York River Cup

Sailing Instructions Saturday, September 17, 2022

<u>Entry/ Entry Form</u>: On-line entry form is available at <u>https://forms.gle/2JCmdk8unguxfiH3A</u> or paper version available for download on the YRYC website YRYC website (<u>www.yryc.org</u>). Open to all PHRF boats

<u>Eligibility</u>: with category 5P/4P certificates. Please email a copy of your 2022 PHRF certificate to <u>racecaptain@yryc.org</u> if not already on file with YRYC.

Entries are due by September 16. Boats that do not have a valid PHRF certificate may compete in the Cruising division and will be assigned a rating by the Race Captain.

Entry Fee: \$15

Send to: YRYC Treasurer PO Box 996 Gloucester Point, VA 23062 Contact: racecaptain@yryc.org

<u>Classes</u>

- PHRF Spinnaker (all ratings). Fly a Yellow streamer on backstay.
- PHRF Non-Spinnaker (all ratings, single headsail only). Fly a Blue streamer on backstay.

<u>Rendezvous</u>: 10:30am, in the vicinity of York River R "24" for up to three planned races (weather dependent). The Race Committee (RC) will use VHF 72 as its working channel, please monitor.

Start: Between orange flag on the RC boat and York River R "24"

Start Order: Spinnaker (yellow), non-Spinnaker (blue)

Signals: First warning at 11:00am. Races will be started in accordance with Rule 26

Successive class warning signal will coincide with class starting signal.

<u>Course</u>: Windward/Leeward, as posted on the RC boat. The RC boat Course Board will display: Number of laps: ('L1' for one lap, 'L2' for two laps, etc.) Course: Indicates approximate magnetic bearing to weather mark (e.g., 030, 174) Distance: Indicates approximate distance to weather mark in nautical miles

Marks of the course will be left to port.

Weather Mark: inflatable orange cylinder or government mark (RC will announce on VHF72) Leeward Mark: inflatable orange cylinder or York River R "24"

<u>Finish</u>: Between orange flag on RC boat and York River R "24", crossing in the direction from the previous mark.

<u>**Time Limit**</u>: Two hours, each race. One boat finishing within the time limit constitutes a valid race for its class.

Successive races will begin shortly after the finish of the previous race.

<u>Protests</u>: Notify the RC boat immediately upon finishing. Written protests are due by 1800 on race day at the

YRYH Activities Room. Protests will be heard at 1800 on race day.

<u>Awards</u>: Announced at post-race social. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd for PHRF Classes, depending on number of starters per class. Awards based on combination of scores for all races (no throw-outs). York River Cup will be awarded to the boat that wins in the class having the greatest number of starters.

Awards will be announced but will be presented at the <u>YRYC Awards Dinner</u>, to be held Wednesday, November 16, 2022 at 6pm. Invitations/RSVPs to be sent at a later date.