachtscoring.com) or at [www.larchmontyc.org](http://www.larchmontyc.org).
- 2.2 All entries not submitted online shall be mailed to the Larchmont Yacht Club, 1 Woodbine Ave., Larchmont, NY 10538. Telephone: 914-834-2440. Faxed entries will be accepted only with a valid signature for credit card authorization. Fax: 914-468-7751.
- 2.3 The entry fee for this regatta is \$65.00, if received by Wednesday, June 1, 2011. The late entry fee is \$80.00. Entry fee includes dinner for 2 and keg beer courtesy Heineken. Entry fees are payable to the Larchmont Yacht Club.

#### **3 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

- 3.1 Sailing instructions will be available at the registration table, located at the Larchmont Yacht Club Pandemonium on Saturday June 11 or on the website at: [www.yachtscoring.com](http://www.yachtscoring.com) or at [www.larchmontyc.org](http://www.larchmontyc.org).

#### **4 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

##### Saturday, June 11

1200	Skippers' Meeting – at the Pandemonium
1230	Harbor Start
1300	First Warning
1800	Dinner

##### Sunday, June 12

1000	Harbor Start
1030	First Warning
1530	No warning signal after this time
	Awards will be presented shortly after the completion of racing on Sunday

## **5 COURSES**

Courses will be windward-leeward or Harry Anderson as described in the sailing instructions.

## **6 RACE AREA**

The racing area will be in the waters off the breakwater of Larchmont Harbor.

## **7 SCORING**

7.1 One completed race will constitute a series.

7.2 The Race Committee intends to run multiple races. If fewer than 6 races are completed a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. If 6 or more races are completed a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score subject to rule 90.3(b).

## **8 PRIZES**

8.1 Prizes will be awarded following the conclusion of racing on Sunday, June 12.

8.2 Prizes will be awarded for first, second and third place finishers.

8.3 The regatta is the first event in the Heineken Vanguard 15 Tristate Championship. Overall prizes for the series championship will be awarded at the conclusion of the Atlantic Coast Championship July 9-10, 2011 at Sayville Yacht Club.

## **9 CONDUCT AND RESPONSIBILITY**

9.1 The skipper/owner shall be responsible for all actions of his or her crew or guests. In the event of a breach of conduct, sportsmanship, destruction of property, or failure to comply with the request of any race officer, committee member or agent of the Larchmont Yacht Club, the skipper/owner will be held responsible and his/her boat shall be subject to protest and disqualification.

9.2 As a condition of participating: My crew and I recognize that sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury associated with it. We have read RRS 4, Decision to Race, and hereby acknowledge and agree that we are participating in this event entirely at our own risk. I acknowledge and agree that neither the organizing authority nor the race committee, nor their members, will be responsible for (a) any damage to the entered boat or my other property, or (b) any injury to myself or my crew, including death, sustained as a result of the participation of myself, my crew and the boat in this event. I hereby waive any rights I may have to sue the race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) with respect to personal injury or property damage suffered by myself or my crew as a result of our participation in this event and hereby release the race organizers from any liability for such injury or damage to the fullest extent permitted by law. I have taken all necessary steps to ensure that myself, my crew and the entered boat are adequately prepared for all possible contingencies, including appropriate safety equipment as may be required by law or that a prudent seaman would consider advisable. "

## **10 FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information please contact the Larchmont Yacht Club, One Woodbine Avenue, Larchmont, NY 10538. Telephone: 914-834-2440 or Fax: 914-468-7751. Website: [www.larchmontyc.org](http://www.larchmontyc.org). Email: [racecommittee@larchmontyc.org](mailto:racecommittee@larchmontyc.org)

Jed Kelly – Regatta Committee Chairman  
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