

South Shore Solstice Race
June 18th and 19th 2021
Olcott Yacht Club
Olcott, NY USA

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1 RULES

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.

2 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located on the Yachtscoring event website.

3 CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted before 1800 on the day of the event.

4 SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

Signals made ashore will be displayed on the OYC flagpole.

5 SCHEDULE

Skippers meeting at OYC- Friday June 18th 1830.

First warning- Friday June 18th 2000

6 CLASS FLAGS

Class flags will be:

<u>Class</u>	<u>Flag</u>
<u>FS</u>	<u>BLUE</u>
<u>NFS</u>	<u>WHITE</u>

7 THE COURSES

Non Flying Sails will sail to Oak Orchard mark and return to Olcott.

Flying Sails will sail to Oak Orchard mark, Wilson mark, and back to Olcott. FS boats MUST sail through the start / finish line on their way from Oak Orchard to Wilson.

Oak Orchard mark and Wilson mark shall be left to starboard.

* Please note that there are 5 permanent marks in the waters outside of Olcott Harbor. They are made of 8" PVC pipe and are NOT lit at night. See attachment B for exact locations.

9 MARKS

Oak Orchard mark (orange cylinder with solid white light / red flasher) **43 23.58N 78 11.58W**

Wilson Mark (orange ball with orange bucket on top) **43 19.54N 78 50.00W**

OYC Mark (yellow inflatable with yellow flasher) **43 20.27N 78 43.10W**

11 THE START

Races will be started by using RRS 26 with a 4 horns signal made 1 minute before the first warning signal.

There will 2 starts, regardless of division splits.

The first warning for Flying sails is 2000.

The first warning for Non Flying sails is 2006

The starting line is between the OYC mark and the lighted staff on the west federal pier.

13 THE FINISH

The finish line is between the OYC mark and the lighted staff on the west pier.

14 PENALTIES

The 2 turns penalty is in effect.

15 TIME LIMITS AND TARGET TIMES

The time limit for the first boat in each division is Saturday June 19th 2400.

16 PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS

Any boat intending to protest shall inform the race committee as soon as possible after finishing

Times and place of hearing will be determined.

17 SCORING

Scoring will be done using PHRF time on time and GLMRA.

18 SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS

Attachment A lists recommended safety equipment.

27 RADIO COMMUNICATION

All forms of communication are allowed. All boats shall TXT 716-200-8868 when they round Oak Orchard mark. All boats shall TXT 716-200-8868 and hail RC on 72 when they are 2 miles from the finish.

28 PRIZES

Prizes will be given to the top finisher of each division.

29 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the race entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The 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 race. All boats must sign E-waiver on event website.

30 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.