

MUDHEAD BENEFIT CUP

For

Hospice of Southeastern Connecticut

Saturday, July 18th, 2009

The Mystic River Mudhead Sailing Association is the Organizing Authority

1.0 Rules

- 1.1 The Regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012.
- 1.2 Appendix A8 is changed. Series ties will be decided by combined corrected time in PHRF classes.
- 1.3 This is an ECSA sanctioned race.

2.0 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organizing Authority.

3.0 ELIGIBILITY and ENTRY

- 3.1 The Regatta is open to all PHRF and One Design boats.
- 3.2 Classes are established by the Race Secretary based on PHRF-Eastern Connecticut and One Design class rules.
- 3.3 Entry Deadline is July 17th at 6pm.
- 3.4 Eligible boats may enter in one of the following ways:

www.mudheadracing.com

www.mudhead.org

www.hospicesect.org

Snail Mail: P.O. Box 117, West Mystic, CT 06388 (Paper forms available in ECSA Handbook)

4.0 FEES

- 4.1 THE ENTRY FEE OF \$100 HAS BEEN WAIVED FOR THIS EVENT.

- 4.2 Donations accepted @ www.hospicesect.org
- 4.3 All boats must register to race.
- 4.4 Donations may be made during the **MegaParty™**.

5.0 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 You may enter online or by mail
- 5.2 Skipper's Meeting will start at 6:30 pm at the Mystic Shipyard, West Mystic, CT.
- 5.3 First Warning for PHRF Racing & One Design will be 1055 Saturday, July 18th.
- 5.4 First Warning for Cruising Canvas will be 1155 Saturday, July 18th.

6.0 MEASUREMENTS

- 6.1 PHRF boats shall have a valid PHRF-ECSA certificate
- 6.2 One Design boats shall conform to class rules.

7.0 VENUE

- 7.1 The racing will be held in Fishers Island Sound with multiple starting circles.

8.0 THE COURSES

- 8.1 PHRF Racing and One Design will sail Windward/Leeward courses.
- 8.2 Cruising Canvas will sail a point to point course.

9.0 SCORING

- 9.1 PHRF classes will be scored using Time on Time.
- 9.2 One completed race constitutes a series.
- 9.3 There are no excluded scores.

10.0 BERTHING

- 10.1 Dockage is available at Mystic Shipyard (860) 536-6588.

11.0 PRIZES

- 11.1 Trophies will be awarded at the **MegaParty™** at Mystic Shipyard, 5pm.

11.2 Hospice Cup will be awarded to the overall winner of Racing and Cruising Canvas classes.

11.3 Mudhead Benefit Cup will be awarded to the biggest fundraiser.

11.4 Party Tickets (\$20 per head) will be available.

12.0 CONTACTS

12.1 Race Chairman, Greg Gilmartin director@mystv.com

12.2 HospiceSECT, Sally Halsey sally.halsey@gmail.com

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