



DAVIS ISLAND

Yacht Club

1315 SEVERN - TAMPA, FLORIDA 33606

# 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Old Shoe / New Shoe Regatta

November 29, 2024

Organizing Authority – Davis Island YC

## NOTICE OF RACE

### 1 RULES

- 1.1 The race will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*; however, the rules of WFPHRF will not apply except for ratings.
- 1.2 VHF radios are required; no other electronics allowed after warning signal
- 1.3 All boats shall be sailed single-handed (pets are allowed)
- 1.4 Spinnakers are permitted in the New Shoe class.

### 2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open only to members of DIYC, with no entry fee.
- 2.2 Boats shall register with the RC at 0800-0830, November 29, 2024.
- 2.3 For the **Old Shoe** class, boats must meet one of the following conditions:
  - WFPHRF base RLC Cruising rating > 200
  - Be at least 30' LOA and displacement > 10,000 lbs.
  - Written approval of the race committee

**Also, all boats must meet WHPHRF Cruiser/Pocket Cruiser Class Specifications**

- 2.4 Boats not meeting the above conditions shall compete in the **New Shoe** class.

### 3 SCHEDULE

0800-0830 Registration – both classes  
 0900 Competitors meeting – both classes  
 1000 Warning signal for Old Shoe Class  
 1100 Warning signal for New Shoe Class  
 One race is scheduled for each class.

### 4 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at registration.

### 5 THE COURSES

- 5.1 The course for the Old Shoe class will be:
  - Start at A-mark
  - Round 25' Privately Maintained to port
  - Finish at the entrance to the Club basin
- 5.2 The course for the New Shoe class will use fixed Club marks and will be posted, and distributed at the competitors meeting.



### 6 SCORING

WFPHRF time-on-distance RLC ratings will be used. Cruising ratings will be used for the Old Shoe class. Spinnaker or Non-Spinnaker ratings will be used for the New Shoe class, as determined by the race committee based on entries.

### 7 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta enter at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury, illness, disease, or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

### 8 FURTHER INFORMATION

Regatta Chair: Bob Abberger 813-787-1481 Principal Race Officer: Eric Robbins 813-416-1150