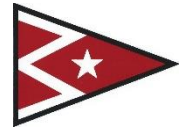




BAKERS LIGHT TIME TRIAL

hosted by Marblehead Yacht Club

June 1 – September 6, 2021



1.1 Event: The Bakers Light Time Trial is a self-timed ‘Round the Island’ style distance practice sail. Boats sail a predetermined course, at their convenience, and record their own start and finish times which will be posted on Regattaman. The Bakers Light Time Trial can be run at any time during the specified period...you pick the day, wind, tide conditions, crew and beer. The idea is you can use this as your family sail, practice your shorthanded racing, or whatever. Competitors are encouraged to make as many attempts as possible at setting their best time between June 1st and September 6th 2021.

2.1 Eligibility: Open to all One-design boats and boats holding a PHRF or ORRez Certificate. Boats that do not have a valid certificate, including One-design boats, will be assigned a non-contestable rating.

2.2 Registration: Registration is through Regattaman. (www.regattaman.com)

2.3 Fees: The event is FREE for unlimited attempts.

2.4 Handicap(s): PHRF Time on Distance or ORRez Time on Distance GPH ratings will be used to cover all conditions.

3.0 Rules This event shall be governed by the Mass Bay Sailing Association General Sailing Instructions, except as changed by these Event Sailing Instructions. Please note: Boats shall honor the restricted area outlined in the 2020 Mass Bay Sailing Yearbook on page 17.

4.0 Notice to Competitors: There will be no skippers meeting and no Race Committee for this event.

9.0 Racing Area: The three marks defining the course are:

- Marblehead Channel Bell (15-FT RK) RG “FR” Fl (2+1) R 6s 42.30.2426 070.49.0773
- Newcomb Ledge Whistle G “1” Fl G 4s 42.30.4639 070.44.3875
- Salem Channel Bell (POWERS LG) G “9” QG 42.32.3927 070.47.2894

10.1 Course: The course can be run in either direction, starting at any of the three marks. The mark used to start the race will also be the finishing mark. The other marks become turning marks. If the course is sailed clockwise all marks shall be left to starboard, and if the course is sailed counter clockwise all marks shall be left to port.

13. The Start: At the mark of their choosing, a competitor’s elapsed time will start when their vessel is within one boat length and abeam of the starting mark.

16. The Finish: The same mark chosen for the start will also be the finish mark. A competitor’s elapsed time will stop when their vessel is within one boat length and abeam of finish mark having passed the finish mark on the same side as when starting.

20. Sailing Times: Competitors should email their start & finish times to cseamans1@yahoo.com

Please record the information below. This data calculates your finish position in class but will also generate your theoretical elapsed time based on your yacht’s polars. This will make the TT an

interesting training tool as you'll be able to compare your time to your theoretical calculated "lap time".

Start time

Finish time

Start/finish buoy

Marks to Port or Starboard

Average Wind Strength

Average Wind Direction (magnetic)

Elapsed times will be reported & updated on Regattaman ASAP. A boat that sails the course multiple times will see their best elapsed time posted on Regattaman.