

West Shore Sail Club

Presents
Another exciting year of
Wednesday Night at the Races
2011

Spring Series

	Afterglow
May 18	GIYC
May 25	GIYC
June 01	GIYC
June 08	GIYC

Make up Dates:

Summer Series

	Afterglow
June 15	FYC
June 22	FYC
June 29	FYC
July 06	FYC

July 13

Fall Series

	Afterglow
August 3	FYC
August 10	FYC
August 17	GIYC
August 24	GIYC

August 31

There will be an **important skipper's meeting at the Grosse Ile Yacht Club on Tuesday, May 10th, 2011 at 7:30 p.m.** At this meeting, race packets will be given out, and important information about changes in the race program for 2011 will be discussed. Please plan on attending or have a representative pick up your packet! Also, a practice race is planned to be held for all Race Committee volunteers on Wednesday, May 11th. If you volunteer to act as RC Boat please plan on attending.

Other 2010 WSSC Races/Events open to all sailors

July 9th WSSC Regatta Lighthouse Challenge

August 28th Ladies Day Race (Peg Spriggs Memorial)

Sept 4th WSSC Jack & Jill Race

October 16 WNATR Awards Night – Grosse Ile VFW

Races Results and Course Cards will be available on our web site –
www.westshoresailclub.org

Wednesday Night at the Races (WNATR)

Please Type or Print Neatly

WSSC 2011 Race Application

Skipper _____ City _____ State _____
Address _____ Zip _____ Home phone (____) _____
Boat Name _____ Sail Number _____ Rating _____ (Attach 2011 Valid Rating Certificate)*
Type of Boat _____ (i.e. Tartan 30)

For Results and other notices Skipper's E-Mail address _____
Crew's E-mails _____

WNATR Course Cards are available on the webpage www.westshoresailclub.org if you need them.

Section 2

For WNATR - WSSC members will perform committee boat duties or find a suitable alternative if selected.

***WSSC members** Racing in **all 3 Series of WNATR may Discount \$10.**

Note: Non-members of WSSC may also serve as committee boat. Non-members, please check one of the following:

I desire do not mind am not willing – to serve as WNATR committee boat

Section 3 - If you have a valid PHRF-LE certificate, go to and fill out Section 5.

Section 4 - If you do not have a valid PHRF-LE certificate, we unfortunately can no longer *assign* you a rating unless you qualify and race in the *Cruising Class (new for 2011) –see addendum. **Please call your Club's PHRF-LE area handicapper or measurer. They will gladly measure you for racing. Send the appropriate papers to PHRF-LE who will then assign a rating. Unless a valid PHRF-LE certificate is submitted, Cruising class racers will be assigned a rating as per PHRF-LE rules by the WSSC WNATR Co-Chairman.**

Section 5 - Please Read Carefully

Event	Date	Class (Circle One)	Fee	Owed
WNATR All Series	Spring Summer, Fall	Spinnaker- JAM--Cruising	\$100	\$
WNATR –Spring	May 18,25, -June 1,8	Spinnaker – JAM– Cruising	\$45	\$
WNATR – Summer	June 15,22,29 -July 6	Spinnaker – JAM– Cruising	\$45	\$
WNATR – Fall	Aug 3,10,17, 24	Spinnaker – JAM– Cruising	\$45	\$
			Sub Total	\$
US Sailing Members may take 10% Discount (Subtract 10% of Sub Total)			-10 %	\$-
*WSSC Members racing WNATR All Series subtract \$10				\$-
Please make checks payable to: <u>West Shore Sail Club</u>			Total	\$

Please mail/return to: WSSC WNATR, C/O Chris McCardell, 23251 Oak St., Dearborn, MI 48128

Entry Deadline for WNATR: Received *no later than Saturday, May 7, 2011 @ 1800 hours.* (An additional \$15 fee will apply to late entries). WE NEED TO SET UP PACKETS AND PREPARE SCRATCH SHEETS so please get entries in on time! (Please note that entries received after the deadline will not appear on the scratch sheet for the first race, and may not be scored.)

Section 6

In consideration of being permitted to enter, and being fully knowledgeable of the risks of sailing as a competitive sport, the owner, contestants, and all crew members and guests aboard his/her yacht agrees to assume the risk of participation and to hold harmless all losses and/or claims incident thereto, the WEST SHORE SAIL CLUB organization and/or the personnel which conduct same. All owners of participating yachts will be responsible for having in effect during the WNATR, the proper liability protection necessary to insure against loss or damage of property and/or life for the safety of other competing yachts. All owners acknowledge that all-racing rules, the prescriptions of the national authority, when they apply, the sailing instructions and the class rules will be observed for the entire WNATR series. The establishment of special regulations and/or instructions in no way limits or reduces the complete and unlimited responsibility of the owner or owner's representative.

The safety of a yacht and its crew is the sole and inescapable responsibility of the skipper. It shall be the complete and unlimited responsibility of each skipper to decide whether to start, continue, or finish a race. Skippers must be a member of a yacht or sail club, or other organization affiliated with a national sailing authority. Crews who are competent and physically fit to face adverse conditions shall man all boats.

Signed _____ Insurance Co. _____ Date _____

Yacht/Sail Club Affiliation _____ US Sailing Membership No. _____

Cruising Class Qualifications (Addendum)

A CRUISING CLASS Yacht cannot have had more than one podium finish in any race in the past three years.

No spinnakers are allowed – JAM only

No more than one headsail can be hoisted at one time

A Yacht must have and list “cruising amenities”

The class will be governed by PHRF-LE cruising restrictions.

All cruising class applicants will be accepted at the discretion of the WNATR Race Committee.

Have you raced before? _____ (if yes did you place 1st, 2nd or 3rd _____ How many times? _____

Which sails do you have? Please List: _____

Are your sails: Dacron, Mylar/pentax, Kevlar, Some other material? (Circle)

Please list Cruising Amenities below:

(i.e.) Oven, roller furling, two or three bladed prop, large anchor on the bow.
