### Mystic River Mudhead



# SAILING INSTRUCTIONS 2023 Mudhead MooringBall Run Mystic River Mudhead Sailing Association May 1, 2023- October 31, 2023

#### 1. Rules

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

#### 2. Notice to Competitors and Changes to the Sailing Instructions

- 2.1. Notices to competitors will be posted on the event page online at www.mudhead.org/Racing.
- 2.2. Changes to the Sailing Instruction will be posted on the event page before 1800 on the day before the event window opens.

#### 3. Check In and Check Out

3.1. Competitors shall check in with the MRMSA race committee via E-mail at <a href="mailto:prorcosc@gmail.com">prorcosc@gmail.com</a> within two hours prior to beginning the event. Competitors shall check out with the MRMSA race committee via E-mail at <a href="mailto:prorcosc@gmail.com">prorcosc@gmail.com</a> within two (2) hours of leaving the race course.

#### 4. Courses

- 4.1. The course is a circumnavigation of Fishers Island in a direction and at a time of the competitor's choosing. Competitors shall pass seaward, relative to Fishers Island, of following government navigational aids:
  - North Hill Bell R-2
  - Race Point Nun N-2
  - Lords Passage MOA(L)
  - Wicopesset Rock Cans C-7, C-9 and C-11
  - Seal Rocks Can C-15
  - Youngs Rock Can C-17
  - Chocomount Can C-1W
  - Clay Point Can C-5

#### 5. Start/Finish

5.1. Start: Competitors shall select a government navigational aid as their starting mark and shall record the local GPS time from a position abeam of and within two (2) boat

- lengths of this navigational aid. The starting mark shall be one of the navigational aids described in Paragraph 4, Courses, above.
- 5.2. Finish: A competitor will be considered finished when she has completed the race course, as described in Paragraph 4, Courses, above; and attained a position abeam of and within two (2) boat lengths of the selected starting mark.

#### 6. Time Limit

6.1. The time limit for each competitor will be six (6) hours from the competitor's starting time.

#### 7. Protest

- 7.1. Competitors wishing to file a protest shall inform the MRMSA race committee when checking out from the race course.
- 7.2. Protests forms are available online at Yacht Scoring under Documents/For Competitors.
- 7.3. Completed protest forms shall be filed to the MRMSA race committee via E-mail at <a href="mudhead@mudhead.org">mudhead.org</a> within six (6) hours of completing the race course.
- 7.4. Protests will be heard at a mutually agreeable time and location.

#### 8. Log

8.1. Competitors shall complete the attached race log and submit it to the MRMSA race committee via E-mail at <a href="mailto:prorcosc@gmail.com">prorcosc@gmail.com</a> prior to 1800 on November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

## **Mudhead Mooring Ball Run Log**

E-mail to: prorcosc@gmail.com

Yacht Name:		Sail Number:	
Date(s) of Circumnavigation:		Contact Phone #:	
Class:	R	Rating (including rati	ng system):
Record mark times in bl	lanks listed, and the	e selected start/finis	h mark:
Rounding Time HH:MM:SS	Start Time HH:MM:SS	Finish Time HH:MM:SS	Mark Designation
			North Hill Bell R-2
XXXXXXXXXXXX			Silver Eel MOA(SE)
			Race Point Nun N-2
			Lords Passage MOA(L)
			Wicopesset Rock Can C-7
xxxxxxxxxxxx			Wicopesset Rock Can C-9
xxxxxxxxxxxx			Wicopesset Rock Can C-11
xxxxxxxxxxxx			Seal Rocks Can C-15
xxxxxxxxxxxx			Youngs Rock Can C-17
xxxxxxxxxxxx			Chocomount Can C-1W
XXXXXXXXXXXXX			Clay Point Can C-5
Skipper Attestation: Th	is is a true and accu	irate record of atter	npted circumnavigation.
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