NOTICE OF RACE

54TH ANNUAL PILOT REGATTA
Portland Yacht Club
Falmouth, Maine

JUNE 15, 2019

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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. ADVERTISING

2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 The regatta is open to all boats.

3.2 Boats competing in the 2019 GMORA series must have a valid 2019 PHRF-NE or NEMA rating certificate. PHRF- NE Certificates may be obtained by joining the Gulf of Maine Ocean Racing Association or their local fleet within PHRF-NE. Multihull owners can join NEMA and get a rating certificate through the NEMA web site.

3.3 A copy of the boat's rating certificate must accompany the entry if registering on race day.

3.4 Boats entering any division that is not being scored for GMORA standings may enter without a rating certificate. The Race Committee will assign a rating based on PHRF-NE database.

3.5 Eligible boats may enter by completing registration forms and paying the required fee online at www.regattaman.com by June 13, 2019.

3.6 Late entries will be accepted with a $10 late fee.

3.7 One Design fleets of 3 or more boats may have their own start.

4. FEES

4.1 Required fees are as follows:

Class	*Fee*
Racing and Cruising	$65 (includes 2 dinner tickets)
Laser and Laser Radial	$30 (includes 1 dinner ticket)

Additional dinner tickets may be purchased for $15

5. SCHEDULE
Saturday, June 15, 2019

Registration	1000 – 1100
Skipper's Meeting	1130
First Warning Gun	1300

Post-race festivities immediately following racing.

- Enjoy our Clubhouse to freshen up!
- Awards before dinner, barring no protests and results are calculated
- Post-Race Party: Families of members and crew are welcome

5.1 There will be as many races as is practicable for all classes at the Race Committee's discretion.

5.2 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 1300.

5.3 No warning signal will be made after 1800.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

6.1 The final sailing instructions will be available after 1000 hours on Saturday, June 15, 2019 at the Portland Yacht Club.

7. VENUE

7.1 Attachment A shows the location of the regatta harbor and the racing areas.

8. COURSES

8.1 PHRF courses will use government marks as described on the PYC marks list shown in Attachment A.

8.2 Laser and Laser Radial courses will use drop marks.

8.3 The diagrams in Attachment B show the Laser and Laser Radial courses, including the approximate angles between legs, the order in which marks are to be passed, and the side on which each mark is to be left.

9. SCORING

9.1 The scoring system is as follows: RRS Appendix A

9.2 One (1) race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

9.3 A boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

10. RADIO COMMUNICATION

10.1 Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

11. PRIZES

11.1 Prizes will be given as follows:
Top 2 places for all classes

12. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 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 regatta.

13. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of $300,000 per incident or the equivalent. The requirement for liability insurance is waived for the Laser and Laser Radial classes, but participants will be required to sign a Disclaimer of Liability at event Registration.

14. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:
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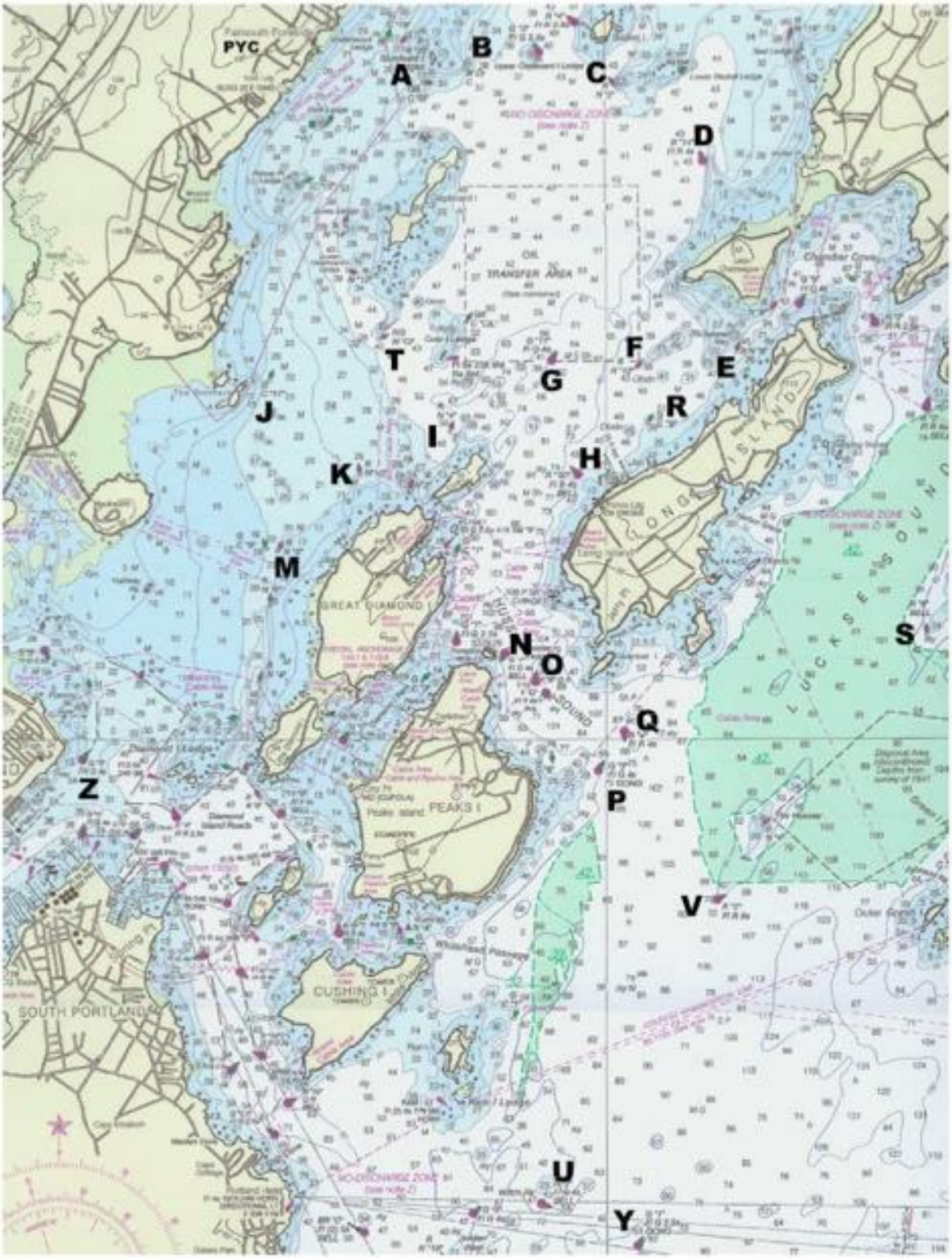
----------End Notice of Race----------

ATTACHMENT A



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GENERAL INFORMATION

Mooring Information

Saturday Only

Morning: Raft up with us on the dock for easy check-in and the skippers meeting.

Afternoon: Temporary moorings and/or dock space will be available so you may enjoy the party and awards ceremony. Please check-in with the launch attendants when you arrive if you need a mooring.

Overnight Stay: A limited number of complimentary moorings are available for Guest entrants from PYC for Friday and Saturday nights. To reserve a mooring, please contact in advance the PYC Waterfront Manager at 207-781-9820, Ext. 16. Boats arriving without a reservation may contact the PYC waterfront (VHF Channel 68) at the time of arrival. The attendants will attempt to find a vacant mooring. If none are available, you may be able to rent one from Handy Boat Service (VHF Channel 9, 207-781- 5110)

Parking Information

PYC has limited parking availability for guests and members so we politely ask crews to carpool as much as possible. A limited number of parking passes will be available. Inquire at registration.

Guest parking may be restricted to a specific area; if so, an attendant on duty will direct you. Out of respect for our neighbors, overnight parking is not allowed anywhere off the paved surface. Parking for other cars is available at satellite lots on Route 1 in Falmouth. You are cautioned, however, that cars parked overnight in the Shaw's shopping center lot are likely to be towed. For updated information, see the PYC Club Manager or the Race Committee.

No Smoking

PYC does not permit smoking anywhere on Club Property. (The inside of a car is not Club property.) We ask all members and guests to respect that policy and, out of respect for our neighbors, not to smoke on their property as well.

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