

19th Annual SHOWDOWN AT SUNDOWN

Presented by Detroit Sail Club & Priems Yachting Society

Principal Race Officer: David Beard

Commodore: Ann Kelly

Marks: Todd Jones

Tuesday Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30, 2008

Notice of Race

RULES: Governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing, prescriptions of U.S. Sailing Association and class rules.

Entry: Open to any qualified yachts in a one design class or PHRF class. Fee is \$26.00, with discount of \$1.00 for U.S.S.A. members. Submit entry form before the first race with a PHRF rating. Yachts with greater than 50 water balloons may be assessed a penalty.

Start: Signals from the mast at Edison Boat Club. An Orange starting mark will extend about 50 yards into the Detroit River. Starts shall be at five minute intervals, using RRS Rule 26. Warning signal at 18:40, First class start at 18:45 - Boats whose warning signal has not been made shall avoid the starting area.

Course: Marks to starboard or port as indicated. Starboard: S,3,2,1,3,1,F Port: S,1,2,3,1,3,F If "S" Flag is displayed, sail first 3 legs, then finish. See illustration page 3

Caution: Stay clear of commercial ship traffic transiting the race area. Check chart!

Marks: Shall be orange hippity-hops, which shall be placed downriver between D.Y.C. Lagoon and Keans(Mark 1); And, upriver approx. 100 yards off Grayhaven (Mark 3). An offset mark (Mark 2) will be placed at approx. 20 degrees from the first mark.(see chart)

Finish: Same place you started; stay clear of finishers while racing.

Time limit: 2 hours from your start.

Protests: Must be received at DSC, 95 St. Jean by 10:00 the night of the incident. U.S.S.A. Protest forms only to be heard on September 30, 2008. No bribes allowed!!

Scoring: Low Point, with one excluded score if all five races are completed

Awards: For First, Second, Third in each class at the **POST EAST BAR** after 10:00 P.M. on September 30, 2008. Award shirt sizes are limited to L and XL. Nappy style dress

allowed as per Dress code, Sec. 24 of the Priems Yachting Society, International. Food and refreshments will probably be served.

Race Application:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail _____

Boat name: _____

Sail number: _____

Class: _____ PHRF Rating _____ JAM _____

Amount Due: \$ 25.00 (\$26.00 for non-USSA) Payable to Detroit Sail Club

I assume all risk and understand the risks of sailing for myself and crew. I hold harmless all losses or claims against the Detroit Sail Club, Post East Bar, Priems Yachting Society and its' members. Edison Boat Club is not affiliated with or sponsor of this regatta; therefore, I hold harmless all losses and claims against Edison Boat Club and its members. Detroit Sail Club recommends wearing a Personal Flotation Device at all times during this regatta. Sailing is hazardous and may be harmful to human life as we know it. I have liability insurance.

Signature:

Date:

Phone:

U.S.S.A. #

Insurance Company:

E-mail:

Mail by September 2 to: David Beard cell: 313.590.1936
21101 Lennon Ave.
Harper Woods, MI. 48225

E-mail: <mailto:dave@picaroonny.com> or saildry@aol.com

Or, hand deliver to Thomas Hardware Company. Any changes in Starting times and class numbers will be posted at D.S.C., 95 St. Jean, Detroit, MI and Thomas Hardware before the first race.

Time	Class	Class Number
18:40	Warning	
18:45	Crescent Start	1
18:50	Cal 25 Start	2
18:55	PHRF all	3
19:00	JAM all	4

Class number placard will be displayed five minutes before each start

Chart is not to be used for navigational purposes!

