



# Independence Day One-Design Regatta

July 5-6, 2014

Organizing Authority

The American Yacht Club

Notice of Race

and Amendment #1 to the Sailing Instructions

Yacht Racing Association of Long Island Sound

2014 Western and Mid-Sound One-Design

All sections not modified below shall incorporate by reference the Yacht Racing Association of Long Island Sound, Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions, 2014 Western and Mid-Sound One-Design

## 1 RULES

Replaced by: The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in: The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the applicable one-design class association rules, ISAF Regulation 22 as it applies to class rules, YRALIS One-Design Championship Rules, and for all classes, the Minimum Equipment Recommendations of the YRALIS (Category C).

## 2 ENTRIES

The following shall be added: The attached entry form and \$25 entry fee must be completed and received by American Yacht Club by fax or in person before 1900 on July 4th, 2014. For entries to be considered valid, those received by fax require credit card payment, and those received in-person require payment by either check or credit card.

## 5 SCHEDULE OF RACES

5.1 and 5.2 are deleted and replaced by: Races for all classes will be run on July 5 and July 6. More than one race may be held on any day at the sole discretion of the Race Committee. The first warning signal is scheduled to be made at 1255 each day.

## 6 CLASS FLAGS

On Saturday, July 6th, class flag 7 will be used for the K6. If additional classes are added for either or both racing days, another amendment will be issued, or the information will be posted on the signal boat, or both.

## 7 RACING AREA

Replaced by: Races will be conducted from a starting area located approximately mid-Sound, south of Milton Point, Rye, New York. The approximate positions of the starting areas will be announced at 1200 each day for all classes on VHF channel 68.

## 9 THE COURSE

9.3 shall be added: The distance to the first rounding mark for the K6 class will be approximately one-half the range posted on the signal board. If additional classes will also use this shorter-distance first rounding mark, another amendment will be issued, or the information will be posted on the signal boat, or both.

## 17 SCORING

17.4 shall be added: Multiple races are scheduled, of which one shall be completed to constitute a series.

## 18 PRIZES

Section 18 shall be replaced by: Series prizes for each class will be awarded as follows: a first place prize for two or more entries; second place for four or more; and third place for six or more.

Prizes will be sent by mail to the name and address listed on the entry form. If no entry form or regatta fee has been submitted, the prize will go to the next place finisher who has submitted a valid entry form and regatta fee.

The scores from this series shall be included in the season scores described in Section 18 of the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions, 2013 Mid-Sound One-Design.

The following sections shall be added:

## 21 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY/RESPONSIBILITY FOR SAFETY

By participating in this event and any related activity sponsored or undertaken by American Yacht Club, the owner, helmsman and each crew member agree: that they understand that sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of serious bodily injury (including permanent disability, paralysis and death by drowning or otherwise), property damage and other economic loss; that the safety of the boat and her crew and the decision whether or not to start or continue to race is solely their responsibility and at their own risk, see RRS 4 "Decision to Race"; that American Yacht Club and its officers, trustees, members, committees, employees or agents will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property, or to any participant, including injury or death; and that each of them releases and waives all claims which he or she, or any heir, representative, successor or assignee, may have against American Yacht Club and its officers, trustees, members, committees, employees or agents, arising out of or in any way connected with participation in such race or activity.

## 22 CONTACTS

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Yacht Racing Association of Long Island Sound

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American Yacht Club

## Entry Form

### 2014 Independence Day One-Design Regatta

SAIL NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ SKIPPER: \_\_\_\_\_

YACHT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

TYPE: \_\_\_\_\_

HULL COLOR: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBER of YRALIS \_\_ YACHT CLUB: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

ENTRY FEE: \$25

CHARGE MY AYC ACCOUNT: \_\_ , CHECK ENCLOSED: \_\_ OR CREDIT CARD: \_\_

CARD TYPE: \_\_ NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ EXP.: \_\_\_\_\_ SECURITY CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

In consideration of this entry acceptance, I hereby agree that the safety of my yacht and her crew, and the decision whether or not to start or continue to race, is my responsibility and not that of any person sponsoring or undertaking such race or activity. I hereby waive all claims that I may have against American Yacht Club, its officers, directors, members, committees, employees or agents arising out of or in any way connected with my participation in any race or related activity sponsored or undertaken by any of them. I will inform my insurance underwriter of this waiver and inform all my crew members of any yacht which I sail in any such race or activity of their responsibilities for safety. I agree that this waiver is binding on my heirs, representatives, successors and assigns.

I agree to observe and be bound by the rules governing this regatta.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

This entry form, and the entry fee must be received at the front desk (or fax) at American Yacht Club by 1900 on Friday, July 4th, 2014.

Race Committee  
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