## Notice of Race

## SYC Tri-Island Blake Island Race

**Date:** June 4, 2016 (Saturday)

**Location:** Puget Sound. The starting and finishing line will be in Shilshole Bay between Meadow Point and West Point.

**Course:**

Long Course: Start by leaving the starting mark buoy to port, round Blake Island to port or starboard, and finish by leaving the finishing mark buoy to port.

Short Course: Same as long course.

Sport Boat Course: Same as long course (scored separately).

Cruiser/Racer Course: Start by leaving the starting mark buoy to port, round Blakely Rock (“K”) to port or starboard, and finish by leaving the finishing mark buoy to port.

**Time of First Warning:** 0900

**Time Limits:**

Long Course: Earlier of 8 hours or 1900

Short Course / Sport Boat Course: Earlier of 8 hours or 1900

Cruiser/Racer Class Course: Earlier of 8 hours or 1900

**Classes to Race**: PHRF-NW. Other classes of at least five boats may apply.

**Equipment Requirement Category:** SER Nearshore or OSR 5

**Other Provisions:**

* Notice of Race amended by SYC Notice of Race Addendum.
* The short course is available to boats rating 75 PHRF and slower. The sport boat course is open to boats 33 feet and less rating faster than 75.
* A shortened course option will be available for boats that take their time at a designated shortened course option finishing line. Boats using the shortened course option will be considered finishers and will be scored in class and overall based on their time and the distance for the shortened course starting immediately behind boats finishing the full course.
* This race is part of the SYC Tri-Island Series. There will be no scoring exclusions for the series. This changes RRS A2.

**Awards:** 1st overall on each course. For the Tri-Island Series, 1st overall per course and 1st, 2nd, 3rd in class. Awards will be presented at the awards party.

**Pre-Race Parties and Series Awards Party**

Hosted **pre-parties** with free beer and free moorage for the Smith and Vashon Island races will be on Friday, April 29 and Friday May 13, at the Seattle Yacht Club Elliott Bay station. Elliott Bay Marina has offered free guest moorage, based on availability, for Friday night. Please contact the marina for availability and assignment at 206-285-4817 or VHF 78A.

The **Tri-Island** **Series Awards Party** after the Blake Island Race on June 4th will be at the **Corinthian Yacht Club** at Shilshole Bay Marina from 3 to 9 PM.

**Registration Deadline:** June 2, 2016 (Thursday)

**Registration Fee: $70 (or $180 for SYC Tri-Island Series)**

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