

Tribute Regatta HORROCKS TROPHY

For Thistles
Sayville Yacht Club
Blue Point, L.I., New York
September 19 & 20, 2015



NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing 2012-2016 Edition, the prescriptions of US Sailing and Thistle Class Rules.
- Boats shall comply with the Class Rules and the designer and manufacturer's original standards, which shall prevail in the event of conflict.

2 ELIGIBILITY

- Entry is open to all members of the Thistle Class Association who meet the eligibility requirements of the class rules.

3 REGISTRATION & FEES

- Competitors **MUST** register online at <https://www.regattatech.com/events/SYC/Horrocks14/registration/showEntryForm> so that the competitors sail numbers can be entered into the online scoring program.
- Entry fee is \$75.00 per boat. Entry fee includes: Hoist launch, haul out, trailer storage, Saturday and Sunday continental breakfast, on the water snacks while racing, and a Saturday evening barbeque for three. There will be Blue Point beer and sodas on tap after racing on Saturday and Sunday.
- Skippers that preregister online through Friday, September 10th, 2015 will get one regatta shirt and can order additional shirts for \$18 per shirt. Please specify size when registering online,
- On-site registration will close at 9:30 am on September 19th, 2015.

4 PLANNED SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 19

0900 Registration & light breakfast
1100 Competitors Meeting
1215 Warning Signal - First Race of the day
Additional races to follow
1800 Dinner

Sunday, September 20

0830 Light breakfast
1015 Warning signal - First race of the day
Additional races to follow
Awards Ceremony following Races

*7 races are planned for the series.

*1 race must be completed in each class to constitute a series for that class.

*No race will start after **1430 on Sunday** in deference to travelers needing to hit the LIE, with the exception of extraordinary circumstances of needing "a race."

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available at the Registration Table.

6 COURSES

This is part of the multi class "Tribute Regatta". All sailors will be sailing in the same race course with separate starts for each class. Sailing Instructions will be available at the Registration Table.

7 PRIZES

Prizes for Skipper and Crew finishing 1st through 3rd in each class.
Perpetual award for the Horrocks (Thistle) will be awarded.

8 ACCOMODATIONS

Please refer to the [Regatta Logistics Document](#) on the Sayville Yacht Club website for a list of accommodations.

Limited camping available on a first come, first serve basis.

Contact Bob Panico at (561) 312-99920 robertpanico213@comcast.net if you want to camp.

Please leave your pets at home. Dogs are only allowed on club grounds while leashed and en route to a member's boat in the yacht basin. This club rule is strictly enforced.

9 LOCAL CONTACT INFORMATION

Ted Cremer at (561) 312-9992 robertpanico213@comcat.net

10 Directions to Sayville YC

From the Throgs Neck Bridge, take the Clearview Expressway south to the Long Island Expressway (LIE). Take the LIE east to exit 62 (Rte. 97 - Nicolls Rd) south to the very end and turn right onto Montauk Hwy 27A. Go to 1st light, and take a left at the CVS on to Gillette Ave. Go south 1 mile to blinking light. Take this left on to Middle Road, go two streets to Boylan Lane, turn right, and go to the end. Look for the gated entry on the left. **Remember that the "Parkways" of Long Island prohibit trailers. Although cartopping boats is permitted on the parkways, some bridges on the parkway system have posted vertical clearances below 8' in height.**

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REGISTRATION FORM
Register online here

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Skipper Name: _____

Sail Number: _____ Skipper Shirt Size: _____

Yacht Club: _____

Home Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____ (h) _____ (c)

Email Address: _____

Entry Fee: \$75 for skipper and crew (includes barbeque and beverages for skipper and crew, and 1 regatta shirt)

Extra Barbeque Ticket: \$10 _____

Extra Regatta Shirts: \$20 S___ M___ L___ XL___ XXL___

Sailors that preregister online through Wednesday, September 16th, 2015 can order regatta shirts

Total Paid _____

Competitors agree to be bound by the International Sailing Federation Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2013- 2016, by the Sailing Instructions and the Notice of Race. Competitors agree to take any and all responsibility for the seaworthiness of their yacht, the rigging, the crew's ability and the safety equipment. Competitors also agree to take any and all responsibility for damages caused to third persons or their belongings, to themselves or to their belongings, ashore and at sea as a consequence of their participation in the regatta, relieving of any responsibility the Organizing Authorities, all event sponsors and all persons involved in the organization under whatever qualification and to accept full responsibility for the comportment of the yacht's crew, representatives and guests.

Competitors are to be acquainted with ISAF RRS Part 1 Fundamental Rule 4: "The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone". In any case, competitors agree that the Organizing Authorities, the sponsors and their agents, have no responsibility for loss of life or injury to members or others or for the loss of, or damage to any vessel or property.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____