2015 PHYC / SYC Triangle Sunday Series NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The series races will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- 1.2 The prescriptions of the United States Sailing Association will apply.
- 1.3 The minimum number of crew per boat is two (2).
- 1.4 The Lake Huron PHRF By-Laws will apply and each boat shall have a current Lake Huron PHRF rating certificate.
- 1.5 The class rules as adopted by the local Cal 25 and Cruising Class will apply.

2 ADVERTISING

2.1 Advertising will be restricted to the RRS Category A.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The races are open to all boats owned by members of the Port Huron Yacht Club and Sarnia Yacht Club.
- 3.2 Eligible Skippers must complete registration for the series at www.yachtscoring.com website, link PHYC Race Page.
- 3.3 SYC yachts must also complete the SYC Registration Form.

4 FEES

- **4.1** Fees are \$10 for yachts and must be paid on Yachtscoring site.
- **4.2** Additional SYC fees for racing are required for SYC yachts.
- **4.3** The classes will set and collect the individual class fees if required.
- 4.4 A late fee of \$50 will be after Race Registration due date in 5.5 of this NOR.

5 SCHEDULE

- **5.1** There will be a maximum of 6 races in the series.
- 5.2 Race dates are provided on the 2015 PHYC/SYC Race Schedule located on www.phyc.org.
- 5.3 See the Sailing Instructions for scheduled warning signal of the first race of each day.
- 5.4 If-Needed days will be raced if one or all of the days are cancelled prior to the scheduled If-Needed race.
- **5.5** Race Registration is due May 1st
- Race Registration is closed two weeks prior to the first race day. Boats can request in writing to the Race Chairman to be added to the series after it is closed, each case will be reviewed case by case.
- **5.7** See Sailing Instructions for schedule to award prizes.

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

6.1 Sailing Instructions will be available by May 8th located on www.phyc.org.

7 CLASSES

- 7.1 Classes offered are PHRF, One Design, Cruising (Jam) and CRU ASM
- 7.2 Acceptance of a boat in a class will be in accordance with the rules of that class. A boat eligible to race in more than one class shall designate the class of its choice on the Race Registration Form.
- 7.3 The deadline for changing classes is two weeks prior to the first race.
- 7.4 A boat wishing to change classes must complete the CHANGE OF CLASS FORM located on www.phyc.org by the date shown in 7.3.
- 7.5 Six or more boats and the approval of the PHYC/SYC Organizing Authority are required to form a class.

8 THE COURSES

- **8.1** Racing will be located on the Octagon course, starting at CC Mark.
- **8.2** Triangular Courses will be used for all classes.

9 SCORING

- **9.1** The Low Point scoring system of the RRS Appendix A will apply.
- 9.2 Class rules that modify Section 9.1 of this NOR are the responsibility of the class to administrate.

10 PRIZES

- 10.1 Flags and Perpetual trophies will be given to the top three finishers in each class
- Any additional award from Section 9.2 of this NOR is the classes' responsibility to manage, purchase and distribute.

11 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

11.1 Competitors participate in the races 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 races.

12 INSURANCE

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