



2012 Labor Day Weekend

September 1st – September 2nd

NOTICE OF RACE



1 RULES

- 1.1 The series races will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* 2009-2012(RRS).
- 1.2 The prescriptions of the Canadian Yachting Assoc. (CYA) will apply for the Friendship Race.
- 1.3 The prescriptions of the United States Sailing Assoc. (US Sailing) national authority will apply for the Memorial Race.
- 1.4 No single-handed racing is allowed.
- 1.5 All yachts shall comply with Lake Huron PHRF By-Laws and have a valid PHRF Certificate per registration.

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Advertising will be restricted to Category A.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 Boats shall be entered by completing registration form or signing up on www.yachtscoring.com per Section 5.
- 3.2 Yachts must register for each race day individually.

4 FEES / DONATIONS

- 4.1 There are no racing fees for either race.
- 4.2 PHYC is requesting a donation of any amount from the entries of the Memorial Race to the *The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society*. Donations of \$100 or more will receive varying skipper handouts based the amount of the donation.

5 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 5.1 Friendship Race is hosted by SYC. Late Sign-up at PHYC and SYC will close at 2000 on Friday August 31st.
- 5.2 The Friendship Race and Awards will be hosted by PHYC on Saturday September 1st.
- 5.3 The Memorial Race is hosted by PHYC. Late Sign-up at PHYC and SYC will close at 2000 on Saturday September 1st.
- 5.4 The Memorial Race and Awards will be hosted by PHYC will be on Sunday September 2nd.
- 5.5 See individual SI's for warning signal times.

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 6.1 The sailing instructions will be available by September 30th on the PHYC Web Site (www.phyc.org) as well as www.yachtscoring.com. Final SI's will be handed out at registration and posted at the Notice Boards.

7 CLASSES

- 7.1 Classes
 - 7.1.1 PHRF – Shall race in accordance with Lake Huron PHRF By-Laws.
 - 7.1.2 ASM - Shall race in accordance with Lake Huron PHRF By-Laws ASM Section
 - 7.1.3 JAM - Shall race in accordance with Lake Huron PHRF By-Laws Jib and Main Section
 - 7.1.4 One Deign Classes will be held per design.
- 7.2 Minimum yachts to form a class are five (5).
- 7.3 Registered yachts can not change class after 0700 the day of the race.
- 7.4 Yachts without a valid LH PHRF rating will be assigned a rating for the weekend by LH PHRF. This rating is final.

8 THE COURSES

- 8.1 The Friendship Race will be a set buoy course.
- 8.2 The Memorial Race will be a point to point course.
- 8.3 See sailing instructions for course details.

9 PRIZES

- 9.1 Flags will be given to the top three finishers in each class of each race day.
- 9.2 See SI's for additional awards.

10 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 10.1 Competitors participate in the races entirely at their own risk. See rule 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 races.

11 INSURANCE

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