



THE STORM TRYSAIL-SEAWANHAKA CORINTHIAN YACHT CLUB FALL SERIES FOR THE ASTOR TROPHY

at

Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht Club

Saturday and Sunday, October 14 & 15, 2023

Notice of Regatta

(Includes Amendments 1 & 2)

The Organizing Authority (OA) is the Storm Trysail Club and Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht Club.

1. Rules

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing; the prescriptions of US Sailing; the PHRF Regulations as administered by the YRA of Long Island Sound; and the current US Sailing Safety Equipment Requirements (USSER) for Near Shore events.

1.2 All boats are strongly encouraged to follow the STC Safety Guidelines. These guidelines are available on the website: <https://stormtrysail.org/STC-Safety-Guideline-and-Rendering-Assistance.pdf>

2. Eligibility

The regatta is open to any boat with a current YRA LIS PHRF Certificate.

3. Entry and Registration

Eligible boats shall enter and pay the entry fee on-line via YachtScoring:

https://yachtscoring.com/event_registration_email.cfm?eid=15801

4. Fees

4.1. Early incentive: if received by 1700, September 20, entry fee is \$200.00.

4.2. If received by 1700, October 6, entry fee is \$225.00.

4.3. Very late entries will be accepted until 1700 Thursday, October 12 for a fee of \$250.00.

5. Racing Schedule

The first signal will be at 1100 each day.

6. Sailing Instructions

Sailing Instructions will be posted on the Official Notice Board on YachtScoring website on or about October 09, 2022.

7. Courses

7.1 Courses will be defined in the Sailing Instructions.

7.2 Saturday and Sunday courses will Navigator type for Spinnaker and non-spinnaker boats.

7.3 The first mark of the course may be a mark set to windward of the start.

8. Scoring

8.1 The Low Point Scoring System, RRS Appendix A, will apply with the following changes:

There will be a time limit window after which boats failing to finish will be scored TLE (Time Limit Expired) and scored points equal to the number of finishers in that race plus two, but in no case will be scored more than the number of starters. This adds to RRS Appendix A10.

8.2 All boats will be scored Time-on-Time.

8.3 There will be no discard races in the series. This changes RRS Appendix A 2.

8.4 One completed race shall constitute the regatta.

9. Venue

- 9.1 The Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht Club (SCYC) may, if regulations with respect to the current COVID-19 health situation will allow, provide the social venue for owners and their crews for this event.
- 9.2 There will be a reception at SCYC, for all participants, after racing on Saturday. **Awards will be presented at Seawanhaka's Annual Awards Dinner on Saturday, November 4th. Further details will appear in the Sailing Instructions.**
- 9.3 After the reception **on Saturday**, dining service will be available to participating sailors.

9. Dockage

Complementary SCYC moorings will be available October 14-17, on a non-guaranteed, first come-first served, space available basis.

10. Prizes

Class prizes and an overall prize will be awarded.

12. Further Information

Questions regarding the regatta may be directed to the event **chair or PRO**:

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Principal Race Officer: **Peter Troxler** ptroxler@aol.com

Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht Club: <https://www.seawanhaka.org>

The Storm Trysail Club: <https://www.stormtrysail.org>

