



Ida Lewis Yacht Club Club Championship Regatta Sunday, August 25th 2019 **NOTICE OF RACE**

The Flag Officers of the Ida Lewis Yacht Club (ILYC) invite you to participate in the Ida Lewis Yacht Club Club Championship Regatta on Sunday, August 25th 2019. The organizing authority (OA) is ILYC.

Race headquarters will be located at the Ida Lewis Yacht Club, Wellington Avenue, Newport, RI.

1. **RULES:** The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020 will apply except as altered by this Notice of Race, by the Sailing Instructions, and any subsequent amendment(s).
- 1.2 The current PHRF Regulations of PHRF Narragansett Bay.
2. **ADVERTISING:**
 - 2.1 Advertising shall be in accordance with World Sailing regulation 20.2.1.
 - 2.2 Competitors may be required to display sponsor flags or graphics on the side of their hulls; these graphics, if any, will be supplied by the OA.
 - 2.3 Advertising for tobacco products is not permitted.
 - 2.4 Advertising that is a conflict with any race sponsor is prohibited unless permission is requested and authorized by the OA in writing.
3. **ELIGIBILITY:** The ILYC Club Championship Regatta is open to to all Members (regular and subscribers) in good standing of the ILYC and the following:
 - 3.1 Boats
 - a) ILYC Member owned or chartered PHRF handicapped monohull boats with a minimum LOA of 22 feet.
 - b) ILYC Member owned or chartered monohull boats without a PHRF handicap that are assigned an event handicap by the OA. The OA:
 - i. will determine and then assign an event handicap equal to that of a comparable boat by referring: first to the NB PHRF register; then to the national PHRF register; and
 - ii. then if OA cannot identify a directly comparable boat from either register, it may assign the event handicap based on the most comparable option.
 - c) The assignment of an event handicap by the Organizing Authority is not subject to a request for redress. This modifies RRS 62.1.
 - 3.2 Crews
 - a) The helmsperson shall be a Member of ILYC.
 - b) If the total crew is three or less, then only the helmsperson needs to be a ILYC member.
 - c) At least one additional crew person for every three crew aboard shall be an ILYC member if the total of crew is more than 2 persons.
 - d) All non ILYC member crew must qualify for World Sailing category 1 standing.
 - e) Singlehanded entries will not be accepted.
4. **ENTRIES:** The Entry Form is available on www.yachtscoring.com and shall be completed online.
 - 4.1 Boats requesting assignment of an event handicap must submit their request no later than **August 1st, 2019** unless extended by the OA.
 - 4.2 A valid PHRF NB Certificate or a special event rating application must be on file with the Ida Lewis Yacht Club Race Committee by 0830 on **Saturday, August 10th 2019** unless extended by the OA.

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- 4.3 A Participant Waiver Form will be available on line on www.yachtscoring.com. It is the responsibility of the “person in charge” of their crew insure that each crew member reads and signs the waiver. Participant Waiver signed by all crew members must be submitted online or delivered to the Registration Desk by 0930 hrs, Sunday August 25th 2019 or the entry will not be scored as a starter.
- 4.4 All eligible boats shall check-in in person at Ida Lewis Yacht Club on Sunday, August 25th 2019 from 0800–0930 hrs.
- 5. FEES:**
- 5.1 **The entry fee for Entries submitted prior to Saturday, August 10th 2019 is \$35.** Entries received after **August 10th** will be subject to a **\$15** late entry fee, for a total of **\$50** (the late entry option is not available to boats requesting an assigned event handicap).
- 6. CLASSES:**
- 6.1 There shall be two classes: PHRF Spinnaker and PHRF Non Spinnaker.
- 7. LIABILITY, SAFETY, INSURANCE:**
- 7.1 By completing the entry process, the owner and master of each boat to declare that she is seaworthy in hull, rig and gear and that she is properly equipped and competently manned and sailed.
- 7.2 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The Organizing Authority, ILYC, and any official sponsors 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.
- 7.3 **INSURANCE:** Each participating boat shall be adequately insured with current, valid third-party liability insurance that is appropriate taking into account the value of the boats racing and the type of racing.
- 8. COURSE:**
- 8.1 The Courses will be Navigator courses using the marks listed on the most current South Bay Race Chart. Drop marks may be used.
- 8.2 The Race Committee plans to run one race.
- 9. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** A representative from each boat shall report to the Administration desk located at the Ida Lewis Yacht Club between the hours of 0800 and 0930 hrs on Sunday August 25th 2019 to register their vessel and receive the sailing instructions.
- 10. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:**
- Sunday, August 25th 2019**
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| 0800 - 1000 | Continental Breakfast at ILYC |
| 0800 – 0930 | Registration. – Ida Lewis YC Deck |
| 0930 | Mandatory Skippers Meeting – Ida Lewis YC Deck |
| 1130 | Warning PHRF Spinnaker and PHRF Non Spinnaker |
| 1730 | Awards Reception – Ida Lewis YC Deck – All crew members and their families are invited. |
- 11. SCORING:**
- 11.1 The Low Point Scoring System Appendix A of the Racing Rules will apply, as modified by the sailing instructions.
- 11.2 PHRF Boats will be scored based on ratings assigned by PHRF Narragansett Bay or event ratings assigned by the OA using the Time-on-Time formula.
- 12. RADIO COMMUNICATION:**
- 12.1** Except in an emergency, boats shall neither make radio

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transmissions while racing nor receive radiocommunications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

- 12.2 The Race Committee will endeavor to broadcast an announcement on Ch79A approximately one hour prior to the Warning Signal regarding the status of racing. The Race Committee may broadcast information regarding the status of the starting line on Ch. 79A VHF.
- 12.3 Failure to make any of the above Race Committee announcements is not grounds for seeking redress.

13. AWARDS:

- 13.1 Awards will be presented to the first, second and third place finishers in each class.
- 13.2 The ILYC Club Championship award will be presented to yacht with the lowest corrected time.

14. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: Please contact:

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