



CHARLEVOIX YACHT CLUB

2013 NOTICE OF RACE RED FOX REGATTA AUGUST 31, & SEPTEMBER 1, 2013

NuCore Triangle Race, August 30, 2013

- 1. Rules:** The *NuCore* Triangle and the 43rd annual Red Fox Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- 2. Advertising:** will be governed by ISAF Regulation #20.
- 3. Eligibility and Entry:** The regatta is open to all yachts. Boats may enter online via the Red Fox link at the Charlevoix Yacht Club web site: www.CharlevoixYachtClub.org or at www.yachtscoring.com. Entry forms and waivers must be completed and **fees paid on line by 1800 hours July 31 to qualify for the early registration fee.** Late registrations, waivers and fees **must be completed online by 1800 hours August 28, 2013 to be eligible.** Registrations will not be accepted after August 28.

4. 2013 Red Fox Entry Fees**

Early: before 1800 hours July 31:	US SAILING Members *	Others
Catamarans	\$ 85.00	\$ 95.00
To 29' LOA	\$115.00	\$125.00
30' to 35'	\$150.00	\$165.00
36' to 40'	\$175.00	\$190.00
41' and over	\$185.00	\$205.00
Late: August 1-August 28:		
Catamarans	\$185.00	\$195.00
To 29' LOA	\$215.00	\$225.00
30' to 35'	\$250.00	\$265.00
36' to 40'	\$275.00	\$290.00
41' and over	\$285.00	\$305.00

*Your US SAILING Member Number will be required with registration.

**The entry fee includes Saturday dockage or rafting in Boyne City.

5. NuCore Triangle Entry Fees:

US SAILING Members: \$ 30.00

Non US SAILING Member: \$ 35.00

6. Schedule:

Friday, August 30- Triangle Race

4:30 pm	Skippers Meeting at CYC
6:00 pm	1st Warning Signal
8:00 pm (approx)	Awards Party (cash bar and food) results at CYC

Saturday, August 31 - Red Fox Race I

8:00 am	Coffee and donuts at CYC
8:30 am	Yacht check-in at CYC
9:00 am	Skippers meeting at CYC
11:00 am	First Warning Signal, Race to Boyne City
4:00 pm (Dinner served at 5:00pm)	Party at Boyne City- <u>advance tickets are required see details below.</u>

Sunday, September 1 - Red Fox Race II

7:30 am	Coffee and Breakfast (cash) in the park at Boyne City
10:30 am	First warning signal, Race to Charlevoix
Immediately after the race	Reception at CYC (cash bar and snacks)
4:00 pm (approx)	Awards at CYC

- 7. Sailing Instructions:** will be provided, along with Course and Scratch Sheets, at check-in prior to the skipper's meeting.
- 8. Divisions:** established based on entries will be announced and posted at the skippers meeting. Separate fleets will be established for Main & Jib (JAM), spinnaker and multi-hull. Divisions may also be established for similar and one-design classes. One design divisions will be bound by their class rules. Nontraditional rigs (i.e. Non-Such, etc.) will be placed in the "spinnaker" fleet.
- 8.1. Ratings:** By virtue of accepting entry into the NuCore Race and Red Fox Regatta, entrants accept the Notice of Race. Entrants agree that the Red Fox Race Committee and the Charlevoix Yacht Club will accept PHRF certificates and have final interpretation and determination of handicaps for this event. For yachts without a valid 2013 PHRF certificate, a rating will be acquired from the US Sailing PHRF Performance Handicap listing, and will be adjusted for our regional area.
- 9. Venue:** All races will be held on Lake Charlevoix. The *NuCore* Triangle Race will be in the Charlevoix end of the lake. Red Fox Race 1 will start at the Charlevoix end and finish at Boyne City. Race 2 will start at the Boyne City end and finish at Charlevoix.
- 10. Scoring:** will be accomplished using Portsmouth and PHRF time-on-time, unless otherwise specified in the Sailing Instructions. The *NuCore* Triangle Race will be scored separately. For the Red Fox, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. This changes RRS #A2. There are two races scheduled and one must be completed to constitute a regatta.
- 11. Dockage:** Those boats requiring use of the Charlevoix Public Launch Ramp will be given a coupon for launching. Catamarans will be accommodated on Ferry Beach in Charlevoix and on the Boyne City Marina Park beach in Boyne City. The entry fees include dockage or rafting for larger boats at the Boyne City Marina. It may be necessary to place overflow boats at the One Water Street Marina in Boyne City. All yachts must be equipped with fenders and lines suitable for rafting.
- 12. Prizes:** *NuCore* Triangle: First, second, and third place flags will be awarded in each division. Red Fox Regatta: First, second and third place flags for each division will be awarded for each race. First, second, and third place trophies for overall regatta scoring will be awarded to each division.
- 13. Refund Policy:** Refund requests will be honored when submitted in writing to: CYC Red Fox Race Committee, P.O. Box 522, Charlevoix, MI 49720, and received prior to August 28, 2013.
- 14. Disclaimer of Liability:** Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS #4 'Decision to Race'. The Charlevoix Yacht Club, 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.

15. Regatta Contacts:

More Regatta information visit www.CharlevoixYachtClub.org, Find us on Facebook!
Race Questions: contact Mike Miller 231-547-6167, 231-330-1193 (mamiller@chartermi.net)
General registration or meal ticket questions: Lynn Smolenyak 231-547-5616 or
redfox@CharlevoixYachtClub.org or leave a message at CYC: 231-547-9170.

16. 2013 Quantum® Freshwater Cup.

The Red Fox Regatta is the last of the four Regatta events constituting the 2013 Quantum® Freshwater Cup. Participants wishing to compete in this series must file an entry form for that event. Access the Notice of Race and download the Entry Form at Quantum Sails' website; www.quantumsails.com (enter *quantum freshwater cup* in search field.) Red Fox Regatta results will be provided for scoring as defined in the Notice Of Races for the 2013 Quantum® Cup Series.

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Party Tickets: You must purchase tickets **In Advance** for admission to the Saturday night party events and dinner in Boyne City. Tickets may be purchased with your boat registration or on line at www.CharlevoixYachtClub.org. (select: Red fox Regatta; order Dinner/party tickets.)

Advance tickets by 1800 hours July 31, 2013 includes admission to party events and your choice below:

Beverages and Dinner (beverages below + chicken & BBQ ribs + side dishes) **\$23** each

Beverages Only (rum, beer, wine, pop) **\$14** each.

Late tickets August 1 – August 28 includes admission to party events and your choice below;

Beverages and Dinner ticket \$28 each

Beverages Only \$17 each.

Party, Beverage and Dinner tickets WILL NOT be sold after August 28.

Tickets will be delivered to each skipper in their race packet. Tickets purchased by individuals may be picked up at CYC Friday night, or Saturday morning.

The 2013 Nucore Triangle and Red Fox Regatta are hosted by the Charlevoix Yacht Club
209 Ferry Ave., P.O. Box 522 Charlevoix, MI 49720