

ORIENTAL DINGHY CLUB



2010 NOTICE OF RACE

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1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 This is a SINGLE-HANDED race. Skipper only allowed on-board.
2.2 The regatta is open to all boats of the PHRF class.
2.3 An entry form is part of this NOR.

3 FEES

- 3.1 The REGISTRATION fee is \$40.00. REGISTRATION is by completing the attached form and submitting it together with the required fee, postmarked by September 27, 2010. This Registration includes one meal and a souvenir hat.
3.2 The LATE REGISTRATION fee is \$50.00. LATE REGISTRATION is for registration documents postmarked after September 27. In addition LATE REGISTRATION will be accepted at the Gazebo behind SailCraft Service, 1218 Lupton Drive, Oriental, NC 28571, 0730 to 0830 Saturday October 2. This Registration includes one meal and a souvenir hat.
3.3 You may avoid LATE REGISTRATION by calling or e-mailing your intent to race including all information required, by September 27, and presenting completed documents to the LATE REGISTRATION desk prior to 0830 on Saturday. Communicate intent to race to: Bill Kirsch: Kirsch986@gmail.com 252-745-8034.
3.4 Current US Sailing members are eligible for a \$5.00 discount if their member # is on the entry form.
3.5 Saturday dinner reservations are available with registration for \$12.00 each. See ENTRY FORM. There may be additional dinner tickets available at LATE REGISTRATION for \$14.00 each.

4 SCHEDULE

- 4.1 Dates of Racing: October 2, postponement date October 3.
4.2 Postponement for severe conditions, e.g. winds in excess of 18 knots.
4.3 A Skipper's Meeting will be held at 0900 on Saturday, October 2 at the Gazebo.
4.4 Number of races: There will be one race.
4.5 The first start will be at 1200, the warning signal will be at 1155.
4.6 Dinner and award presentation will be held at the Oriental Yacht Club on South Water Street, Oriental, beginning at 1700.

5 RATING CERTIFICATE

Each boat shall submit a copy of a valid 2010 NC-PHRF rating certificate with the registration documents. Boats without a valid NC-PHRF rating certificate will be assigned one by ODC.

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be posted on the ODC website. Copies of the sailing instructions will be available at the LATE REGISTRATION desk and will be posted on the Official Bulletin Board. Be aware that Personal Floatation Devices (PFD's) are REQUIRED to be worn at all times during this race.

7 STARTING PROCEDURE

Details will be in the Sailing Instructions. However this is a pursuit race where your handicap determines your starting time, slower boats first. Each boat will be assigned an individual starting time, rounded to the nearest minute, based on time on distance scoring calculation.

8 VENUE

The race will be held in the waters off of Oriental NC.

9 THE COURSE

The course will use a number of government marks along with additional marks set by the RC and will be described at the Skippers Meeting. A chart will be provided as well. When government marks are used they need not be properly observed but are to be rounded as described at the Skippers Meeting.

10 SCORING

10.1 This is a pursuit race and entrants will be scored in the position in which they cross the finish line.

11 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boat(s) will be identified at the skippers Meeting.

12 DOCK SPACE

Dock space may be available at Oriental Marina and Inn (249-1818) and at Oriental Harbor Marina (249-0777). Anyone requiring local transportation should contact Bill Michne for arrangements. See FURTHER INFORMATION below.

13 PRIZES

Up to three trophies will be awarded to each class or division depending on the number of entries.

14 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the regatta.

15 INSURANCE

Entry into this regatta certifies by the owner that the participating yacht is insured with current third-party liability insurance.

16 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact Bill Michne, billmichne@embarqmail.com 252-249-1175.

