

THE BARNACLE CUP SAILORS AND THE ST MARY'S RYKEN & LEONARDTOWN HIGH SCHOOL SAILING TEAMS PRESENT:



THE 5th ANNUAL LEONARDTOWN WHARF REGATTA

September 8th, 2012

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OPEN TO ALL SAILORS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC

The Barnacle Cup Sailors will host the regatta, provide a Race Committee boat. Hotel rooms are available at the new Executive Inn and Suites in Leonardtown 301-475-3000. Slips are also available for regatta participants for no charge at Fitzies' Irish Pub 301-475-1913. Contact us for additional information on slip availability at other nearby marinas.

Rules: This regatta will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing for 2009-2012. The course will be announced at race time.

Eligibility: The regatta is open to all monohull sailboats 20' and longer. Races will be scored for both Spinnaker and Non-Spinnaker.

Schedule of events: Happy Hour and skippers meeting at **Fitzie's Irish Pub** starting on Friday night at 1800 hours, September 7th with a reception and cash bar; captain's briefing at 1900 hours. Following Saturday's races there will be a reception and cash bar at Fitzies post race, with awards presented after the races are scored.

Sailing: – There will be as many races as we can complete between noon and 4pm. The first race will start on the Potomac River at "HI" Buoy located at the mouth of Breton Bay on Saturday, September 8th at 1200 hours, a "round the buoys" race of a length to be determined by conditions. This will count as the first in a series of races. The HI buoy is approximately 3nm from Fitzies Irish Pub.

After the last race at HI, the RC will group all boats via radio call on vhf **channel 69**.

The RC will then start a **PURSUIT race** into Breton Bay to **Green Buoy "5"** near Fitzies. There we will knock back a few while the races are scored. An awards ceremony will follow.

The fee is \$25 per boat, please send a check with your registration no later than September 6th (\$30 for late entries). All net proceeds from this race benefit the **St Mary's Ryken and Leonardtown High School Sailing Teams**. The high schools will hold a simultaneous regatta near the wharf.

Risk: All competitors are ultimately responsible for the inherent risks associated with sailboat racing. It is the competitor's decision to enter the regatta and to start or continue any race. Each competitor will accept full responsibility for all his/her actions during any activity related to the event. This includes onshore activities before, during, and after the regatta. Please review your charts prior to the race as the HI bouy is at the edge of a large submerged sandbar (Heron Island Bar). There is plenty of depth around the HI bouy, but straying too far west could result in going aground.

Mail your entry form and check to:

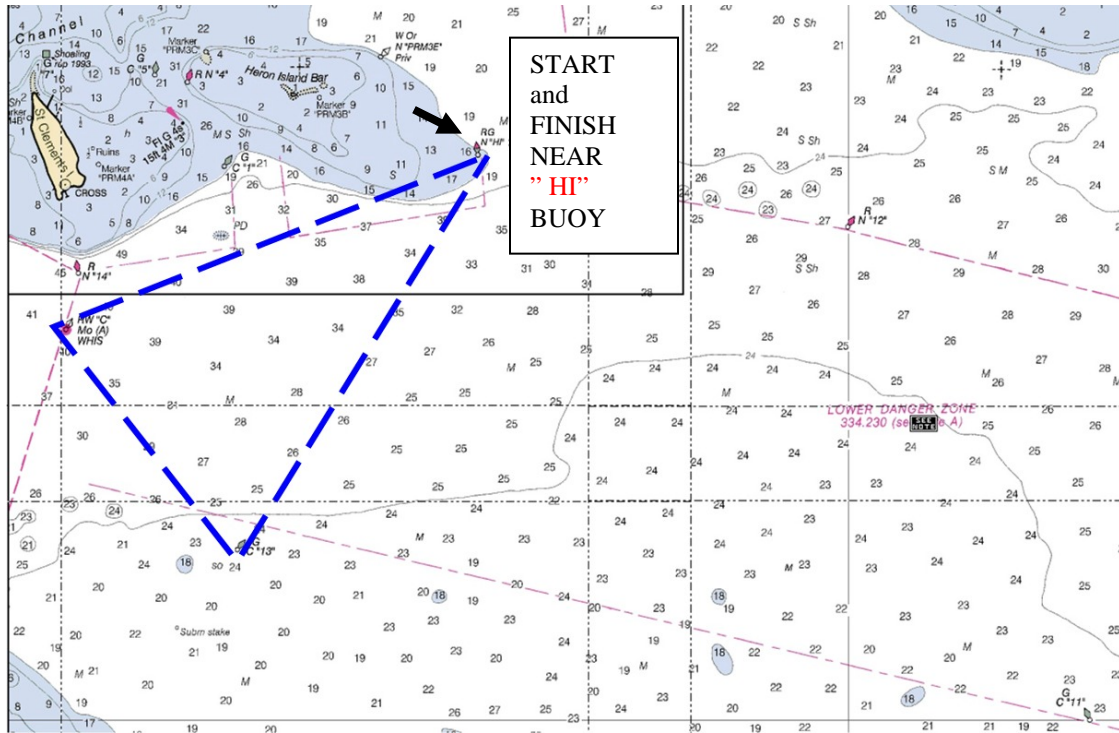
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FIRST RACE: START AT 12:00 (GPS TIME)



START TO THE EAST OF "HI" and the RACE COMMITTEE BOAT LEAVING "HI" TO PORT

LEAVE BUOY R/W "C" TO PORT

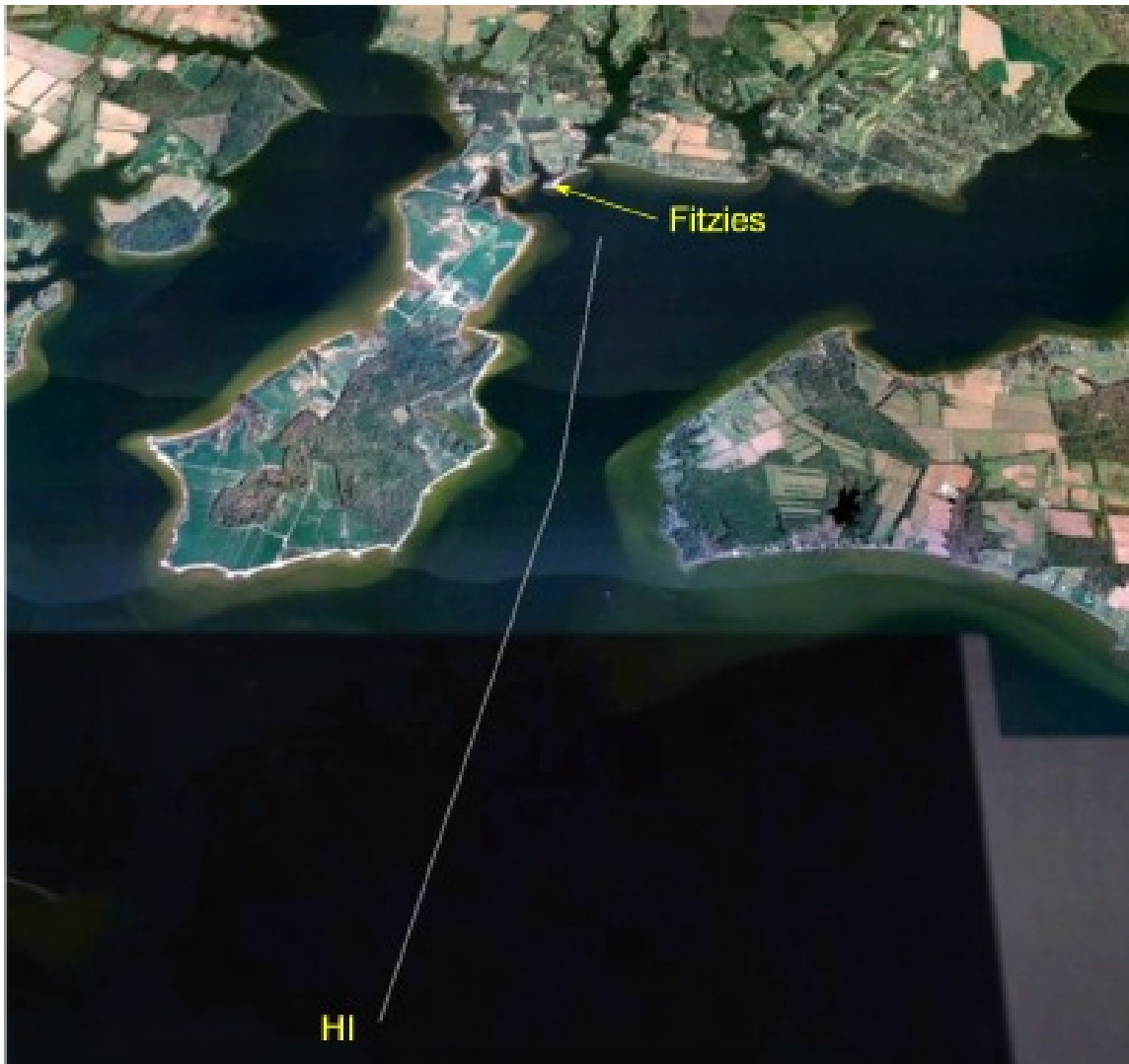
LEAVE BUOY G "13" TO PORT

FINISH BETWEEN "HI" AND THE FLAG ON THE RACE COMMITTEE BOAT, LEAVING "HI" TO STARBOARD.

WAYPOINTS

- "HI" - 38 deg. 12.666' N, 76 deg. 42.211' W
- R/W "C" 38 deg. 11.827' N, 76 deg. 44.657' W
- G "13"- 38 deg. 10.792' N, 76 deg. 43.643' W

Pursuit Race - HI to Fitzies.



-Pursuit Race: Start from the West of the start line between the RC boat and "HI" (leave "HI" to starboard), honor all channel marks into Breton Bay.

-Finish line: will be Buoy Green "5"- 38 deg. 15' 18.44" N, 76 deg. 41' 34.65" W. Leave Green "5" to port. Approximately 2.5nm



LEONARDTOWN WHARF REGATTA 2011 REGISTRATION FORM:

SKIPPER'S NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____ EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

BOAT NAME: _____

LENGTH OF BOAT: _____ TYPE OF BOAT: _____

COLOR OF HULL: _____ SAIL NUMBER: _____

PHRF RATING (IF KNOWN) _____

WILL YOU BE REMAINING OVERNIGHT? _____ # OF CREW _____

DO YOU NEED ANY ASSISTANCE FINDING A SLIP? _____