



2020 NBYA PHRF SERIES NOTICE OF RACE

Summer Race – July 26, 2020 – Hosted by the Ida Lewis Yacht Club
Fall Race – September 26, 2020 – Hosted by the East Greenwich Yacht Club

The Organizing Authority is the Narragansett Bay Yachting Association

1. Rules:

- 1.1. The race will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing
- 1.2. The protest Committee may impose suitable penalties, other than disqualification, for violation of any non-Part 2 rule. This changes RRS 64.1
- 1.3. 2020 PHRF-NB ratings and rules apply to handicap classes.

2. Classes:

- 2.1. Mono-hull spinnaker and non-spinnaker classes. Class splits will be determined based on number of entries at the discretion of the Organizing Authority
- 2.2. One design class of five or more boats

3. Advertising:

- 3.1. World Sailing Advertising Regulation 20 will apply, advertising is restricted as published by that regulation

4. Eligibility and Entry:

- 4.1. NBYA membership is not required. However, in order for these races to be included as part of the GMT Boat Of The Year Series, NBYA membership is required prior to racing
- 4.2. Boats shall enter this event by completing the on-line entry and paying the entry fee. The entry link is available on the NBYA racing calendar, <https://nbya.org/nbya-general-phrf-events/>
- 4.3. The entry fee for each individual regatta is \$40. A two regatta package which includes free NBYA senior membership and entry into the GMT BOTY series is \$80

5. Schedule:

- 5.1. Sunday, July 26th 1100 warning signal for the first class
- 5.2. Saturday, September 26th 1200 warning signal for the first class.

6. Sailing Instructions:

- 6.1. Sailing Instructions will be available on the NBYA racing calendar linked above and on the applicable yachtscoring.com page.

7. Venue:

- 7.1. Summer Regatta will be held outside Newport Harbor
- 7.2. Fall Regatta will be held in the vicinity of Pine Hill Point.

8. Courses:

- 8.1. For the Summer Regatta, government marks using the South Bay Chart. For the Fall Regatta drop mark courses. Courses will be further defined in the sailing instructions.

9. Penalty System:

- 9.1. Rules 44.1 and 44.2 are changed so that infringements of a rule of Part 2, only one turn, including one tack and one gybe, is required.

10. Scoring:

- 10.1. Each regatta will be scored separately. There are no throw-outs. This changes rule A2.1

11. Prizes:

- 11.1. First, second and third in each class of 6 or more boats. First or first and second for smaller classes.

12. Liability and Media:

- 12.1. Competitors participate in this regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing Authority, Host Club, Volunteers, Sponsors will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury, death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the regatta. Attention is also drawn to World Sailing's Offshore Special Regulations 1.02, "Responsibility of the Person In Charge", as well as the "waiver and release of liability" as stated in the entry form.
- 12.2. In participating in this regatta, a competitor automatically grants to the Organizing Authority, the organizing committee and sponsors of the regatta the right in perpetuity to make, use and show at their discretion any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped, or filmed television and other reproductions of him or her during the regatta, and of all his or her material related to the regatta, without compensation.

13. Further Information:

- 13.1. For further information, please visit our website at NBYA.org or contact the Event Chairman, David Schwartz (david@gmtcomposites.com) or the NBYA office at 401-438-2275 or NBYAadmin@nbya.org