



Notice of Race

The “Quick-Key” Time Trial 2024

Biscayne Bay Yacht Racing Association

Labor Day 2023 – Memorial Day 2024



Tired of thanking the RC? Don't have any friends to race against? Not convinced your new crew isn't a total stooze? We get it. That's why we dreamt up this time trial. Register, race, record your time, and resubmit as often as you'd like throughout the season. Questions? Email info@bbyra.net.

1. Rules

1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing, when applicable.

1.2 A valid entry shall be considered if:

1.2.1 The boat and the crew send a picture of themselves while racing with a time stamp to @bbyra1967 on Instagram or to info@bbyra.net.

1.2.2 A track recorded on the Navionics app or GPS unit, which shows the course sailed, elapsed time, and date recorded is shared via picture or link to the aforementioned handles.

1.3 Data for wind velocity and direction for VPP PHRF entries shall be determined by NOAA Station 8723214 Virginia Key, Biscayne Bay, FL at the start time of each entry.

2. Course:

2.1 The course (approximately 3nm) shall consist of a start/finish line between Dinner Key Seaplane Channel Markers One and Two, and rounding marks Q (“Quick Flash”) and K (Key Biscayne Channel Light 1).

3. Eligibility and Entry:

3.1. The regatta is open to the following classes:

3.1.1. PHRF: Current PHRF certificate required. If the certificate is not a Southeast Florida PHRF certificate, it may be subject to adjustment by the rating Committee. All ratings shall be sensitized for windspeed using a modified VPP rating.

3.1.2. ONE DESIGN CLASS: There must be a minimum of three boats registered to constitute a class.

4. Fee:

4.1. The fee for this event is \$20.

4.2 Should a One Design class not receive the adequate number of entries, the fee shall be refunded to those boats who registered, provided they cannot qualify to race in PHRF.

5. Schedule:

5.1. Monday, September 3rd, 2023, 00:00 hrs: Boats shall be allowed to submit their first entry, as long as the finish time occurred after the official start time.

5.2 Monday, May 27th, 2024, 11:59hrs: Boats shall no longer be allowed to submit time trial entries.

5.3 TBD: Awards Ceremony

6. Sailing Instructions:

6.1. The Sailing Instructions will be available on nextSailor.com

7. Scoring

7.1 One Design boats shall be scored on their elapsed time.

7.2 VPP PHRF boats shall be scored on their corrected time.

15. Prizes:

15.1 The fastest boat in each class shall receive a trophy.

15.2 The fastest elapsed time for the season shall be memorialized on the “Quick-Key” Perpetual.