



GOSPORT REGATTA

15th Annual Race



NOTICE OF RACE - Saturday, September 14, 2024

Organizing Authority - Piscataqua Sailing Association

1. RULES: The Racing Rules of Sailing 2021 - 2024 (RRS), the prescriptions of US SAILING, this Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions, and the rules of applicable Class Associations (except as altered by this Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions).

2. CLASSES: This regatta is a Pursuit Race with start times calculated by Performance Handicap Race Fleet, PHRF, handicaps. Depending on the number of entries, there will be 4 divisions. There will be Racing, Cruising (no free flying headsail) and J24 classes.

3. ELIGIBILITY: Boats must be approved per the Sailing Instructions, registered and listed on the online entry list with a current 2024 PHRF certificate.

4. ENTRY: Registration entry fees must be made online by September 7th, registration fee is \$125.00 per boat [2024 Gosport Registration](#)

5. SCORING: Low Point Scoring as per RRS Appendix A for each division as well a Cedar Classic Yacht Trophy (Boats built in 1974 or prior) and Oceanic Yacht Trophy (Best Local Yacht Club showing)

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS, COURSES AND START TIMES: Will be posted on Piscataqua Sailing Association web site, sailpsa.org, under Gosport Regatta. Race committee will also have access to start times.

7. COURSE: Yachts will start either by Government Mark "2KR" or Gunboat Shoals G1. The race will finish near the Government Mark "2KR". Yachts will race around Government marks as well as around Appledore Island, Smuttynose Island, Cedar Island and Star Island depending on conditions. Actual course(s) will be determined on Race Day pending conditions and will likely vary with Class and Division.

8. ANNOUNCEMENTS: Course(s) and other announcements will be made on VHF Channel 68. Yachts are required to always monitor VHF 68. Safeharbor Wentworth launch will be on VHF Channel 71.

Awards & BBQ to be held at Safe Harbor Wentworth by the Sea Marina following racing. Please contact the Marina for slips or moorings.

<https://shmarinas.com/locations/safe-harbor-wentworth-by-the-sea/>