



HAMPTON YACHT CLUB
4707 VICTORIA BOULEVARD
HAMPTON, VA. 23669

2017 Hampton Annual - Middle Ground Light Race

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2017

Event # 415

ENTRY DUE DATE/TIME: 1900 hours the day before the race.

ENTRY FEE: \$30 Make checks payable to HYC.

SEND ENTRY TO: Race Committee (Hampton Annual-MGL Race)
Hampton Yacht Club
4707 Victoria Blvd.
Hampton, VA 23669

CONTACT PERSON/PRO: John McCarthy, 757-850-4225 (H)

YACHT REQUIRMENTS: All PHRF boats must have a current PHRF valid certificate.
Cruising Fleet boats will be given a courtesy rating by the race committee.
All boats must meet PHRF of the Chesapeake Category Near Shore Safety Equipment Requirements.

STARTING LINE: In the vicinity of CCV Harbor Mark "H" (R N "20") off Hampton Flats.
The starting line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the RC Signal Boat and the adjacent government or drop mark.

FINISH LINE: Between the staff displaying an orange flag on RC Signal Boat and the nearby mark designated by the posted course, unless the course has been shortened.

COURSES: As per the CCV General Sailing Instructions. One mark must be Middle Ground Light.

STARTING SYSTEM: RRS 26.

STARTING SIGNALS:

<u>CLASS</u>	<u>WARNING</u>
PHRF A	1030
VIPER 640	
PHRF B	
PHRF C	
PHRF N (Double-Headsails allowed)	
CRUISING (Single Headsails only)	

TIME LIMIT: Any boat not finished within 3.5 hours of its fleet's start will be scored DNF.

PROTESTS: Due: In writing within one hour of the Race Committee arriving at the HYC dock. Protests will be heard at 1900 hours on Monday, September 11th at HYC, unless heard earlier by mutual agreement.

SOCIAL: Crabs, beer, and soft drinks will be provided to skippers and crew on the HYC dock after the race.

AWARDS: Appropriate awards will be presented at the HYC Annual Awards Night on December 5th. Also, the Leon James Trophy (Best corrected time in A Fleet) and the Barry August Trophy (Best corrected time in Non-Spin) will be presented.

This race counts toward the HYC CUP Championship.