

2013 Skyway Yacht Works J/Day Regatta

June 29, 2013

Hosted By
Skyway Yacht Works – Stearns Boating LLC
The Organizing Authority for this Regatta is Columbia Yacht Club

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016*, the safety regulations and rules of the individual one design classes.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. The regatta is open to all J/Boats. Expected classes include J/70, J/24, J/105, J/109, J/111. In addition a J/PHRF(buoy) and J/Cruise classes will be formed subject to sufficient participation.
- 2.2. All classes without the sufficient number of boats are invited to participate in the J/Cruise (Distance) Class or the J/PHRF Class.
- 2.3. Classes require a minimum of 3 boats. Division splits and class selections may be adjusted at the discretion of the Race Committee.
- 2.4. The Registration deadline is 1700 hours on Wednesday, June 26th, 2013. Entries after the Late Registration deadline may be accepted at the discretion of the Race Committee and will require an additional \$100 tax-deductible donation to Columbia Junior Sailing Program.

3. ENTRY FEES

The Entry Fee is \$55. The Entry Fee is payable by credit card at <http://www.yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=590>. Entry fees will be refunded if a registrant notifies the Race Committee of the withdrawal prior to the Entry Deadline.

4. SCHEDULE:

Friday, June 28, 2013

Entry deadline 1700 hours

Saturday, June 29, 2013

Warning 1000 hours

Dock Party 1700 hours

Awards Presentation 1830 hours

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available at COLYC, Skyway Yacht Yard and online at <http://www.yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=590> on or about June 26, 2013.



6. REGATTA VENUE AND COURSES

- 6.1. The courses to be sailed will be windward-leeward with 2 to 6 legs. Windward offset marks and leeward gates may be used.
- 6.2. If a J/Cruise class is formed, they will sail a specially designated random leg course that will be designed to be fun for J/Boat owners, their families, and friends.
- 6.3. The racing area will be offshore, East of Monroe Street Harbor entrance. The exact location will be in the Sailing Instructions.

7. SCORING

Four races are scheduled of which 1 shall be completed to constitute a series. Each boat's total score will be the sum of the scores for all races, and no score will be excluded. This modifies RRS A2.

8. SOCIAL

Saturday, June 29: J/Party – Awards Presentation, BYOB

9. DOCKING

There will be a limited amount of complimentary dockage available at Columbia YC on Saturday June 29. This dockage will be in a side tie configuration with other boats rafted alongside at least 2-3 deep.

10. PRIZES

Awards will be presented to the top third of each class. Additional prizes may be awarded to participants by the sponsors.

11. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The race organizers (OA, Race Committee, Protest Committee, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta. By participating in this race, each competitor agrees to release the race organizer from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

12. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$300,000 per event or the equivalent.

13. SPONSORS

A large thank you to the regatta's title sponsor Skyway Yacht Works and our supporting sponsor Stearns Boating LLC!

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14. FURTHER INFORMATION

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