Pettipaug Yacht Club
Essex, CT 06426

Notice of Race
Charles Birch Memorial Race
Forty Eighth Annual Race
Saturday, October 19, 2019

Location: Connecticut River between markers #23 and #33. Start/finish line approximately 0.4 miles south of Brockway Light.

Schedule: First signal 1100. Time limit 1600. Party & prizes at Pettipaug YC at Decommissioning party at 1700. Instructions available at PYC Saturday morning or at the starting line.

Eligibility: Cruising boats 20' or over, sailing under PHRF handicap formula.

Fees: Entry fee is $10 per boat. Party fee is $5 per person. Entries are to be received by Thursday, Oct. 17th. Email/Text entries are acceptable.

Classes: All boats will race cruising canvas (non-spinnaker). Boats will be divided into two classes; Racing and Cruising. Trophies will be awarded to the top three boats in each class. The best overall finisher will be awarded the Charles Birch Memorial Trophy and will be eligible to win the Tri Club Series Trophy.

Rules: The race will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020, the Prescription of US Sailing and the sailing instructions.

Race Entry Form

NAME OF BOAT:_____ OWNER_____

BOAT TYPE:_____ ADDRESS_____

SAIL #_____   _____

NON SPINNAKER PHRF_____   _____

Make checks payable to "Pettipaug YC"   PHONE_____

Mail/ Contact: John Kennedy, 860-395-8285
                38 Fairview Ave.
                Deep River, CT, 06417

Responsibility: The undersigned acknowledges that the skipper of the boat is solely responsible for the safety of the boat and its crew and agrees that neither the Pettipaug Yacht Club nor the officers, governors or committee or personnel (the "indemnified parties) shall have any liability whatsoever, for any damage, loss, liability or claim and further agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the indemnified parties from any liability, loss or claim whatsoever including attorneys fees and expenses arising out of the Pettipaug Yacht Club Charles Birch Memorial Race

Owner/Skipper Signature_____Date_____