



## **2023 January Town Race**

### **St. Croix Yacht Club**

**January 29, 2023**

Organizing Authority: St. Croix US Virgin Islands

## **Notice of Race**

**1 RULES:** The Regatta will be governed by:

- 1.1 The racing rules as defined by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS),
- 1.2 The relevant one-design class rules for boats racing in one-design classes, excepting,

### **2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:**

2.1 Sailing Instruction will be available online on the SCYC website, emailed to registrants that provide an email address and posted on the registration board at the St. Croix Yacht Club.

### **3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

3.1 Competitors are required to register in advance by visiting the St. Croix Yacht Club website: [www.stcroixyc.com](http://www.stcroixyc.com).

3.2 Proposed Classes:

- Rhodes 19
- Keelboats
- Multihulls
- Beach Cats

### **4 FEES:**

4.1 There is a \$20 entry fee if registration is complete by January 25. The entry fee for registration after January 26<sup>th</sup> is \$40.

## **5 SCHEDULE:**

### ***Friday January 27, 2023***

1700 – 1900          Happy Hour and final registration          SCYC

### ***Sunday January 29, 2023***

0800 – 0900          Skippers Meeting          East Room, SCYC

1000                  Warning Signal for Race to the Cay

1200ish              Lunch at Hotel on the Cay

1300ish              Warning Signal for race back to the SCYC

1600                  Deadline for last start.

## **6 Boats**

6.1 SCYC boats will be available for SCYC club members on a first come/first served basis for all classes for which club boats are available.

6.32 Please contact the St. Croix Yacht Club Waterfront Coordinator to make reservations: [waterfront@stcroixyc.com](mailto:waterfront@stcroixyc.com)

## **7 SCORING**

7.1 The Low Point Scoring system, Appendix A, will apply; First tie-breaker will be oldest combined crew age. Second tie breaker will be the competitor with the best finish in the last race.

## **8 Prizes**

8.1 Prizes will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> thru 3<sup>rd</sup> place for each Class.

## **9 RISK STATEMENT AND DISCLAIMER OF RESPONSIBILITIES**

RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia, or other causes.