



LARCHMONT YACHT CLUB

THE EDLU *55th ANNUAL DISTANCE RACE*

NOTICE OF REGATTA

Saturday, May 8, 2010

For IRC, and PHRF Boats

(Double-handed spinnaker class if enough entries are received)

(Non-spinnaker class if enough entries are received)

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012*, the current IRC Rules and the current PHRF Regulations as administered by the YRA of LIS.
- 1.2 Boats shall observe the Minimum Equipment Recommendations of YRA of LIS, Race Category B.
- 1.3 Each boat shall carry a radio capable of transmitting and receiving on VHF channel 72 and a GPS.

2 ENTRIES

- 2.1 Eligible boats may enter by registering on line with Yacht Scoring: www.yachtscoring.com
Or on approved entry forms received at the Larchmont Yacht Club front desk. All entries must be received no later than 1700 Wednesday, May 5, 2010.
- 2.2 The Entry Fee is \$95.00
- 2.3 There will be IRC and PHRF divisions. At the discretion of the race committee, divisions may be subdivided into classes.
- 2.4 The non-spinnaker division is open to boats with a PHRF rating of 50 and above. Both the Non-spinnaker and the Double-handed divisions will be scored PHRF.
- 2.5 All entries must be accompanied by a valid PHRF certificate or IRC rating certificate. PHRF certificates from other areas will be adjusted to conform to the YRA of LIS ratings. IRC certificates do not need to be endorsed.
- 2.6 Scratch sheets listing the boats by their divisions and class will be available on line or at the front desk no later than 1800 on Friday May 7 and before the starting sequence from one of the committee boats.
- 2.7 All entries not submitted on line shall be mailed to the Larchmont Yacht Club, 1 Woodbine Avenue, Larchmont, NY 10538. Telephone: 914-834-2440. Faxed entries will be accepted only with a valid signature for credit card authorization. Fax: 914-468-7751

3 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available on the Larchmont Yacht Club website (www.larchmontyc.org) or (www.yachtscoring.com) and at the front desk of the Larchmont Yacht Club no later than Friday, May 7, 2010

4 START AND FINISH

- 4.1 The first warning is scheduled for 0955 on Saturday May 8, 2010
- 4.2 The starting line will be located approximately ½ nm. South of the Larchmont breakwater.
- 4.3 The finish line will be between the end of the Larchmont breakwater and an official boat. Weather permitting, the official boat will be on station until 2400 Saturday, May 8 2010.
- 4.4 When the official boat is not on station, the finish line will be between the end of the Larchmont breakwater and a yellow inflatable mark, or if the yellow mark is missing, on a line due south of the breakwater. Boats finishing shall note the position of nearby finishers, if any, and shall take their own

finish time using GPS time and call that information to the Larchmont Front Desk on channel 72 identifying themselves by their sail number and boat name.

5 COURSE

From the start to and around Green Bell G “11B” Fl G 4s GONG (Lat: 41 00.0 Lon: 73 23.7) off Eaton’s Neck, thence to the finish. Distance approximately 32 nm. The mark shall be rounded to starboard.

6 TIME LIMIT

The time limit for all classes will be 2400, Saturday, May 8. Boats that have not finished by that time will be scored DNF. Boats withdrawing from the race shall notify the race committee by VHF on channel 72 or by calling the front desk of the club at 914-834-2440.

7 SCORING

7.1 For PHRF time allowances will be computed using time on distance.

7.2 For IRC the boats rating allowance will be applied as a factor of the elapsed time.

8 PRIZES

8.1 Perpetual Trophies and prizes for First, Second and Third places in each division will be awarded on Sunday, May 9th at 1400 on the front lawn of the Larchmont Yacht Club.

8.2 This race is a qualifier for the “Tuna” Trophy. This trophy will be awarded to the boat racing IRC with the best combined score in the Edlu and the Block Island Race. Scores will be determined using low-point with the Edlu score weighted 40% and the Block Island Race weighted 60% (Finish Place/Weight = Score.) In the event of a tie, the trophy will be awarded to the boat with the better score in the Block Island Race.

In addition the Edlu Race is a qualifier for The Larchmont Yacht Club’s Cruising Boat Championship Series, (The Jan C. Brassem Memorial Trophy and The Cruising Canvas Cup) for the best performance of a Larchmont Yacht cruising boat participating in both the Edlu and Larchmont Race Week.

9 GUEST MOORINGS AND PRIVILEGES

9.1 Guest moorings will be available on a first come basis at no charge. Please contact the Waterfront Director at the Larchmont Yacht Club for reservations at 914-468-7756.

9.2 The privileges of the Club will be extended to owners and crews of competing boats.

10 CONDUCT AND RESPONSIBILITIES

10.1 The skipper/owner shall be responsible for all actions of his or her crew or guests. In the event of a breach of conduct, sportsmanship, destruction of property, or failure to comply with the request of any race officer, committee member or agent of the Larchmont Yacht Club, the skipper/owner will be held responsible and his/her boat shall be subject to protest and disqualification.

10.2 The Larchmont Yacht Club is not responsible and will not accept any liability for bodily injury, death or property damage suffered from any cause. Each participant, including skipper and crew, participates in the regatta entirely at his/her own risk and waives any and all claims, including those arising from negligence or lack of due care, which he/she may have against the Larchmont Yacht Club, its regatta committee, and its officers, trustees, committee members, members, agents, or employees.

Responsibility for evaluating the wind, sea and weather conditions rests with each participant as does responsibility for the safe condition of the boat, including safety equipment and rigging and for deciding when to wear life jackets. Patrol boats or other assistance will not likely be available.

Assistance, if any, from the regatta committee or other Larchmont Yacht Club vessels, or other patrol boats, from any personnel manning them, is entirely at the risk of the participant.

Jed Kelly – Regatta Committee Chairman
Cynthia A. Parthemos – Event Principal Race Officer
Mary M. Savage – Protest Committee Chairman

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