

2008 CBI CHAMPIONSHIP REGATTA

FOR THE

ELMER HARRIS TROPHY

July 13, 2008

THE TILLER CLUB OF COMMUNITY BOATING

in conjunction with

COMMUNITY BOATING, INC.

Boston, Massachusetts

NOTICE OF RACE

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1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in the current edition of *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- 1.2 The following documents will also apply:
 - (a) "Notice of Race" (this document);
 - (b) "Sailing Instructions" of the Tiller Club of Community Boating; and
 - (c) "CBI Policies & Rules" from the staff of Community Boating, Inc.
- 1.3 The event is classified as a Category A event in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20 ("ISAF Advertising Code"; see RRS Appendix 1).
- 1.4 A member of the Tiller Club Executive Committee will designate a Race Chair to administer racing.

2 CLASS

- 2.1 The Cape Cod Mercury (centerboard model) will be the boat used for the event. All equipment will be provided.
- 2.2 There shall be exactly two competitors per boat.
- 2.3 Spinnakers shall not be used.

3 ELIGIBILITY

- 3.1 All competitors shall be sailing members of Community Boating, Inc. (CBI) or guests of a member. Members of the Junior Program shall be accepted in advance by the program director.
- 3.2 The helmsman of each boat shall either have the CBI Racing Skipper rating or be accepted by the Race Chair, and shall be a sailing member of CBI.

4 SCHEDULE OF RACES; REGISTRATION; FEES

- 4.1 The host club is:
Community Boating, Inc.
21 David Mugar Way
Boston, MA 02114
telephone: (617) 523-1038
website: www.community-boating.org
e-mail: racing-info@community-boating.org
- 4.2 Races will be held on July 13, 2008.
- 4.3 There is a \$5.00 entry fee per boat.
- 4.4 On July 13, registration will open at 9:45 AM and will close at 10:15 AM. Registration and payment of fees will be in done in person with the race committee. A competitors' meeting will be held at 10:15 AM.
- 4.5 Competitors must rig their boats before registering. See the Sailing Instructions.
- 4.6 The first race will be held as soon as possible after the end of the competitors' meeting.
- 4.7 Except immediately after an abandoned start or general recall, no warning signal will be made after 2:30 PM.
- 4.8 The racing will constitute a valid regatta only if at least three boats compete and at least three races are scored. If the event is resailed on a later date, the following will apply:
 - (a) The races held on the original date will be abandoned.
 - (b) Competitors must re-register on the later date but do not have to pay the entry fee again.

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 5.1 A copy of the Tiller Club Sailing Instructions will be posted on the Tiller Club bulletin board located in the main bay of the boathouse. An online version is available at the CBI website. Copies may also be obtained from the Race Committee.

6 PRIZES

- 6.1 The regatta will be scored in accordance with the "Scoring" section of the Sailing Instructions.
- 6.2 The name(s) of the helmsman or team of helmsmen placing first will be engraved on the Elmer Harris Trophy.
- 6.3 The prizes specified in the "Prizes" section of the Sailing Instructions will be awarded to helmsmen at the annual meeting of the Tiller Club. Additional prizes for crew may be ordered for a fee.