

# **BUFFALO HARBOR SAILING CLUB**

## **SUMMER REGATTA**

**JULY 10 - 11, 2020**

# **NOTICE OF RACE**

## **1 RULES**

- 1.1 All races organized by the Buffalo Harbor Sailing Club (BHSC) will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the Notice of Race (NoR), and the Sailing Instructions (SI).
- 1.2 2017-2020 US Sailing Prescriptions and the Performance Handicap Racing Fleet of Lake Erie (PHRF-LE) class rules shall apply to all boats, except as they are modified by the NoR, and / or the SI (and any amendments thereto).
- 1.3 RRS 63.7 shall be replaced by: "If there is a conflict between a rule in the Notice of Race and a rule in the Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions shall apply".
- 1.4 Boats are allowed to have no more than 10 people onboard, but the total crew weight may not exceed the maximum crew weight that is specified on their current PHRF-LE handicap certificate.

## **2 ELIGIBILITY**

- 2.1 All boats must have a BHSC Member at the helm while racing except if the designated helmsperson yields the helm temporarily. Out of town boats and guest drivers that compete in less than 3 events per year, may request a waiver from paying a racing or membership fee from the Race Director. The waiver request must be submitted at least 72 hours prior to the date that the applicable event that will take place. The Race Director, Vice Commodore and Commodore will review the request and a majority vote will determine the eligibility. Unless it is already on file with the BHSC, a current PHRF certificate and insurance certification must be submitted with the waiver request.

## **3 FEES and REGISTRATION**

- 3.1 All boats must register on [YACHTSCORING.COM](http://YACHTSCORING.COM).
- 3.2 Registration fee is \$30 for all boats.
- 3.3 Boats must be registered and paid prior to 11:00 AM, Thursday July 9, 2020. Registration is closed after that.

## **4 SCHEDULE**

- 4.1 There will not be a competitors meeting. Any questions can be emailed to [TomLewin2020@gmail.com](mailto:TomLewin2020@gmail.com) or call Tom at 716-861-3700.
- 4.2 The start area will be in the vicinity of BHSC A or BHSC W mark.
- 4.3 Friday July 10, 2020 warning signal for the first start is at 6:10 PM.
- 4.4 Saturday July 11, 2020 warning signal for the first start is 11:10 AM.
- 4.5 1 race will be run on each date. Saturday's race will be a long distance race.
- 4.6 There will be no after race social event.

## **5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS and NOTICE BOARD**

- 5.1 Sailing instructions will be available on YACHTSCORING.COM on July 8, 2020.
- 5.2 Any changes to the NoR or SI's will be posted on the YACHTSCORING.COM "unofficial" notice board. Changes to the SI's may be posted no later than Noon 7/10/2020.

## **6 SCORING**

- 6.1 All races shall count towards this regatta scoring and the Chilcott regatta Championship. This amends appendix A2.1 of the RRS.

## **7 PRIZES**

- 7.1 Prizes will be given based on the combined score for 1st-3rd place finishes in classes that have 5 or more boats. Classes with 4 or less boats will be awarded prizes for 1st and 2nd place.
- 7.2 Prizes will be presented to the recipients at the BHSC annual awards banquet or if that banquet is not permitted the Organizing Authority will make other arrangements to deliver the prizes.