



MASON'S ISLAND YACHT CLUB

2010 MASON'S ISLAND REGATTA AUGUST 28, 2010 Notice of Race

- Race Date/Time: Saturday, August 28, 2010 at 1130 hours.
- Entries Close: Thursday, August 26, 2010 at 1800 hours.
- Starting Area: South of Horseshoe Reef, Groton, CT
- Eligibility: The Regatta is open to Spinnaker and Cruising Canvas boats with PHRF-ECSA handicaps. Time-on-time handicapping will be used. One-design classes with 5 entries or more and multi-hulls will be started as separate classes.
- Course: Courses will be selected to suit the prevailing conditions and may utilize Government marks. The Race Committee will endeavor to post a Windward-Leeward course for PHRF Spinnaker classes and a modified triangle for all others.
- Shore Party: The Shore Party at MIYC begins at 1700 hours. *A great many Mason's Islanders pitch in to make sure there is plenty of good food and refreshment for all!*
- Awards: 1st, 2nd and 3rd place for each class presented at the Shore Party.
- Entry Form: Available on www.masonsislandyachtclub.org. Click on "MIYC Regatta".
- Entry Fee: \$20 per yacht; party tickets \$6 per person in advance with entry, or \$10 at door.
- To Enter: Mail Entry Form, valid PHRF Certificate and a check made out to "MIYC" to:

**Bill Canning
6 Old South Road
Mystic, CT 06355**

- Sailing Instructions and Scratch Sheet: Available Friday, August 27 from 1700 to 1830 hours at MIYC. A launch will distribute them in the Starting Area before the race. MIYC will endeavor to post the SIs and Scratch Sheet on www.masonsislandyachtclub.org as well.
- Further Information: Bill Canning Days: 860-444-9313 Eves. 860-536-2231 or wgcanning@snet.net
Martin Lyons 860-536-6448, or martinlyons@comcast.net
- Rules: The Regatta is governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012*, One Design Class Rules, and the Sailing Instructions.
- Rule Changes: Appendix G sail numbers are not required (*changes RRS 77*). OCS boats not restarting receive a 20% scoring penalty rather than DNS (*changes RRS A4.2, A11*). Details will be in the Sailing Instructions.

Competitors participate in this race entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. MIYC will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury sustained prior, during, or after the race.

The Mason's Island YC Regatta is the second leg of Island Cup 2010 with Ram Island YC on August 22 and Fisher's Island YC on September 4.