



## 2024 CIYC TGIF SUNSET SERIES NOTICE OF RACE

**Race Dates** June 7 and June 21 July 5 and July 19 August 2 and August 16

The City Island Yacht Club invites you to participate in its Friday evening TGIF Sunset Series, a casual, a jib-and-main race for sailors of all experience levels.

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### 1. LOCATION

The Start will be at the racing mark 'S', approximately 0.25 nm southwest of the 'Big Tom' R2 mark in Eastchester Bay.

### 2. RULES

Racing will be governed by US Sailing's The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) for 2021-2024 as amended by this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions.

Only jibs and mains are permitted. No spinnakers may be used. Poling out of headsails with whisker or spinnaker poles is allowed.

Alternate Penalties are permitted, per RSS Appendix V1. Rules 44.1 and 44.2 are changed so that the One-Turn Penalty replaces the Two-Turns Penalty.

Each yacht shall carry a VHF radio capable of transmitting and receiving on channel 71.

### 3. ENTRY FORM, NOTICE OF RACE, SAILING INSTRUCTIONS, COURSE MARK CHART

Entry Form, NOR, Sailing Instructions and Course Mark Chart are available at

<https://www.cityislandyc.org/sailing/tgifsunsetseries/>

### 4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

Single-hulled boats, over 21 feet in length with a PHRF Rating are eligible.

Entry Fee is \$60.00, payable by check and mailed to the City Island Yacht Club.

Entry form (see '2' above) may be and emailed to: [TGIF@cityislandyc.org](mailto:TGIF@cityislandyc.org)

## 5. REGATTA FORMAT, START TIME

The Race Series is a 6-Race Regatta. The races take place on the Friday evenings noted in the schedule above. Division will be assigned by the Race Committee.

The first warning signal is scheduled for 1900 hours.

## 6. SCORING

The Regatta will be scored using a low point system. A yacht's series score shall be the sum of her four best races.

A yacht performing Race Committee shall receive points equal to her average score, after throw-outs. RC credit can be received once for the series.

Scoring for PHRF divisions will be calculated using the Time on Time computation method, using a Time Correction Factor based on the boat's YRALIS PHRF distance rating ( $TCF=650 / (550+PHRF)$ ).

Overall scoring for each series for all divisions will be calculated using a Low Point Scoring System. Yachts not starting shall be scored as the number of entrants +1. Yachts will be scored for a 5 or 6 race series based on the sum of their 4 best (lowest) scores of the races sailed for their division. If only 4 races are completed for a division, the series score shall be the sum of their best 3 race scores.

## 7. AWARDS

Trophies shall be awarded at the discretion of the Race Committee.

Crew Prizes will be made at the TGIF post-race party at CIYC after each race.

## 8. WELCOME

The privileges of the City Island Yacht Club are extended to the Skippers and Crews of all participating yachts after each race. Guest moorings are available at no charge.

The City Island Yacht Club launch monitors VHF channel 7 and can also be reached at 718.885.2487.

## 9. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact:

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