



BLUEWATER BAY SAILING CLUB

NOTICE OF RACE

2023 Round the Bay - West

Saturday, 20 May 2023

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- 1.2. Series & Scoring: "Round the Bay" is a two part series, with an "East," and "West" race. Each race will be scored by finish position by class (Bermuda Starts). Round the Bay overall will be scored by the low-point method described in the RRS A2.

2. COMMUNICATION

- 2.1. This Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions, and notices to competitors will be available upon release electronically online at the official noticeboard at:
https://nextsailor.com/regatta/2023RTB_W

3. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

- 3.1. The race is open to all PHRF rated boats. The Fleet Captain will assign you a rating if you do not have one.
- 3.2. Register electronically at the link in 2.1 (above).
- 3.3. Fees: The entry fee is \$30 per boat, or one-time \$200 for the season.

4. CLASSES

- 4.1. Spinnaker, and X-Class
- 4.2. All the entries in X-Class will be assigned a rating based on prior performance in BBSC events. Contact the Fleet Captain (info below) with questions.

5. SCHEDULE

- 5.1. Friday, 19 May
 - 5:30 PM In-Person Registration @ L.J. Schooner's Pavilion
 - 6:30 PM Competitor's meeting
- 5.2. Saturday, 20 May
 - 11:00 AM First boat starts (Bermuda Start)
 - 6:30 PM Results / Awards (approximate time)

6. COURSES

- 6.1. The racing area will be located on the waters of the Choctawhatchee Bay
- 6.2. Expect a combination of government and club marks, with an approximate course length of 15-19 NM starting in/near Rocky Bayou in the area between the Mid Bay Bridge to Brooks Bridge.
- 6.3. The exact courses will be outlined in the SIs and at the competitor's meeting.



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7. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

7.1. RRS 3 States the following: '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 each skipper is responsible for the safety of his/her vessel and crew.

8. FURTHER INFORMATION

CBCC nextSailor website https://nextsailor.com/regatta/2023RTB_W
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9. REVISIONS: 0