



Broad Bay Sailing Association Presents:

2008 Cape Henry Cup

Saturday – May 17, 2008

ENTRIES:

Entry Fee - \$25.00 (checks payable to BBSA). Entries must be received by 1700 hours, May 16, 2008.
Send standard CBYRA entries to: Scott Almond • 2236 Welsh Drive • Virginia Beach, VA 23456
The Cape Henry Cup Sailing Instructions can be obtained after May 6, 2008, by calling Scott Almond (757.471.2663 or racing@broadbaysailing.org) or at www.broadbaysailing.org.

STARTING LINE:

Between an orange flag on the R/C Boat and a drop mark near Rear Range Occ 4s 58ft (CCV Mark "Z"). In the case of unseasonably high winds, an alternate starting/finishing line location inside the Hampton Roads Harbor will be used. The alternate starting/finishing line will be between Nun R N "20" / Hampton Flats (CCV "H") and an orange flag on the committee boat. An announcement on VHF channel 72 at approximately 0830 hours on race day will be made if the alternate race venue is to be used.

FINISH LINE:

Unless relocated inside the harbor as described above, the finish line will be between "R-22" (CCV Mark "Q") and an orange flag on the shore of Fort Monroe bearing approx. 280° magnetic from "R-22". Observers will be on shore from 1430 to 1830 hours. Boats finishing in another time period are responsible for recording their own finish time and reporting it to the Race Committee. It is each skipper's responsibility to call his/her boat's sail number to the Race Committee on Channel 72 at the finish line. Any boat dropping out of the race is requested to notify the Race Committee on Channel 72.

MARKS:

Chesapeake Bay Marks:

- "K" - Bell Buoy R "2T" (CCV Mark "K")
- "L" - Whistle Buoy RW "HC" / Tail of the Horseshoe (CCV Mark "L")
- "M" - Fl 10s 55ft 18M Horn / Thimble Shoal Light (CCV Mark "M")
- "V" - Fl G 4s "1BR" / Back River Entrance (CCV Mark "V")

Hampton Roads Harbor Marks:

- "E" - Fl R 2.5s 15ft 4M "2" / Hampton Bar (CCV Mark "E")
- "I" - Day Beacon G "1" / Hampton Flats (CCV Mark "I")
- "H" - Nun R N "20" / Hampton Flats (CCV Mark "H")
- "O" - Fl R 4s R "10" / Newport News Channel (CCV Mark "O")
- "Y" - Nun Y N "H" / Shallow Draft Fairway (CCV Mark "Y")
- "Z" - Fl R 2.5s R "8" / Norfolk Harbor Reach (CCV "Z")

COURSES (#'S WILL BE USED ON COURSE BOARD):

- #1 Start - "K" to STARBOARD (via the Chesapeake Channel of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge Tunnel) - "L" to PORT (via the Thimble Shoal Channel) - Finish HANDICAP LENGTH = 27.4nm
** BOATS ARE WARNED TO STAY WELL CLEAR OF ROCKS WHEN PASSING THROUGH EITHER OPENING OF THE CHESAPEAKE BAY-BRIDGE TUNNEL**
- #2 Start - "L" to PORT - "V" to PORT - "M" to STARBOARD - Finish HANDICAP LENGTH = 20.3nm
- #3 Alternate Start - "I" to PORT - "O" to PORT - "H" to PORT (thru S/F line) - "I" to PORT - "O" to PORT - Finish HANDICAP LENGTH = 9.8nm
- #4 Alternate Start - "Z" to PORT - "E" to PORT - "H" to PORT (thru S/F line) - "Z" to PORT - "E" to PORT - Finish HANDICAP LENGTH = 9.9nm
- #5 Alternate Start - "O" to PORT - "Y" to PORT - "H" to PORT (thru S/F line) - "O" to PORT - "Y" to PORT - Finish HANDICAP LENGTH = 9.2nm

CLASSES:

PHRF A, B, C, N (single headsail only) with current PHRF rating / Cruising (non-spinnaker - single headsail only). The Cruising class is open to all boats that do not have a valid PHRF rating and/or skippers who race only occasionally. A courtesy rating shall be assigned by the race committee, if needed, and shall not be subject to redress. Starting sequence (RRS 26) – Cr, N, C, B, A.

TIME:

First Flag=0930 hours. The finish of one boat by 1730 hours shall make the race valid for all boats in that class.

RULES:

Race will be governed by the USSA RRS 2005-2008, the Sailing Instructions, and this Notice of Race.

RESULTS:

Results will be posted at Willoughby Harbor Marina and at www.broadbaysailing.org.

AWARDS:

First, Second and Third Place Awards for each class finishing. The CAPE HENRY CUP will be presented to the first place boat at the discretion of the BBSA Racing Fleet Captain. Award winners will be notified of the time and place of the awards presentation. Please include phone number and e-mail address on entry form. This is Race #2 of the Chesapeake Bay Distance Racing Series.