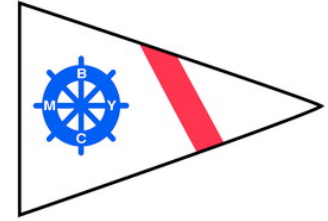


Meydenbauer Bay Yacht Club

2010 Spring Sail Regatta on Lake Washington



Invitation

Dear Sailor,

Meydenbauer Bay Yacht Club (MBYC) invites you to participate in the 2010 Spring Sail Regatta on Lake Washington. The dates are Saturday, March 27th and Sunday, March 28th, 2010.

The format will be, three round-the-buoy races on Saturday, and one round-the-buoy race on Sunday. There will be a minimum of two divisions, flying sail and non-flying sails. The racing area will be on Lake Washington between the Evergreen Point Bridge to the north, the Mercer Island Floating Bridge / I-90 to the south, Seattle to the West, and Bellevue to the east.

On Saturday evening, a no-host bar in the Wheel House opens at 5:30 PM with Hors d'oeuvre. Dinner will be served at 7:00 PM in the clubhouse dining room for all sailors and friends with reservations.

Awards for the Winter 2010 Sailing Series and for the Spring 2010 Sail Regatta will be presented in the MBYC clubhouse at the completion of the Sunday race. A no-host bar will be open and light Hors d'oeuvre will be served in the Wheel House.

Free moorage will be available to boats requesting space on the entry form on a "first come, space available basis". Please do not moor at the end of dock 1 (east dock), as it is reserved for private club moorage or at dock 3 (west dock), as it is reserved for the use of the pump out facilities.

If you do not have a current PHRF rating, it will be your responsibility to contact Doug Penny (206-786-3684, voice mail does not qualify) to establish a rating by March 20, 2010.

If you have a friend who enjoys racing, invite them to participate.

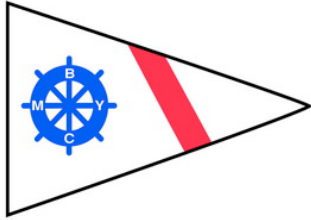
Thanks again for your past and future support of the annual regattas on Lake Washington. We hope you and your crew will join us for some fun on the lake .

Sincerely,

Doug Penny

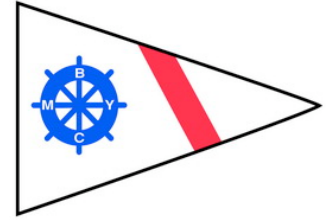
Doug Penny
MBYC Sail Regatta Chair
206-786-3684
email: MBYCregattaSail@comcast.net

Download information and documents from the MBYC website; www.mbycwa.org Regatta-Sail



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Entry Form

Owners Name: _____ Tel/Home _____

Address: _____ Tel/Other _____

Email address: _____

Boat Name: _____ Sail Number: _____

Make/Model _____ LOA _____

Yacht Club Affiliation (optional) _____ Active PHRF Member (Y/N) _____

PHRF Rating: Flying _____ Non-Flying _____ ONE DESIGN: _____

We want to race: Flying Spinnaker _____ Non-Flying Spinnaker _____

Moorage Request: March/Friday _____ March/Saturday _____

As the boat Owner or Owner's representative, I state and agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing, the General Sailing Instructions, and by all other rules that govern this event.

Signature: _____ Position: _____

Entry Must be Accompanied by:

1. Signed Entry Form and proper fees. **
2. Signed Waver, Release and Indemnification per General Sailing Instructions. *The Waver can be found as part of the General Sailing Instructions.*
3. Rating Certificate, copy of application for same or request for MBYC to assign a temporary rating. (You may write "Request" on the PHRF Rating line.)
4. Proof of Insurance for vessel.

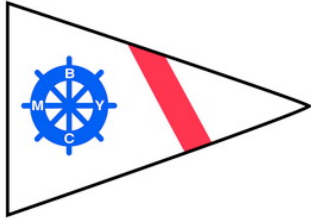
** The Spring Regatta Entry Fee is \$30.00 per boat and covers one or both days of racing.

The Spring Regatta Entry Form, Fees, and all other Required Documents MUST be received by: March 20, 2010

Entry Fees Enclosed: _____

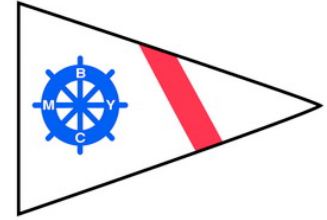
Return Signed Forms along with all other necessary documentation, including a check payable to **MBYC**, to:

Doug Penny
618 - 128th Ave. SE
Bellevue, WA 98005



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Dinner Reservation

On Saturday evening, March 27, 2010, on the weekend of the Spring Sail Regatta, the MBYC Regatta Sail Committee sponsors an evening, for all sailors, members, crew, and friends. A buffet style dinner for \$20.00 per adult including wine or beer with dinner, \$10.00 per child, 12 and under, will be served in the Clubhouse at 7:00 PM. Racing participants will have the first opportunity to make dinner reservations. Reservations for non-race participant general membership will open up on March 13, 2010, two weeks prior to the dinner.

Space is limited to 100 reservations for the dinner on Saturday.

A no-host bar in the Wheel House opens at 5:30 PM with Hors d'oeuvre.

Please note that minors are not allowed upstairs in the bar area.

Send Check and completed Dinner Reservation form by March 20, 2010.

Owner's Name _____

Boat Name: _____

Buffet Dinner per Adult: \$20.00

Buffet Dinner per Child, 12 and under: \$10.00

Total number of Adults: _____ Amount: _____

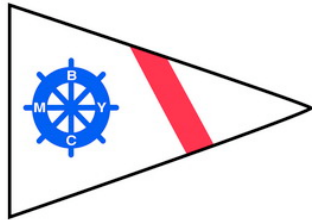
Total number of Children: _____ Amount: _____

Total Enclosed for dinner reservations: _____

Make check payable to **MBYC**. You may write one check for the Dinner Reservations and for the Race Fee.

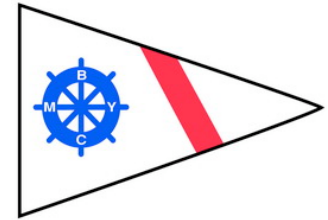
Mail your Dinner Reservations and payment to:

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Notice of Race

EVENT: Meydenbauer Bay Yacht Club 2010 Spring Sail Regatta on Lake Washington.

DATES: Saturday, March 27, 2010 - Three races.
Sunday, March 28, 2010 - One race

START TIMES: Race start times for Saturday are as follows:

Race No. 1:	Warning for first class:	10:00 hrs.
	Start:	10:05 hrs.

Each succeeding class will start on 5-minute intervals.

Race Numbers 2 & 3 will have their warning signal approximately 5 minutes after the finish of the last boat of the preceding race. No races will be started after 1430 hrs.

Race start time for Sunday is as follows:

One Race:	Warning for first class:	10:00 hrs.
	Start:	10:05 hrs.

PLACE: The racing area will be on Lake Washington between the Evergreen Point Bridge to the north, the Mercer Island Floating Bridge/I-90 to the south, Seattle to the west, and Bellevue to the east.

STARTING AND FINISHING AREA: The starting and finishing area will be in the vicinity of the Medina City Hall, Pickle Point, and the north end of Mercer Island. The start and finish line will be between the Race Committee Boat and a red/orange mark.

THE COURSE: Every effort will be made to establish a windward, gybing, leeward type triangular course using orange or yellow inflatable triangular marks. The course will be announced by the Committee Boat at the start. The Committee Boat can be identified by the R.C. flag and the MBYC Club burgee.

RULES: Governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) for 2009-2012 Edition, International Sailing Federation, and as modified by the General Sailing Instructions. In case of conflict, the Sailing Instructions will govern. The racing will be conducted under PHRF ratings and a boat may enter in either the flying sails or non-flying sails category. Those electing to participate in the flying sails category must have a valid PHRF rating. Those participating in the non-flying sails category may have a valid PHRF rating or may apply to MBYC, which will assign handicap ratings only for applications received prior to March 20, 2010. The event is restricted to monohull boats.

SAFETY REGULATIONS: All boats shall comply with the PIYA Category IV requirements.

CLASSES: Boats will be grouped for most effective level classes. One-design starts will be used where possible (five boat minimum). The Race Committee reserves the right to change the class breakdown based on entries. All entries will be posted by class on the bulletin board located on Dock No. 3 (west end) at MBYC by 800 hours on the day of the race. The committee boat can advise boats of classes.

SCORING: The Low Point System, Rule A2, will apply, modified so that each boat's series score will be the total of her race scores, with her worst score discarded if 4 races have been completed. Four (4) races are scheduled, of which 1 race per day minimum shall be completed to constitute a series. Points shall be scored for each yacht recorded on the official race results as follows:

- 1st place, 3/4 point; 2nd place, 2 points; 3rd place, 3 points; etc.
- Yachts recorded as DNF shall score N+1 points, where N equals the number of yachts finishing that race.
- Yachts recorded as DSQ shall score N+2 points, where N equals the number of yachts starting that race.
- Yachts starting any valid race series, but not starting a given race, will be recorded as DNS for each race missed. Each DNS will be scored as N+1, where N equals the number of yachts starting that race.

TROPHIES: Trophies for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places will be awarded to the respective yachts in their class. Trophies will be awarded after the Regatta on Sunday afternoon, March 28, 2010, at the Clubhouse. Only the first place trophy will be awarded for classes with an average of less than five starters.

ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 covers both days of racing.

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS: The General Sailing Instructions can be picked up at the MBYC clubhouse; Fleet Captain's bulletin board, downloaded at the MBYC website, or by request; mailed or emailed.