

# **Essex Corinthian Yacht Club** THOMAS CLARK MEMORIAL RACE **October 14, 2023**

# 1. 1.1 RULES

- The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing and SIs.
- 2. 2.1 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY
- The regatta is open to cruising and racing boats over 23.5 feet with a valid 2023 PHRF-ECSA certificate.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the entry form and paying any entry fee stipulated herein. Entries must be received by 1800 October 13, 2023. Boats wishing to be recognized as short-handed (maximum crew of 2) shall so indicate on the entry form.
- 3. 3.1 **CLASSES**
- There will be cruising and one-design classes, although only cruising is eligible for the Clark Trophy and Tri Club Series

# 4. 4.1 FFFS

- There is no entry fee for the regatta.
- 5. 5.1 SCHEDULE
- First signal will be at 1100. Time limit for all classes is 1630. Party and awards will begin at 1700 at Essex Corinthian Yacht Club.
- 6. 6.1 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS
- Sailing Instructions will be available after October 1, 2023 at www.essexcorinthian.org or at Essex Corinthian Yacht Club.

### 7. 7.1 VENUE

The regatta will take place in the Connecticut River.

#### 8. COURSES

8.1 A course using drop and government marks will be set in the vicinity of the Yacht Club.

## 9. 9.1 SCORING

- PHRF class shall be scored using time on time method. One-design classes will be scored on low point system.
- SKIPPERS MEETING 10.
- A skippers meeting will be held 0930 on the day of the race, at ECYC River Room. 10.1

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