



## **Jobson Racing Series 2022**

*Thursdays, June 30 to September 1*

*OA: Great Harbor Yacht Club*

### **NOTICE OF RACE (NOR)**

#### **1 Rules**

- 1.1 The Jobson Race Series will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 All sailboats must adhere to class rules regarding wind limits, spinnaker usage and life jackets.

#### **2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Sailing Instructions will be available on the [GHYC Website](#) and in Jobson Sailing Center office as of June 29, 2022.

#### **3 COMMUNICATION**

- 3.1 There will be an electronic notice board [here](#), as well as a physical notice board in the Jobson Sailing Center.
- 3.2 On the water, the Race Committee will broadcast to competitors on VHF channel 71.

#### **4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 4.1 The series is open to all boats of the following classes:
  - Alerions
  - Rhodes 19
  - Herreshoff 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> & Haven
- 4.2 All competitors must sign up to race by contacting the Jobson Sailing Center Office at (508) 680-5006 or emailing [sailing@ghyc.com](mailto:sailing@ghyc.com). Registrations can be received for the season or on a weekly basis.
- 4.3 All competitors must sign a medical waiver before commencing racing. Waivers can be found at the Jobson Sailing Center office. Waivers signed at other Club's when using their equipment or coaches will be accepted as well. It is the skipper's responsibility to ensure that all members of the crew have completed a medical waiver.

#### **5 FEES**

- Alerion, Rhodes 19 and Herreshoff 12 ½ Teams: \$100 for the season
- On-board coach: \$25 per evening
- Crew position, paired on another boat: \$25/evening

#### **6 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

- 6.1 The Jobson Race Series begins Thursday, June 30 and will every Thursday evening until the September 1. Racing will be suspended on August 18<sup>th</sup> for Nantucket Race Week.
- 6.2 A daily competitor's meeting will be held at 1530 in the Jobson Sailing Center on the Thursday of racing.

- 6.3 First Warning Signal will be at 1630 for the Alerion Classes. Rhodes 19's and Herreshoff 12 ½ warning signals will be shortly after.
- 6.4 Conditions permitting, multiple races will be sailed every day for the Rhodes 19 and Herreshoff 12 ½ classes. One long race will be sailed for the Alerion class.
- 6.5 No warning signal will be made after 1830.

## **7 VENUE**

Races will be held in Nantucket Harbor. The exact racing area will be announced at the competitors meeting every race day and posted on the notice board.

## **8 COURSES**

Courses will be drop mark round the buoys for the Rhodes 19s and Herreshoff 12 1/2. Alerions will sail a combination of drop marks and government marks.

## **9 PENALTY SYSTEM**

- 9.1 RRS Appendix V1 PENALTY AT THE TIME OF AN INCIDENT is in effect.
- 9.2 RRS Appendix V2 POST-RACE PENALTIES is in effect.

## **10 SCORING**

- 10.1 The Low Point Scoring System will be used.
- 10.2 Each Thursday Night Race will be scored as its own series. One race constitutes a series.

## **11 PRIZES**

Daily awards will be presented immediately after racing each day at the GHYC Fuel Bar.

## **12 RISK STATEMENT**

Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include, without limitation, strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia, or other causes. The race organizers (Great Harbor Yacht Club, Race Committee, Protest Committee, or any other organization or official) will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or the injury to any person sustained as a result of participation in the 2022 Thursday Night Jobson Race Series. By participating in the 2022 Thursday Night Jobson Race Series, each competitor (skippers, crews, and support persons) assumes the risk as well as agrees to release and hold harmless the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation to the fullest extent permitted by law.

### **13 INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with adequate third-party liability insurance.

### **14 FURTHER INFORMATION**

**14.1** This regatta is a Sailors for the Sea “Clean Regatta.” Great Harbor Yacht Club is committed to maintaining Nantucket’s clean waters and shores. All participants are encouraged to follow the goals and requirements of the Clean Regattas program.

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