



LYC-NNSA-OPCYC
Tri-Service Regatta 2017
NOTICE OF RACE

Saturday, 9 Sep 2017

RULES: Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2017-2020 as modified by the 2017 TSR Sailing Instructions.

ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY: Open to all monohull keelboats LOA 20' or greater, belonging to members of Langley Yacht Club (LYC), Norfolk Naval Sailing Association (NNSA), and Old Point Comfort Yacht Club (OPCYC). Boats must comply with PHRF of the Chesapeake Category 4 Safety Requirements. Entry fee: **\$35**. Race entries due by skipper's meeting, 8 Sep 2017; RC *may* reject late entries. Send entries to: **Tim J Dull 2536 Peritan Rd, VA Beach VA 23454** (Cell: 757-615-2985), checks payable to NNSA. (Use standard CBYRA entry form).

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS: Can be obtained after September 2nd by going to www.norfolknavalsailing.org. Printed Sailing Instructions will be available at the skipper's meeting.

CLASSES: Racing SPIN, Racing NS (2HS), and single HS, non-spinnaker Cruising Class. For boats without a valid PHRF Rating, NNSA will assign courtesy handicaps to boats in the Cruising Class, which may not be appealed. RC may combine or split classes as required based on the number of entries. (No points for extra cruising gear). The splits will be announced at the skippers meeting and posted online prior to the race.

COURSES: Government fixed mark course; Hampton flats start will be near CCV Mark "A" (R"4" 37 00.30 N – 76 20.43 W) off the mouth of Hampton creek.

SCHEDULE OF RACES: First warning at 1000L, RC ship's time; a rolling start based on splits announced at the skipper's meeting is intended.

SKIPPER'S MEETING: 7:00 PM, Friday, 8 Sep at Norfolk Naval Sailing Center, 9672 Massey Hughes Dr Bldg LAG-88. All pertinent documentation will be posted to the NNSA website by 9:00 PM.

AWARDS: 1st, 2nd, 3rd per announced split in each Class. Overall TSR Cup to the club with the greatest club score to include ½ point for starting and ½ point for finishing. The club providing the RC boat (if member's) and PRO (if member) will be awarded an additional 2 points (1 point each.)

SOCIAL: PUB ONE, Joint Forces Staff College, Norfolk, 9 Sep 6:00 PM-???

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY: Competitors participate entirely at their own risk (see RRS 4, Decision to Race). LYC, NNSA, and OPCYC will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury, or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the regatta.