



**Jubilee Regatta
Jubilee Yacht Club
Up to 3 Races
Saturday, September 9, 2017
EVENT SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

1 RULES

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*, *MBSA Notice of Race and General Sailing Instructions* and these *Event Sailing Instructions*.

The Jubilee Regatta is a qualifier for the Salem Bay Grand Slam Series, PHRF Marblehead Coney Ledge Season series, the Mass Bay Season Championship, and the J105 Mass Bay Series.

2 ENTRIES

Competitors may enter by registering at <https://www.regattaman.com> and paying the \$60.00 entry fee. Entries must be submitted before 0800 on Saturday, September 9, 2017. Member discounts are \$5 for US Sailing and \$5 for MBSA. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Race Committee (RC).

All JYC racing season pass holders are entitled to race at half price (\$30 before discounts).

3 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors will be posted on the Jubilee Yacht Club Racing website www.jycracing.org.

4 RADIO USE and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Any changes to the race schedule or cancellations will be announced at 0900 on VHF 72.

RC will monitor VHF 72 from 0900 until one hour after racing ends for the day. Please refrain from hailing the RC during the starting sequences.

The RC will attempt to hail premature starters on VHF 72. Failure to hail will not be cause for redress.

5 SCHEDULE

A maximum of 3 races will be held. The second and third races will be held as soon as possible after the end of the previous race.

No Skippers meeting will be held. Email: asktherc@jycracing.org with any questions.

The warning signal for the first race is scheduled for 1100 hours, Saturday, September 9, 2017. The RC expects to use 5 minute rolling starts, but may delay certain fleets if necessary.

6 CLASS FLAGS

For all races classes will start in the following order:

Flag A = PHRF A

Flag B = PHRF B

Flag J105 = J105 One Design

Flag C = PHRF C

Flag F = PHRF Cruising F

Flag D = PHRF D

Flag G = PHRF Cruising G

Class Starts may be combined at the discretion of the RC; monitor VHF 72.

7 RACING AREA

The racing area will be within Salem Sound and boats are to meet in the vicinity of G13, Curtis Point. Although any marks on the MBSA mark lists A & B may be used, the RC expects to use inflatable marks. The RC may hoist the Lima “follow me” and move the start as needed.

8 COURSES and MARKS

Course

MBSA Standard Rounding Marks, Lists A & B, MBSA Standard Courses, using inflatable marks.

The marks of the course shall be indicated in RC boat’s signal rack; expect windward-leeward races, once or twice around depending on the breeze.

Marks

If inflatable marks are used, the RC expects them to be as follows:

- [The starting line will be between **the yellow flag** on the JYC RC boat and the **red tetrahedron inflatable** mark to port.
- [The finish line will be between **the blue RC flag** on the JYC RC boat and the **green inflatable tetrahedron finish mark** set to starboard of the RC boat.
- [The windward mark shall be an **orange inflatable cylinder** with no offset mark.
- [A different course may be signaled for some fleets. If so, a separate **red inflatable tetrahedron windward mark** will be used, with no offset mark.
- [The leeward mark for all fleets shall be a **white inflatable tetrahedron**, set approximately 0.1nm upwind of the RC boat.
- [The shape and colors of the marks may be changed if necessary.

9 TIME LIMIT

If no boat in a class finishes within 2 hours of its start the race shall be abandoned for that class.

Any yacht that has not finished **within 30 minutes** after the first yacht in its class to finish will be scored OTL (Over Time Limit) and will be given a finishing position one lower than the last boat to have finished within the time limit. This alters RRS 35 and A4. If there are yachts still racing the RC will announce the expiration of the time limit via VHF 72. Affected yachts should return to the starting area as soon as possible.

10 PROTESTS

Competitors intending to protest must inform and be acknowledged by the finish boat within 10 minutes following their finish as an additional requirement of protest filing. This addition changes RRS 61.

Protests shall be delivered to Jubilee Yacht Club Regatta Committee Office within **1 hour** after the RC boat docks. The protest time limit and a list of protests received will be posted on the notice board outside the Regatta Committee Office on first floor. Hearings will be held as soon as possible after racing at the Jubilee Yacht Club.

11 SCORING

No races shall be excluded. Individual races shall be scored using PHRF Time on Distance. Low point scoring shall be used to score the regatta. Three races are scheduled. If only one race is completed that shall constitute a series. The first tie break is RRS A8.1 the second tie break is total corrected time per the Mass Bay Sailing GSIs. This changes RRS A8.2.

Prizes will be awarded for First and Second place in each class.

Additional Information

Moorings: A limited number of moorings are available for boats traveling from a distance. For information and reservations email Roger Kuebel, Rogerkuebel@gmail.com.

Social Activities: All captains, crew and guests are invited to the Jubilee Yacht Club for the prize giving and festivities. Festivities include food, libations, and music. The party will be held rain or shine. Party tickets can be purchased via the Regattaman website at anytime thru Friday, Sep 8. A limited number will be available for sale at the event. Tickets are \$8 per person through Sep 6 and \$10 per person after Sep 6, and entitle each person to food and three beers. Please purchase your tickets early, by doing so you save money and help us make sure there's plenty for everyone.