

# DETROIT REGIONAL YACHT-RACING ASSOCIATION (DRYA) 2022 COUNTER SERIES COMPRISING 12 CLUB-SPONSORED REGATTAS DRYA NOTICE OF RACE (NOR)

The DRYA's role shall be to provide this umbrella Notice of Race (DRYA NOR) and Sailing Instruction (DRYA SI), review of **Sponsoring Club** regatta documents, scoring, and provide race committees and protest committees for each **Sponsoring Club's** regattas.

#### 1. **DEFINITIONS**

- 1.1 Counter Series Boat a DRYA member boat that has registered to race in the DRYA Counter Series.
- 1.2 Invited Boat boats other than DRYA Counter Series boats on invitation of a Sponsoring Club or Counter Series Boats racing outside their designated class in a particular regatta.
- 1.3 Sponsoring Club a DRYA member club who is the Organizing Authority (OA) for an individual regatta.
- 1.4 Club Supplemental Notice of Race (NORs) and Supplemental Sailing Instructions (SSIs) race documents issued by Sponsoring Clubs which, in addition to this DRYA NOR and DRYA SI, govern the conduct of an individual Sponsoring Club's regatta.

## 2. RULES

- 2.1 The regatta is governed by the rules as defined in the 2021-2024 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 2.2 The prescriptions of US Sailing shall apply to all races, including those crossing into Canadian waters.
- 2.3 The US Sailing prescription 63.2 shall not apply.
- 2.4 The Clubs Supplemental NORs and Sailing Instructions (SSIs) issued by each race's Sponsoring Club shall govern in case of conflicts with the DRYA NOR and SI.

# 3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The DRYA Counter Series regattas are open to boats owned by DRYA member clubs or members of DRYA clubs holding current memberships in the DRYA.
- 3.2 All Counter Series Boats racing outside their designated class for any particular regatta must register as an Invited Boat for that regatta. Non-racing DRYA members that wish to race in a Club's regatta must also register as an Invited Boat for that regatta.
- 3.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing the DRYA Membership and Registration form for the Counter Series or Non-racing members, and sending, together with the required fee, to **DRYA**, **23915 Jefferson Ave.**, **St Clair Shores MI 48080** by February 21, 2022. The membership and registration forms can be found on the DRYA website, <a href="www.drya.org">www.drya.org</a>
- 3.4 Invited Boats must request an invitation from the Sponsoring Club to participate in the Sponsoring Club's regatta and be registered for entry with DRYA by Tuesday prior to the individual regatta day.
- 3.5 The Sponsoring Club SSIs shall specify the process for Invited Boats to request an entry in the Club's regatta. This process must spell out the contact person details, required dates to be met, rating used, whether DRYA or the OA performs the registration and how the transmission of data to the DRYA office for inclusion in the race scratch sheets will occur. All Invited Boats must register with the Club to meet DRYA's pre-registration requirements.
- 3.6 Boats not registered will not be scored.
- 3.7 **Note:** Starting in 2022 DRYA will not be issuing PHRF Certificates or PJAM ratings. Members racing in DRYA Regattas are directed to MWPHRF's website (MWPHRF.org) to obtain a racing certificate and pay the appropriate fee. This certificate shall be submitted to DRYA with their application to race in the Regattas. Only MWPHRF certificates will be accepted for racing in DRYA regattas.

## 4. FEES

4.1 DRYA Membership (\$65) and Counter Series Registration (\$150), total - \$215.00 DRYA Membership (\$65) and Non-racing registration (\$0), total - \$65

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- 4.2 Invited host Club member boats racing in their OA Club Jam race— No charge. If racing in a DRYA Class \$40/Regatta. Invited non host Club boats racing in JAM or DRYA Classes \$40.00 per regatta.
- 4.3 Late Fees for Counter Series registration—after February 21, 2022 \$50.00; after March 21, 2022 \$100.00.
- 4.4 A complete registration comprises payment, Counter Series or Non-racing registration and a copy of their MWPHRF Certificate.

# 5. SPRING / SUMMER / OVERALL SERIES, POINT-TO-POINT SERIES, WINDWARD LEEWARD SERIES

- 5.1 The overall DRYA Counter Series consists of the twelve regattas listed in section 6.
- 5.2 Regattas (6) prior to July 16 2022 are the Spring Series.
- 5.3 Regattas (6) after July 16, 2022 are the Summer Series.
- 5.4 All P2P Regattas (7) count towards the Point-to-Point Series
- 5.5 All W/L Regattas (5) count towards the Windward Leeward Series

## 6. SCHEDULE

6.1 Sponsoring Clubs and the dates of their regattas are shown below. The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race will be 1030 hours unless modified by each Sponsoring Club in their Supplemental Sailing Instructions prior to their regatta. ("W/L" - DRYA Windward / Leeward Course; "P2P" - Point-to-Point Course)

Date	Race or Regatta	Course Type	Sponsoring Club
May 21	LSSC Regatta	W/L	Lake Shore Sail Club
May 28	DYC Memorial Day Regatta	P2P	Detroit Yacht Club
June 17	WYC Canadian Club Regatta	P2P	Windsor Yacht Club
June 18	CSYC C Course Regatta	W/L	Crescent Sail Yacht Club
June 25	DBC / GPC Regatta	P2P	Detroit Boat Club / Grosse Pointe Club
July 9	GLYC Regatta	W/L	Great Lakes Yacht Club
August 13	GPSC Regatta	W/L	Grosse Pointe Sail Club
August 19	EBC Regatta	P2P	Edison Boat Club
August 27	CSYC Regatta	P2P	Crescent Sail Yacht Club
September 10	DYC Sweepstakes Regatta	W/L	Detroit Yacht Club
September 17	BYC Long Distance Race	P2P	Bayview Yacht Club
September 24	GPYC Bluenose Regatta	P2P	Grosse Pointe Yacht Club

#### 7. **MEASUREMENT**

- 7.1 Each Counter Series Boat shall produce a valid 2022 MWPHRF rating certificate. See Section 3.7
- 7.2 Each *Invited Boat*, excluding One Design boats, shall produce a valid 2022 MWPHRF rating certificate. Invited One Design boats must meet the One Design Class Rules.

# 8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 8.1 The DRYA Sailing Instruction (DRYA SI) will be posted to www.drya.org no later than April 16, 2022.
- 8.2 The Sponsoring Club's Supplemental Sailing Instructions (SSI's) for their regatta will be posted to <a href="https://www.drya.org">www.drya.org</a> no later than three weeks prior to the regatta.

## 9. VENUE

All racing shall take place on Lake St. Clair and / or the Detroit River. Note; Covid19 restrictions may apply. See the Club *Supplemental Sailing Instructions* for future notices.

## 10. COURSES

Windward / Leeward and Point-to-Point courses will be described in the DRYA SI and the Club SSI's.

## 11. SCORING

11.1 Races shall be scored using PHRF time-on –time.

- 11.2 The scoring system for the Spring series, Summer series, Overall series, P2P Series, W/L Series and Club regattas is described at <a href="https://www.drya.org">www.drya.org</a>, titled 2022 DRYA Regatta Scoring Requirements.
- 11.3 Club JAM boats will not be scored for Series or Season Standing.

## 12. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS

- 12.1 Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data transmissions that are not available to all boats.
- 12.2 Radio communication on all regatta courses shall be on VHF Channel 72.

#### 13. AWARDS

- 13.1 Awards for individual regattas shall be in accordance with the Supplemental Sailing Instructions.
- 13.2 The DRYA will award 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place flags for each class in the Spring series, Summer series, Overall Series, Point-to- Point Series and W/L Series.

# 14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. The DRYA and the *Sponsoring Clubs* shall not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

## 15. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a recommended minimum coverage of \$300,000 per incident.

## 16. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact: DRYA, 23915 Jefferson Ave., St. Clair Shores, MI 48080, (586) 778-1000 <a href="https://www.drya.org">www.drya.org</a> or David Spiers (248) 318-6553 or spiersdjam@aol.com



#### 2 RULES

- 2.5 Added. Hearing Requests (aka "Protests") shall be filed as described on the DRYA Website. See link ProtestsDRYA@gmail.com.
- 2.6 Added. Sailors are advised that they must carry individual identification documents such as Drivers Licenses or valid Passports when crossing the border either on land or water between the US and Canada
- 2.7 Added. DRYA Scoring Inquiry Competitors should submit a "Scoring Inquiry" to the Race Committee on issues pertaining to the DRYA scoring of a race. The "Scoring Inquiry" form can be found on the DRYA website page www.drya.org/racing-info or be submitted online at www.bit.ly/ScoringDRYArace

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