

WALLACE MACASKILL CUP

3 - 4 August, 2018

Organizing Authority – Wallace MacAskill Yacht Club

Sanctioned by – Wallace MacAskill Yacht Club

St. Peter's, Nova Scotia, Canada

Short-course warm-up race on Friday August 3rd.

Main event: Lake race Saturday August 4th.

NOTICE OF RACE

Issued: 12 April 2018

1 RULES

- 1.1 The race will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020 and the prescriptions of Sail Canada.
- 1.2 If there is a conflict between this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions (SI), the SI will take precedence.
- 1.3 Classified as a non-offshore Yacht Race.

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Skippers may advertise without notice to the Race Authority
- 2.2 There is no requirement to advertise the Wallace MacAskill Yacht Club.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all mono-hull handicap yachts which have a current NSYA Data Sheet on record and to yachts out of province that have a PHRF handicap certificate on file from their governing association. Should there be a difference in handicaps between governing associations; a boat's handicap will be adjusted to conform to the NSYA database. If a yacht does not have a NS PHFR one will be allocated by the race committee when registering.
 - 3.1.1 All yachts will be entered in the same class.
- 3.2 The deadline for registration is August 4th, 2018. Registration consists of a completed registration form (including waiver), payment of fee and proof of insurance received by the Race Committee (RC).
- 3.3 There is no size limitation on boats registering. All boats must have a minimum of one person onboard and a watch-keeper on deck at all times.
- 3.4 Eligible boats may register at the St. Peter's Marina on August 3rd, starting at 1200 hrs or August 4th starting at 0900 hrs.

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4 DIVISIONS

4.1 One Division is planned, including spinnaker and non-spinnakers. Each division may be divided into classes based on handicap rating and / or the number of registrants. The separation of classes, if required, will be announced at the skippers' meeting.

5 FEES

5.1 Registration fees as follows:

WMYC member	\$20
Non-member	\$30

6 SCHEDULE

6.1 Registration and Skippers kit pick up times:

August 3rd 1200 to 1600

August 4th 0900 to 1000

6.2.1 Dates of racing and courses:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Race distance</u>	<u>Start / Finish Destinations</u>
August 3	2-3 nm	Jackson Bay, Course announced at skipper's meeting
August 4	25 nm	TBA, Kellys shoal, Camp Rankin, TBA (Carter's Cove or Cape George)

6.2.2 Course for Friday to be announced at skipper's meeting. Start and Finish lines for Saturday TBA at skipper's meeting.

6.3 Skippers meeting:

Friday 1300 August 3

Sat. 1000 August 4

6.2.3 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the Friday is 1355 and Saturday is TBA at Skipper's meeting.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The SI will be available as soon as ready on the Wallace MacAskill web site and at 1200 on August 3rd at the Check-in Office located inside St. Peters Marina main office complex. The main notice board is in the Marina Kitchen/Recreation Area on the main floor.

8 VENUE

The Wallace MacAskill Yacht Club will be hosting the after Race award celebration, chowder and party.

9 COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be described in detail in the SI. All aids to navigation are to be honoured. For a broad description; see para 6.2.

Start and Finish line for Friday is adjacent to the wharf at 10199 Grenville St., in Jackson Bay. Start and Finish line for Saturday are either in French Cove or outside Cape George, to be announced at the Skipper's meeting and will be a 6 to 8 nm transit from the Marina.

10 SAFETY

A boat that retires from a Leg shall notify the RC as soon as possible on VHF channel #68.

11 SCORING

The low point scoring system of Appendix A in the RRS will be used for the race.

12 SUPPORT VESSEL

The committee boat is considered a support vessel.

13 BERTHING

Boats shall be either berthed or provided anchorages based on availability and direction from the St. Peter's Lions Marina Dock Master.

14 RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

15 PRIZES

The Overall trophy will be presented to the yacht that has the lowest score based on para 11.

Presentations will be made at the completion of the regatta. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishers of each class will receive "Wallace MacAskill Yacht Club" pennants. The closing ceremonies will deliver the Overall trophy and 1st, 2nd and 3rd overall pennants.

16 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

The OA emphasizes that competitors participate in the "Wallace MacAskill Cup" entirely at their own risk. Responsibility for the safety of each vessel and crew and the decision whether to start a race or to continue racing ultimately rests with the skipper. The OA will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the "Wallace MacAskill Cup" event.

17 INSURANCE

Each participating yacht shall be insured with a valid third-party liability insurance minimum cover of CAN or US \$1,000,000.00. Proof of such insurance must be provided at registration. The Race Committee suggests that you advise your insurance underwriter of the execution of your registration in this race.

18 FURTHER INFORMATION

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