

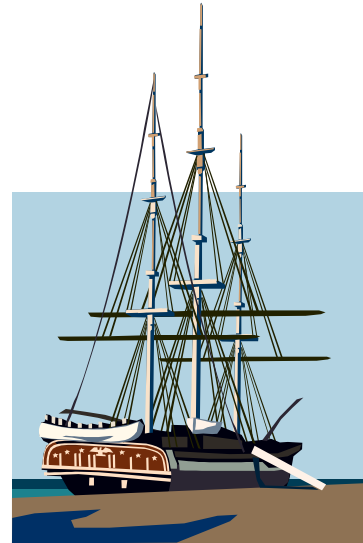
# CONSTITUTION CUP

**Saturday, July 16th, 2016**

A Mass Bay Qualifying Race  
Two Races (if possible)

**Sponsor:**

Boston Harbor PHRF  
And  
Cottage Park Yacht Club



- 2.1 **Eligibility:** In accordance with MBSA Season Championship splits. One Design starts will be designated by their class flag or class insignia.
- 2.2 **Registration:** Send entry fee and valid PHRF certificate to:
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| <b>Constitution Cup</b>        | <b>OR</b> | <b>Regatta Management Solutions</b>                        |
| <b>Cottage Park Yacht Club</b> |           | <a href="http://www.regattaman.com">www.regattaman.com</a> |
| <b>76 Orlando Road</b>         |           |  |
| <b>Winthrop, MA 02152</b>      |           |  |
- 2.3 **Fees:** \$60. Mass Bay Sailing discount \$5.00, U.S. Sailing member discount \$5.00. Pay on line [www.regattaman.com](http://www.regattaman.com) or make checks payable to Boston Harbor PHRF. **Entries must be received by July 15th. On the water entries will have a \$10 surcharge.**
- 2.4 **Handicaps:** PHRF Time on Time will be used
- 3 **Rules:** This event will be governed by the MBSA General Sailing Instructions except as changed by these Event Sailing Instructions, which will be posted on [www.cpyc.org](http://www.cpyc.org) and [www.regattaman.com](http://www.regattaman.com). Boats are required to check-in before their first start of the day. Boats in the racing area that are not starting a second or subsequent race must notify the Race Committee before leaving the racing area. Boats that withdraw from racing must advise the Race Committee as soon as reasonably possible.
- 4 **Notices to Competitors:** Will be posted on [www.cpyc.org](http://www.cpyc.org) and on [www.regattaman.com](http://www.regattaman.com).
- 6.1 **Signals to Competitors:** Signals made ashore will be displayed at CPYC and announced on VHF 72.
- 7.1 **Schedule of Races:** Maximum of 2 races.
- 7.2 **Warning Signal:** First warning signal 1100 hrs.
- 9 **Racing Area:** Rendezvous in the vicinity of MBSA Racing Mark "M", Boston Entrance Gong RW"NC" at 1030 hrs.
- 10.1 **The Course:** Intended courses to be used are MBSA standard courses or MBSA List of Marks "A".
- 11.1 **Marks:** Marks will be inflatable tetrahedrons and/or government marks (List A).
- 14.2 **Recalls:** The Race Committee will use VHF channel 72.
- 17.1 **Time Limit:** 3 hrs. after the actual starting time of each class.
- 17.2 **Finishing Window:** The finishing window shall be 30 minutes after the first boat in each class finishes.
- 19.1 **Protests and Requests for Redress:** Written protests must be filed on an appropriate form available at [www.cpyc.org](http://www.cpyc.org) and may be submitted by email within 24 hours to the Fleet Governor at [regatta@cpyc.org](mailto:regatta@cpyc.org). Details of the hearing will then be provided as soon as possible.
- 24 **Prizes:** Prizes for top three places depending on the number of competitors in each class and will be presented at CPYC Annual Awards Night to be held in conjunction with Mass Bay Sailing Awards dinner at CPYC on Friday, November 18, 2016.