



Birthday Race
North Star Sail Club
Sunday, September 9, 2018
First Warning at 1230



Notice of Race

North Star Sail Club, Harrison Township, MI, USA, is the organizing authority.

1. Rules

- 1.1. This race will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) and as modified by the *Anchor Bay Yacht Racing Association 2018 Racing Handbook* (ABYRA Handbook), this notice of race, and the sailing instructions for this race.

2. Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1. This race is open to sail yachts owned or chartered by individual members of clubs or associations that are members in good standing of ABYRA, DRYA, or US Sailing, and who have paid their race fees.
- 2.2. This race is open to JAM, asymmetrical, and spinnaker classes. Class splits will be posted at NSSC clubhouse no later than 2 hours before the race. Five boats are required for a class.
- 2.3. Registration shall be submitted according to registration instructions on YachtScoring.com (also available through the NSSC website NorthStarSail.org/Racing). Completed entry forms shall be received by 1200 on the day prior to the event.
- 2.4. Late entries will be accepted and will be subject to a \$5.00 late fee.

3. Fees

- 3.1. **This race is free for members of North Star Sail Club.**
- 3.2. The entry fee for this race for non-North Star boats is \$30.00

4. Schedule

- 4.1. The race is scheduled for September 9, 2018.
- 4.2. The warning signal for the first start is scheduled for 1230.

5. Measurement

- 5.1. If a boat does not have a current DRYA rating certificate, the RC will assign a temporary rating as described in the ABYRA Handbook.

6. Sailing Instructions

- 6.1. Sailing instructions for this race are included in the ABYRA Handbook under "General Sailing Instructions."
- 6.2. The ABYRA Handbook will be posted on YachtScoring.com (also available through the NSSC website NorthStarSail.org/Racing) no later than one week prior to the event.

7. Venue

7.1. The venue will be Anchor Bay, Lake St. Clair. The chart shows the approximate location of the racing area.

8. Courses

8.1. Available course configurations and visual signals are described in the ABYRA Handbook.

8.2. Course selection will be visually communicated to competitors prior to the warning signal.

9. Scoring

9.1. Races will be scored using time-on-time over PHRF for classes and division overall.

10. Awards

10.1. Overall and class awards will be presented following the race.

11. Disclaimer of Liability

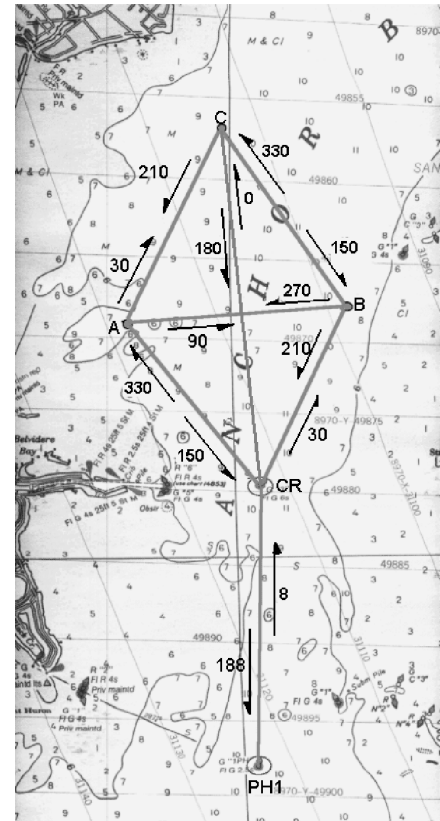
11.1. Competitors participate in the race entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the race.

12. Insurance

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

13. Further Information

13.1. For additional information, please visit NorthStarSail.org/Racing or contact NSSC at 586-463-2192 or Tony Schornak at 586-201-9574 or tischornak@wowway.com.



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