



Milford Yacht Club  
2019 Last Chance Regatta  
Notice of Race  
131 Trumbull Ave. Milford, CT 06460  
(203) 783-0060

- Date:** Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019
- 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 2018 PHRF-ECSA certificate. Yachts must have self-bailing cockpits, fixed berths, galley facilities and the ability to be self-supporting for a weekend cruise.
- Entry Fee:** \$50 for US Sailing member. \$55 for non-US Sailing members.
- Party:** There will be no charge for the party at the MYC following the race.
- Deadline:** Saturday, September 21<sup>th</sup>, 2019 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 Dockmaster's Office at MYC by 0900 the day of the race; SI's and Scratch Sheet may be posted on the MYC website 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. If One-design classes compete in the *MYC Last Chance* and The *WSC Last Chance*, they shall have each day scored for a series winner. Two races shall constitute a series.
- Results & Prizes:** Results will be posted at the post-race party. Prizes will be awarded at the Windjammers Sailing Club (WSC) Banquet at the end of the season. One Design Classes who compete in the MYC Last Chance and The WSC Last Chance shall have both days scored for a series. Two Races shall constitute a series.
- Facilities:** Dockage space, as available, on Friday and Saturday night, will be provided at no extra cost to competing yachts who *REQUEST DOCKAGE ON THEIR ENTRY FORM*. Expect some rafting. MYC Dock Office:(203) 783-0065