

## RAM ISLAND YACHT CLUB

74<sup>th</sup> Annual Invitational Regatta
Notice of Race
Saturday 24 August 2019
www.ramislandyachtclub.org

**RULES:** The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing*. Participants are required to meet the minimum equipment requirements as described in the ECSA yearbook. Ram Island Yacht Club is the Organizing Authority.

**ELIGIBILITY:** The regatta is open to all boats with PHRF-Eastern Connecticut handicap ratings and one-design class boats. Boats LOA shall be a minimum of 21 feet. Spinnaker and non-spinnaker classes will be offered. Final classes will be determined by the Race Committee.

**ENTRY:** Eligible boats may register online at: <a href="https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=7292">https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=7292</a>. The web link can also be accessed through ramislandyachtclub.org. Snailmail entries are also available by downloading the Entry Form from the Club website and sending it with payment to: Robert Austin-LaFrance, 207 Plant St., Groton, CT 06340. Please make checks payable to "Ram Island Yacht Club".

ENTRY DEADLINE: Is 2400 August 21, 2019.

**FEES:** Entry fee is \$45 per boat. \$15 per adult for party tickets in advance, \$20 at the door.

**SCHEDULE:** The First Warning is scheduled at 0955. The Starting Areas in the vicinity of Horseshoe Reef N 26, Southwest of Groton Long Point.

**SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Will be available on the Official Notice Board at YachtScoring after 1800 August 23 and in hard copy at the Skipper's party on Friday, August 23 between 5 and 7 PM at Ram Island Yacht Club in Noank, CT.

**THE COURSES:** The course is traditionally around Fisher's Island or within Fisher's Island Sound. Course(s) will be determined by the Race Committee based on weather conditions.

**SCORING:** All PHRF classes will be scored using the Time on Time method.

**AWARDS PARTY:** Trophies will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place for each class. Prizes will also be awarded for the best overall in Racing and Cruising Classes and the best Ram Island member in Racing and Cruising classes. The party is scheduled to start at 1700. Parking and docking is limited. Carpooling is recommended.

**INFORMATION:** Contact Moise Solomon, 781-910-1427, <a href="moise.solomon@gmail.com">moise.solomon@gmail.com</a>. Race documents and results will be available on Yacht Scoring at ramislandyachtclub.org.