

West Sound Corinthian Yacht Club
Notice of Race:
Un - Cruise Regatta April 29, 2017

1. RULES

- 1.1. The series will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2017 (RRS) and US SAILING Prescriptions.
- 1.2. The WSCYC Standard Sailing Instructions for Port Orchard Bay (effective 1/01/2015)
- 1.3. The PHRF-Northwest handicapping rules will apply.
- 1.4. Racing rule A2 will be changed to count all races. No races are excluded in the scoring.
- 1.5. The Racing Rules of Sailing rules 35, A4.2, and A9 will be changed. The changes will appear in full in the Sailing Instructions or the Notice of Race NOR). The sailing instructions may also change other racing rules.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. The regatta is open to all PHRF ratable boats. Racers who do not know their boats rating are requested to contact the WSCYC Vice Commodore before race day. This will allow time for assignment of an "off the cuff" rating that (we hope) will be fair to you as well as the other participants. In the event of disagreement over a rating, the decision of the Race Committee shall be final. The registration forms and fees must be received by the race committee on race day no later than 30 minutes prior to the first warning. Registration forms must be complete and accurate.

Participants failing to comply with these requirements will be subject to disqualification without a hearing at the discretion of the Race Committee.

- 2.2. Eligible boats may enter by completing the form provided below.
- 2.3. Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the Race Committee.

3. CLASSIFICATION

- 3.1. There is only one class, Class 1, which is denoted by the signal flag number 1 (white with red dot). This changes SI Rule 5.2.

4. FEES

- 4.1. Entry fee is \$15.00 for the entire series, no matter how many races are raced.

5. SCHEDULE

- 5.1. Registration: Saturday, April 29, 2016, from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m.
- 5.2. Date of racing: Saturday, April 29, 2016.
- 5.3. There will be one class and one start for each race of the regatta.
- 5.4. Number of races: Three (3).
- 5.5. The scheduled time of the first warning signal for the race is 10:00 a.m. The warning signal for the race following shall be at least 10 minutes after the last boat finishes or the expiration of the time limit.

6. MEASUREMENTS

- 6.1. Each boat shall have a valid PHRF-NW rating certificate or shall obtain an "off the cuff" rating as described in NOR rule 2.1.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 7.1. The Sailing Instructions are available at wscyc.net in PDF format as "WSCYC Standard Sailing Instructions for Brownsville (SI).

8. VENUE

- 8.1. The race will be held in Port Orchard Bay. The start is adjacent to the Brownsville Marina breakwater.

9. THE COURSES

- 9.1. The course will be a windward/leeward course from a point near Brownsville Marina to a point near Agate Pass it will be at the discretion of the Race Committee

10. SCORING

- 10.1. There are no excluded races.
10.2. One race is required to be completed to constitute the series.

11. TIME LIMIT

- 11.1. The time limit for the first boat to finish will be 2 hours for each race. Boats failing to finish within 2 ½ hours will be scored Did Not Finish (DNF) without a hearing. This changes RRS Rule 35.

12. ALLOWED RADIO COMMUNICATION

- 12.1. Boats will Monitor Channel 72 for communications from Race Committee

13. PRIZES

13.1. The winner of the regatta will be awarded the Un-Cup perpetual trophy to hold for the year. In addition, prizes will be awarded up to the third place for each division, based on the number of entries. The number of prizes is determined by dividing the number of entries by 2 and rounding down. For example, if there are 5 entries in a division, there will be prizes for first and second place.

14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 14.1. Competitors participate in the race entirely at their own risk. See RRS Rule 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 race.

15. INSURANCE

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

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Un –Cruise Regatta, Brownsville April 30,
2017
REGISTRATION FORM

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Registration forms and fees must be received by the race committee, no later than thirty (30) minutes prior to the first warning on race day. Registration forms must be complete and accurate. **Participants failing to comply with these requirements will be subject to disqualification.**

(PLEASE PRINT)

SKIPPER_____

ADDRESS_____

CITY_____ZIP CODE_____PHONE#_____

BOAT NAME_____YACHT CLUB_____

SAIL#_____BOAT MFG (CLASS)_____

HULL COLOR_____LOA_____PHRF MEMBER Y / N

PHRF RATING_____% LP LARGEST GENOA_____DIVISION_____

The undersigned hereby assumes all risk of accident, and expressly agrees that participation is at the discretion of the owners/skipper. West Sound Corinthian Yacht Club, and their officers, and the race committee, shall not be liable for any loss or injury growing out of participation in this race. I am aware that I must comply with the rules of the road, and that I have no special privileges under those rules with regard to non-racing traffic.

I, the undersigned, also represent to the race organizers that my yacht has liability insurance currently in effect, covering property damage, personal injury and death, and that this policy covers yacht racing activities.

SIGNED_____DATE_____

E-MAIL ADDRESS_____

ENTRY FEES: \$15.00

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: WEST SOUND CORINTHIAN YACHT CLUB