



Camden Yacht Club
Presents

37th Annual Camden to Brooklin Feeder Race

August 2, 2024

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta is governed by the current rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2. All boats shall comply with Federal and State safety requirements.
- 1.3. All boats shall tow an appropriate dinghy in order to be scored.

2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1. The Sailing Instructions (SIs) will be available no later than 0900 hours on 2 August 2024 at the Mandatory Skippers Meeting.

3. COMMUNICATION

- 3.1. Official communications will be on the Official Notice Board.
- 3.2. The online notice board will be linked on the CYC website www.camdenyachtclub.com.
- 3.3. All boats in all classes shall carry and monitor a functioning VHF radio.

4. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

- 4.1. Entry is open to boats LOA of 25 feet or longer built of wood construction. The OA reserves the right to limit the number of entries in any Division. In addition, in accordance with RRS 76.1, the OA may reject the entry of any boat that does not fit the general parameters of the other boats.
- 4.2. Entry is open to mono-hulled boats with valid CRF certificates for 2024. Any disputes related to classes and/or designations are at the sole discretion of the OA.
- 4.3. All boat owners must complete an Entry Form which can be found online at www.Regattaman.com. If a boat cannot register online, please contact the OA at dggund@gmail.com for assistance and to register.
- 4.4. The entry form, entry fee and valid current rating certificate shall be submitted before 1700 hours on August 1, 2024. Late fees of \$50 will be charged after 1700 hours on August 1, 2024. Boats registering with a late fee will be allowed to participate at the sole discretion of the OA.
- 4.5. All boats shall check in at the Mandatory Skippers Briefing.
- 4.6. Division breaks or alternative Starting Group assignments will be at the discretion of the OA and will be announced at the skippers meeting and posted on the Official Notice Board.

Preliminary breaks are as follows:

VINTAGE, CLASSIC, MODERN CLASSIC, SPIRIT OF TRADITION

5. FEES

- 5.1. Entry Fees for all classes are \$85 prior to August 1st, after which a \$50 late fee will be applied. Entry Fees include 2 tickets to The Camden Area Youth Seamanship Program (CAYSP) Fundraising Cocktail Reception on Thursday night 8/1/2024.

6. SCHEDULE

Friday, August 2nd 2024

CYC Annual Regatta Breakfast	0800
Mandatory Skippers Meeting	0900
First Warning Signal	1105
Second Warning Signal	1115

7. THE COURSE

- 7.1. The course is a destination race from Camden, ME to Brooklin, ME.
- 7.2. Details of the course will be outlined in the Sailing Instructions.

8. SCORING

- 8.1. Classic Yachts with CRF Ratings will be scored using CRF scoring guidelines and may be scored either Time on Time or Time on Distance.
- 8.2. Ties will be broken using the Best Corrected Speed method.

9. RISK STATEMENT / DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 9.1. Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk as outlined in RRS 3.
- 9.2. 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. Attention is drawn to RRS 46.

10. INSURANCE

- 10.1. Each participating boat shall be insured with current, valid third-party liability insurance that is appropriate taking into account the value of the boats racing and the type of racing.

11. MEDIA WAIVER & PROMOTIONAL CREW

- 11.1. Media Waiver – Competitors and crew members on the competing boats grant, at no cost, the OA and any official sponsors of the regatta, the absolute right and permission to use their image, name, voice, likeness, biographical material as well as representations of the boats in any media worldwide (being print, television and internet media), including video footage, for the sole purpose of advertising, promoting, reporting and disseminating information regarding the regatta and participants therein.

12. PRIZES AND TROPHIES

- 12.1. Prizes will be awarded to First, Second, and Third place finishers in each Division listed in part 4.6.

13. FURTHER INFORMATION

- 13.1. For further information go to www.camdenyachtclub.org or email the regatta committee at dggund@gmail.com.