



Shelter Island Yacht Club
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NOTICE OF RACE
Heatherton Trophy Race
Sunday, July 3, 2011

Organizing Authority: The Shelter Island Yacht Club.

1. Rules: The race will be governed by the *rules* as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing, (RRS) 2009-2012, and the prescriptions of the US Sailing Association, except as changed by this notice, the ELIYA General Conditions and the Shelter Island Heatherton Trophy Race Sailing Instructions.

2. Classes: The Race is open to all PHRF class boats with a **current, 2011**, PHRF-ELI Certificate. There will be both spinnaker and non-spinnaker classes, divided in accordance with the ELIYA, 2011 CRC Trophy Divisions I, II, III, IV.

Entrants are encouraged to display the code flag for their division from the backstay to facilitate identification by other entrants and the Race Committee.

Note: If at least four boats of a one design class enter to race, using the class one design rating, they will be scored as a class as well as within the appropriate division, e.g., J105s racing as a class as well as in division I.

3. Scoring: PHRF, Time on Time Scoring.

4. Start Times: (See RRS, Part 3, 26 Starting Races)

<u>Signal</u>	<u>Flag and Sound</u>	<u>Minutes before start</u>
Warning	Class Flag + 1 sound	5
Preparatory	P,I,Z, Z+ I, or Black flag(s), + 1 Sound	4
One-minute	Preparatory Flag removed: 1 long sound	1
Starting	Class flag removed: 1 Sound	0

The first **warning signal** will be at **1100**. The warning signal for subsequent classes shall be made **with or after** the starting signal of the preceding class.

5. The Start: Between an Orange Flag on the Race Committee Boat and a red ball or an inflatable mark set in Orient Harbor.

6. The Finish: Between an Orange Flag on the Race Committee Boat and a red ball, an inflatable mark or Government mark set in the position indicated under courses in the Sailing Instructions.

7. Courses: Courses in detail will be included in the Sailing Instructions. Weather and current permitting the course will initiate counter-clockwise around Shelter Island to Noyac Bay, returning and ending at the eastern side of Pipes Cove. However, the Race Committee may elect to provide a different course for **all or some** divisions.

8. Sailing Instructions: The Sailing Instructions will be available at the Shelter Island Yacht Club one week prior to the race or from the Committee Boat on the day of the race.

9. Communications: The Race Committee will monitor Channels 9 and 72.

10 Time Limit: Five hours from the start time for **each** division.

11. Entries: Entry fee: \$30.00. Please make your check payable to SIYC. Skippers who are members of US Sailing deduct \$5.00. No other deductions will be permitted.

Include a copy of the boat's 2011 PHRF-ELI certificate with your ELIYA Race Entry Form. Please do not neglect to indicate in which Division you intend to race and to sign the waiver.

12 Mail Entries: Entries must be received by Monday, June 27, 2011. Mail to:

The Shelter Island YC Race Committee
P.O. Box 546
Shelter Island Heights, NY 11965
Attn: Pierce Hance
Tel: 631- 725-0459
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Participants are invited to visit the club, post race, for a party. Contact the Waterfront Manager at 749-0888 to arrange mooring/dockage.