

NOTICE OF RACE
Women at the Helm Series
Mudhead's Donzo Wednesday Night Series
June 8, July 6, August 3, August 31, 2022



The Mystic River Mudhead Sailing Association is the Organizing Authority

1. RULES

1.1. The Series will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. This race is open to all boats registered in the Donzo Mudheads Wednesday Night Racing Series.
- 2.2. Boats may enter at any time but must notify Race Committee of their intent to participate prior to the start of the first race that they participate in.
- 2.3. Only female-identifying individuals are allowed at the helm from the time the P flag is raised until the boat crosses the finish line.
- 2.4. Helmswomen must be Mudhead members.
- 2.5. There is no entry fee.

3. SCHEDULE

- 3.1. Four races are scheduled: June 8, July 6, August 3, and August 31, 2022
- 3.2. The First Warning Signal each Wednesday is scheduled for 1755. See the 2022 Donzo Wednesday Night Series NOR/SIs for full details.

4. SCORING

- 4.1. Participating boats will receive their position in the Women at the Helm Series relative to the position in fleet of all participating boats.
- 4.2. PHRF handicap will be used to determine position in fleet for all boats.
- 4.3. Boats participating will also receive their normal position in class and fleet for the Donzo Wednesday Night Series.
- 4.4. Exclusions: If four races are held, count three. If only one, two, or three races are held, all races count.
- 4.5. If a boat does not participate in a race, they will receive the number of women's boats plus one.
- 4.6. If a boat participates in any of the four races, and is not helmed by a female-identifying individual for the duration of the race defined above, that boat will receive the number of women's boats plus one.

5. COMMUNICATION

- 5.1. The Race Committee will broadcast on VHF Ch. 10001 (Formerly 1401A)
- 5.2. Any changes will be posted to the online Notice Board, Yacht Scoring.

6. AWARDS

- 6.1. Awards will be held September 14, 2022, 1755 at Mason's Island Yacht Club.

7. INFORMATION

- 7.1. Contact Greg Gilmartin - Gregprorc@gmail.com - 860-625-0094 - with questions.