



SIYC

Race Week at Shelter Island

Shelter Island, New York

Around-the-Island Race Friday August 2, 2019

NOTICE OF RACE

The Organizing Authority (OA) is the Shelter Island Yacht Club.

GENERAL FORMAT

- SIYC Race Week at Shelter Island will consist of several days of racing including dinghy, one-design and handicap racing. There will be two separate events for yachts racing in IRC, PHRF and eligible One- Design classes:
 - The Around-the-Island Race on Friday, August 2, including individual trophies and team trophies.
 - The Anniversary Regatta, a one-day series of shorter races on Saturday, August 3, including individual trophies and team trophies.
 - An overall trophy will be awarded to the yacht with the lowest combined score for the two Race Week events..
- A separate NOR for the Anniversary Regatta on Saturday, August 3 is available on Yacht Scoring.

1 RULES

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) 2017 – 2020, the 2019 IRC Rules Parts A, B and C, and the PHRF Regulations as administered by the PHRF of Eastern Long Island. Appendix D, Team Racing Rules, will not apply. RRS 52 is modified to allow power operated winches for yachts sailing in non-spinnaker handicap classes.

2 ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1** Entry is open to yachts that satisfy one or more of the entry requirements in NOR 2.2 to 2.5 or to a class invited by the OA.
- 2.2 IRC Yachts:** Entry is open to all yachts with a valid 2019 IRC certificate.
- 2.3 PHRF Yachts:** Entry is open to all yachts with a valid 2019 PHRF of Eastern Long Island certificate. Temporary PHRF of Eastern Long Island rating certificates can be obtained for the event.
- 2.4 One-Design Yachts:** Entry is open to all classes with a minimum of three entries unless otherwise approved by the OA, and to any classes invited by the OA.
- 2.5** Yachts entered in IRC and one design classes are expected to comply with their class rules
- 2.6** Depending on the number of entries, PHRF, IRC and one design yachts might be combined with other divisions. In this case, entries will be scored for all divisions for which they qualify.
- 2.7** Each yacht shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating with the Race Committee on fleet channels.

3 ENTRY

- 3.1 **Entry Forms:** Entry Forms are available on Yacht Scoring, www.yachtscoring.com. The official entry form and entry fee shall be submitted using Yacht Scoring. Complete applications, including valid rating certificates described in NOR 6.1 are due by 1800 on Wednesday, July 31, 2019.
- 3.2 **Around the Island Race Team Entries:** Trophies will be presented to the best two-yacht team in the Around-the-Island Race. Entries shall be sent to rc@siyc.com and submitted by 1800 on Thursday, August 1, 2019.

4 FEES

- 4.1 **Entry fees:** Fees shall be paid with the online entry.
- Around the Island Race**
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| All entries | \$50 |
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- 4.2 **Team entry:** There is no additional fee for a team to enter.

5 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 5.1 Friday, August 2
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| 1200 | Course Signals for the Around-the-Island Race |
| TBA | Competitor's Party after racing. |
- 5.2 Complimentary day moorings will be available for competitors during the party.
- 5.3 Complimentary overnight moorings may be provided subject to availability.

6 MEASUREMENT

- 6.1 Each yacht shall submit a valid rating certificate to the SIYC Sailing Center by 1800 on Wednesday, July 31. Certificates shall be e-mailed to: rc@siyc.com.
- (a) One-design yachts shall submit either a copy of their valid class measurement certificate when one is required by their class rules or a valid 2019 PHRF certificate indicating an ODR rating.
 - (b) PHRF yachts shall submit a copy of their valid 2019 PHRF of Eastern Long Island certificate. Temporary PHRF of Eastern Long Island rating certificates will be issued to competing yachts based on submission of a valid certificate from another organization or completion of a PHRF of Eastern Long Island PHRF rating form.
 - (c) IRC yachts shall submit a copy of their valid 2019 IRC certificate.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS AND CLASS ASSIGNMENTS

Sailing Instructions and scratch sheets will be available on Yacht Scoring.

8 CHANGES TO THE NOTICE OF RACE

Any amendments to the Notice of Race will be posted on the Yacht Scoring website.

9 VENUE

The race will be held on the waters surrounding Shelter Island.

10 COURSES

Courses for all classes will be defined in the sailing instructions.

11 PENALTY SYSTEM

- 11.1 Rule 44.1 is changed so that a yacht has the choice between penalty systems and the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty. A yacht may choose either to:
- (a) take a One-Turn Penalty in accordance with rule 44.2; or
 - (b) take a Scoring Penalty in accordance with rule 44.3.

12 SCORING

- 12.1 The **Around-the-Island Race** on Friday, August 2, shall be scored as a separate event.
- 12.2 IRC entries will be scored using the IRC Time Corrector (TCC) using time-on-time scoring.
- 12.3 PHRF entries will be scored using time-on-time scoring. TCFs will be calculated using the formula specified in the SIs.
- 12.4 The Around-the-Island Race team trophies will be scored by using each team member yacht's percentage points (finish points divided by the number of starters) within its respective class. The trophies will be awarded to the team with the lowest total score.

13 PRIZES

- 13.1 Trophies will be presented at the Competitor's Party after the race on Friday, August 2 at The Shelter Island Yacht Club. Individual prizes for the Around-the-Island Race will be awarded to the top yachts in each class and to each of the yachts of the best team.
- 13.2 An overall Race Week trophy will be awarded at the Competitor's Party after the racing on Saturday to the yacht with the best combined score.

14 LIABILITY & MEDIA WAIVER

- 14.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The Organizing Authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta. Attention is also drawn to RRS 46 and USSER 1.2, Responsibility.
- 13.2 Media Waiver - Competitors and crew members on the competing yachts grant, at no cost, the Shelter Island Yacht Club, and any other official sponsors of the regatta, the absolute right and permission to use their name, voice, image, likeness, biographical material as well as representations of the boats in any media worldwide (being television, print and internet media), including video footage, for the sole purposes of advertising, promoting, reporting and disseminating information regarding Race Week at Shelter Island and the participants in the Race Week at Shelter Island.

15 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be adequately insured with valid third-party liability insurance that is appropriate taking into account the value of the boats racing and the type of racing.

16 FURTHER INFORMATION

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