

Charlevoix Yacht Club
2009 Pine Lake Overnight
Notice of Race

1.0 Notice of Races

- 1.1 Charlevoix Yacht Club will be conducting the 2009 Pine Lake Overnight on Saturday June 27, 2009
- 1.2 . The race will be governed by the *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS), 2009 to 2012, as adopted by U.S. Sailing and the Sailing Instructions.

- 1.2 Boats must be equipped with standard U.S. Coast Guard approved safety equipment. A current Lake Michigan PHRF rating certificate will be accepted but is not required. Boats sailing without a current LM-PHRF certificate will be assigned a rating by the race committee based on owner supplied measurements and modifications.

- 1.3 There will be a skippers meeting at the Charlevoix Yacht Club on Saturday June 27 at 16:00

The Warning Signal will be made at 17:55. The Preparatory Signal at 17:56 and the Starting Signal at 18:00.

- 1.4 The registration fee is \$25.00 for Members of US Sailing and \$30.00 for non-members. Registrations will be accepted prior to but no later than the skipper's meeting.

- 1.5 Sailing instructions will be available at the Skippers Meeting.

- 1.6 There will be at least 2 Divisions; JAM (Jib and Main only), and Spinnaker. If there are sufficient quantities of boats to register, additional divisions will be added and will be defined at the skippers meeting. If there are 2 JAM boats or less, they will be given an appropriate handicap adjustment and scored with the spinnaker division(s)

2.0 Scoring

- 2.1 Finish places will be determined by the race committee using modified Time on Time [Handicap=650/(PHRF+550)]

- 2.2 Points will be awarded in accordance with "Low Point" scoring system of Appendix A of (RRS).

- 2.3 Flags will be awarded to First, Second and Third place finishers in each division. If fewer than 4 boats register in a division, flags will be awarded for 1 position less than the number of boats registered

3.0 Course

- 3.1 The course will be around permanent CYC racing buoys, to the Flashing Green Buoy at Horse Point Near Young State Park, then finishing at a mark next to one of the CYC racing buoys. The final course will be described in the Sailing Instructions.

4.0 Changes to: *The Racing Rules of Sailing*

- 4.1 Any changes to the RRS will be included in the Sailing Instructions.