

SSC Good Old Boat and Double Handed Regatta

Notice Of Race/GSI Amendment



SHEARWATER SAILING CLUB

Saturday 16 October 2021

Sanction #: 345

Entry Due: Wednesday 13 October 2021.

Mailed entries must be postmarked by Monday 11 October 2021.

Entry Fee: \$40

NOTE: ***PLEASE READ SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR COVID-19 BELOW***

Online Entry: Preferred,

https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet_registration_form.php?regatta_id=22020

Mail Entry: SSC Race Committee

c/o Charlie Husar
702 Dreams Landing Way
Annapolis, MD 21401
(include completed SSC entry form and payment)

Contact: Charlie Husar: 410.266.6216; email: husarc3@gmail.com.

Eligibility: **Good Old Boat Classes** - CBYRA COD classes that meet the 30 year boat age requirement (see "General" below) are invited to participate. *CBYRA High Point* qualifying status may be requested. Non-*CBYRA High Point* classes will have handicap starts for fin and full keel designs as well as one design starts upon request for groups of three or more boats.

Double Handed Classes - The following classes are anticipated:

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Spinnaker Handicap
Non-Spinnaker Handicap

The Double Handed Handicap classes may be split into further classes or combined depending on entries at the discretion of the Race Committee. Additional classes interested in participating should contact Triton499@gmail.com by Sunday 10 October 2021.

Rules: The Regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024 as modified by the CBYRA 2021 General Sailing Instructions found at: <http://cbyra.org>. All one design classes should inform the organizer whether spinnakers will be allowed for their respective classes by Wednesday 13 October 2021.

Double Handed Classes - No more than two crew members, including the captain, are allowed on each yacht. Autopilots are allowed.

Rendezvous: 1030 at Severn River R"2" (CBYRA Region 3 Annapolis Area Mark "X").

Radio: Boats should monitor VHF 71 for courtesy communications from the Race Committee.

Start: Between orange or yellow flag on Race Committee boat and nearby government mark or inflatable.

Signals: RRS 26 "Starting Races". The first warning signal is anticipated to be at 1130. Starting times, classes, and any additional class flags used by the Race Committee will be available by Amendment on the notice board at www.shearwatersc.net not later than 1700 on Friday 15 October 2021.

Course: Composed of Region 3 Annapolis Area Standard Racing Marks as designated in the 2021 CBYRA Green Book. Course letters will be displayed on race committee starting vessel.

Finish: Between yellow or orange flag on Race Committee boat and last mark of the course.

Time Limit: 4 hours. Boats not finishing within 1 hour of the first boat in their class to finish will be scored TLE and awarded points equal to the number of finishers plus two, but in no case more than the number of starters. This changes RRS 35 and A4.

- Protests:** Mail to SSC Race Committee, at address above, postmarked no later than Monday 18 October 2021. Hearing will be held at a time and place to be announced
- Awards:** 1st/3, 2nd/5, 3rd/7 & 4th/10+ starters. Additional awards may be given at the discretion of the Race Committee.
- Social:** A post-race party will be held at a nearby Bay shore location for all participants. Free refreshments will be provided. Directions and other party details will be posted on the notice board at www.shearwatersc.net.
- Other:** A Skippers' Meeting will be held Friday 15 October 2021 at 7 PM at the Bay Ridge Marina clubhouse for captains that are new to racing.
- General:** **Good Old Boat Classes** - The Good Old Boat Regatta is intended to encourage the continuance of active racing in cruising one-design fleets and handicap fleets made up of classic boats of some maturity. Any present or former Cruising One-Design (COD) fleet, not otherwise entered in a CBYRA sanctioned event on the day of the race, may enter. The first hull of a boat type must have been produced no later than 30 years ago. Classes will be finalized on the entry due date. Handicap starts for groups or types of boats that are not one design will be conducted (possibly a full keel fleet, a fin keel fleet, a sport boat fleet and/or manufacturer fleets). All handicap classes will be non-spinnaker and will use one jib. One design classes may determine spinnaker use on a class-by-class basis.

Special Instructions

for COVID-19: All captains and crew should be fully aware that participation in this race may increase your exposure to COVID-19. Shearwater Sailing Club will not accept any liability for any illness or injury contracted as a result of participation in this race. This race may be held under modified conditions or cancelled depending on conditions related to COVID-19 as the date of the race approaches. Any rules or guidance related to social distancing will be stated by Amendment on the notice board www.shearwatersc.net not later than 1700 on Friday 15 October 2021. In the meantime, captains should keep apprised of the current restrictions and guidelines regarding boating and social distancing in Maryland and be prepared to implement those on their vessel.