



The Inaugural “Just for the Halibut” Regatta

July 13, 2019

Annisquam Yacht Club, Annisquam, MA

Sandy Bay Yacht Club, Rockport, MA

Notice of Race

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing for 2017 - 2020* (RRS).
- 1.2. Alerion 20s and Rhodes 19s will race head-to-head in one fleet with no handicap applied.
- 1.3. Spinnakers will not be allowed in the first race of the day. At the Race Committee’s discretion, they may be allowed in subsequent races.
- 1.4. Each yacht shall carry a lifejacket for each person on board.
- 1.5. The Race Committee recommends that each yacht have a hand-held radio on board.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. The regatta is open to members of the Annisquam Yacht Club and the Sandy Bay Yacht Club and their guests sailing in boats of the Alerion 20 or Rhodes 19 classes.

3. FEES

- 3.1. There is no charge for participation in this regatta

4. SCHEDULE

- 4.1. Registration: Competitors are asked to register before 1030 hours on July 13, 2019 by emailing phorovitz@me.com with the skipper’s name, yacht club name, sailboat class and sail number. Competitors will also be able to register with the Race Committee on the water prior to the race.

- 4.2. The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race of the day is 1315 hours.
- 4.3. The Race Committee will not start a race after 1515 hours.
- 4.4. If racing is cancelled due to weather or other reason, notification will be made prior to 1030 hours on the home page of the Annisquam Yacht Club website – www.annisquamyc.org.
- 4.5. Following the races, bar service and complimentary lighter fare will be available for all participants at the Annisquam Yacht Club.

5. VENUE

- 5.1. The starting line will be located approximately ½ mile north of Halibut Point.

6. PENALTY SYSTEM

- 6.1. Rules 44.1 and 44.2 are changed so only one turn, including one tack and one gybe, is required.
- 6.2. There is no protest committee and protests will not be heard. As always, please take your penalty turn if you commit a foul.

7. PRIZES

- 7.1. There are no prizes for the inaugural “Just for the Halibut” regatta.

8. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 8.1. Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

9. FURTHER INFORMATION

- 9.1. For further information please contact Paul Horovitz (AYC) phorovitz@me.com
- 9.2. or Rob Paterson (SBYC) robert.paterson60@gmail.com