



77th Annual Manhasset Bay Race Week July 22, 24, 25, 26 2009

Notice of Race

1. Rules

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).

2. Eligibility/Format/Classes

All PHRF, Sonar, KOD, Colgate, MBOD, Ideal 18, Blue Jays, Pixel, Optimist, Laser, Laser Radial, and 420 are invited to enter. PHRFs will race Sunday only in a distance race, MBYC boats in this race will be competing for the Orient Trophy. The Women's Annual WRC race will be held on July 22. Jr. Sailors competing in Blue Jay/Pixel JSA Race Week July 24 & 25 and Optimist, Pixel Blue Jay, Laser, Laser Radial, 420 competing in the LIAF Regatta to Remember July 26 will be scored as part of MBYC Race Week. Separate Notices of Race will cover the Blue Jay/Pixel JSA Race Week; the Optimist, Pixel Blue Jay, Laser, Laser Radial, 420 LIAF Regatta to Remember.

3. Entries

Eligible boats may enter by completing registration and paying the entry fee to Manhasset Bay YC. Entry forms may be obtained from Manhasset Bay YC (516) 767-2150. Registration may be completed in advance or on Thursday, July 24 from 1800 to 2000 and Friday, July 25 from 1200 to 1400.

The entry fee will be \$65 for US SAILING members, \$75 for non-members of US SAILING. The entry fee for the WRC will be \$25.

4. Schedule

Wednesday July 22	1700	<u>WRC</u> Skippers Meeting
	1715	Harbor Start - WRC
	1730	First Warning
Friday, July 24	1200 - 1400	Registration & launching at MBYC
	1400	Sonars must be launched and on moorings
	1400 - 1415	Skippers Meeting
	1430	Harbor Start (Sonar, KOD, Colgate, MBOD, Ideal 18)
	1500	First Warning
Saturday, July 25	0930	Harbor Start (Sonar, KOD, Colgate, MBOD, Ideal 18)
	1000	First Warning

(If there is no wind, a shore postponement may be signaled and races may be held in the late afternoon if the wind comes in late.)

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Sunday, July 26	0930	Harbor Start (<u>PHRF</u> Sonar, KOD, Colgate, MBOD, Ideal 18)
	1000	First Warning
		Awards to follow racing

No Warning Signal will be made after 1500 hours on Sunday, July 27.
One race constitutes a series.

5. Scoring

All race scores will be included in a boat's series score (no throw out).

6. Safety Communication

All keelboats shall carry an operating VHF radio. The channel for RC announcements will be stated in the sailing instructions. The MBYC dock monitors VHF channel 73.

7. Sailing Instructions

Sailing Instructions will be available from MBYC on Thursday, July 24.

8. Racing Area

The racing area will be Manhasset Bay and western Long Island Sound, west of Execution Rocks. All centerboard classes will start at the Worry Wart. Sonars, KODs, MBOs and Ideal 18s will start north of Plum Point. PHRF classes will start at the Worry Wart

9. Prizes

Perpetual and series prizes will be awarded on Sunday, July 26

For more information, contact Event Chair Bob Prokop, 516-944-6827

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