



Notice Of Race



PYC Bown Race Pultneyville Yacht Club 2005 Season

1 RACES

The annual Bown Race will be hosted by Pultneyville Yacht Club at Hamilton Street Extension Putlneyville, NY 14538 on September 10th, 2005. The skipper's meeting will be at the PYC Club House or Pavilion at 10:00AM. Starting gun is planned for 11:00 AM. The PYC Race Committee is the organizing authority for this racing event.

2 RULES

The race will be governed by the rules as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing.

3 OTHER GOVERNING DOCUMENTS

The rules of PRHF-LO regarding compliance to a standard boat and adherence to a boat's rating per the honor system shall apply.

4 CLASSES

This race will have Spinnaker and Genoa Only boats in mixed racing using applicable PHRF-LO handicaps scored as one fleet.

5 ELIGIBILITY

Participation in club racing is encouraged. Please join your fellow club members in this exciting annual event. Eligibility details are specified in the *Entries* section of the *Sailing Instructions*.

6 ADVERTISING

This event is designated Category A in accordance with Rule 79 and Appendix 1.

7 REGISTRATION AND FEES

No fees apply.

8 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions are available from the Fleet Captain and a copy will be posted on the PYC clubhouse bulletin board. They can also be found on the PYC web site at <http://www.pultneyvilleyachtclub.org>.

9 SCORING SYSTEM

This race series will be scored using applicable PRHF-LO handicaps and the low points system with standard or default tie breaking methods as per the Racing Rules Of Sailing.

10 COURSE

The course will be announced at the skipper's meeting. Weather conditions will dictate the course chosen. Traditional course is down to the Sodus channel breakwater and back to PYC.

11 PENALTIES

The penalty for breaking Rule 2 shall be 720 degree turns per Rules 44.1 and 44.2.

12 PRIZES

Flags will be awarded for race winners in 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishes. The Bown Trophy will be awarded at the PYC Annual Banquet.