



**MILWAUKEE BAY OFFSHORE SERIES**  
**NOTICE OF RACES**  
MYC – SSYC  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin  
June 2 - September 16, 2018



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## 1. RULES

- 1.1 The Milwaukee Bay Offshore Series (MBOS) will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- 1.2 The US Sailing Safety Equipment Requirements for US Near shore Safety Equipment: Personal 3.1.3.
- 1.3 Rules of the LMPHRF, Policies and Procedures, are amended as follows:  
The Milwaukee Yacht Club (MYC) and South Shore Yacht Club (SSYC) PHRF Fleets may jointly agree to adjust the LMPHRF Handicap of specific boats for Milwaukee Bay Offshore Series races.
- 1.4 If there is a conflict between this notice and the sailing instructions, the latter will take precedence.

## 2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The Milwaukee Bay Offshore races and series are open to all Lake Michigan PHRF boats that meet the requirements below.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter by registering at [www.milwaukeeyc.com/fleets/2017-race-documents](http://www.milwaukeeyc.com/fleets/2017-race-documents) and completing the on-line registration process. Registration is available for the full series or as a visiting boat for a single race or up to three races. Registration shall be submitted at least 3 days prior to the boat's first race, 24 hours for Visiting Boats, i.e., a boat entering individual event(s) in this series.
- 2.3 Requirements of a boat's Person in Charge (PIC) (owner/skipper) are that they:
  - (a) Be a member of US SAILING, and of the Milwaukee Yacht Club or South Shore Yacht Club, or other US SAILING member organization, and
  - (b) Provide proof of insurance with \$300,000 of liability coverage, and a copy of a valid LMPHRF Handicap Certificate, and be a member of the MYC or SSYC PHRF fleet or be a Visiting Boat.
- 2.4 A Visiting Boat must meet the requirements above, but are not eligible for any season series scoring.
- 2.5 A boat that is registered in the Saturday Afternoon Sailing Series (SASS) series may also enter a non-conflicting (same day) race in the MBOS, provided the MBOS Fleet Captain is notified 48 hours before the race to be sailed.



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### 3. FEES

#### 3.1 MYC and SSYC member fleet entry fees:

The entry fee of \$150 shall be paid to the appropriate MYC or SSYC PHRF Fleet.

#### 3.2 Non-member of MYC or SSYC fleet entry fees:

The entry fee of \$200 for boats that are neither a member of MYC nor SSYC, but are a member of US Sailing shall be paid to the MYC or SSYC PHRF Fleet.

#### 3.3 Visiting Boat Fees:

The entry fee of \$50 per event, or \$100 for 3 events, shall be paid to the PHRF Fleet Event host for each event to be entered.

### 4. SCHEDULE

See the attached *RACE SCHEDULE* for day and date and number of races. See the *RACE INSTRUCTIONS* in the *sailing instructions* for the race warning times.

### 5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available May 21<sup>st</sup> at the MYC or SSYC club offices or online at the respective club's website.

### 6. VENUE

The racing area will be on Lake Michigan, East of the Milwaukee Harbor, as shown in Illustration "A" in the sailing instructions.

### 7. COURSES

The courses will be windward-leeward, triangle, or point-to-point as shown in diagrams attached to, and described in, the sailing instructions.

### 8. PENALTY SYSTEM

The Post Race Scoring Penalty described in Appendix V Paragraph V2 will apply to all sections. The penalty will be, the greater of 3 places, or the number of places equal to 30% (rounded up) of the number of boats starting.





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## Race Schedule

Day	Date	Event	MYC	SSYC	Other
Sat	2-June	SKELDING REGATTA		3	
Sat	16-June	WIND POINT RACE		1	
Sat	30-June	STEPHENSON REGATTA	3		
Sat	7-July	BIG TRIANGLE REGATTA	1		
Sat	14-July	TANGER REGATTA		3	
Sat	11-Aug	COMMODORE'S REGATTA	3		
Fri	31-Aug	PORT WASHINGTON RACE		1	
Fri	7-Sep	GRUDGE REGATTA		1	
Sat	8-Sep	GRUDGE REGATTA		2	
Sat	15-Sep	LAST BLAST REGATTA	3		
Sun	16-Sep	MILWAUKEE BAY OFFSHORE MAKEUP	TBD	TBD	
<b>Series Scoring Totals</b>			<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	