



PAS-DE-DEUX Two-person Pursuit Race

Hosted by Pointe-Claire Yacht Club on Saturday October 5th, 2019, 1100 AM start

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

RULES

The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).

SPECIAL INSTRUCTION

By definition there should be only 2 active crewmembers on board each boat – extra persons may be carried as passengers but must not take part in the workings of the boat other than in an emergency. **This is a white sail race. No spinnakers may be flown.**

ENTRIES

Open to PHRF racers and cruisers with a current SLVYRA handicap rating. **All Yachts should register with Skipper's & Yacht's name, Boat Type, Sail number & SLVYRA PHRF white sail handicap (T/D) by 9pm Thursday October 8th to receive their start time.**

This may be done by contacting Rick Shousha at rick.shousha@gmail.com

Go to <https://slvyra.com/handicaps/current-handicaps/> to find your handicap.

Prior to the warning signal, all competitors shall sail by the stern of the race committee boat, to identify his/her boat. On-the-water late entrants may be accepted and given start times entirely at the Race Committee's discretion.

Boats will be handicapped according to PHRF T/D rating. If a boat does not have a valid handicap, the race committee will assign a provisional handicap for this race. In order to simplify the registration process, some boats may be grouped. The decision of the race committee will be final.

The start time is the number of minutes following the start signal that each boat should cross the starting line. The first boat over the finish line shall be deemed to be the winner and so on until all entrants have crossed the finish line.

THE RACING AREA

The course will be located roughly in an area in front of LRYC, BYC and PCYC. The starting mark will be SLVRYA #32 .

DIVISIONS

There shall be just one racing division for Keelboats and only two active crewmembers in each boat.

MARKS

The racing marks will be selected from the current SLVRYA racing mark chart (attached). A pennant will be displayed on the race committee boat to indicate which course will be used. Both courses are the same length.

COURSES

There are two courses. The best will be chosen depending on the wind:

Course 1:

Start Gate @ SLVRYA #32 ->#34(P) ->#44(P)->#33(S) ->#43(P) -> #31(P) ->#32 Finish

Course 2:

Start Gate @ SLVRYA #32 ->#31(S) ->#43(S) ->#33(P) ->#44(S) -> #34(S) ->#32 Finish

(Course 2 is the reverse of course 1)

Prior to the warning signal, the appropriate pennant will be displayed on the mast of the RC boat.

RECALLS

In the event of any boat (s) making a premature start, one sound signal (horn) and code flag "X" will be flown. The boat concerned must return and round either end of the starting line before restarting their race.

THE FINISH

The finishing line will be between a staff displaying an RC flag or shape on a race committee boat and a nearby mark (32).

TIME LIMITS

The time limit for all boats racing shall be 40 minutes after the first boat to finish.

All boats not finishing within the time limit will be scored as Did Not Finish.

This changes Rule 35.

THERE WILL BE NO PROTEST HEARINGS ARISING FROM THIS FUN RACE

SCORING

The First Boat over the finish line having successfully completed the course shall be the winner. Likewise further positions shall be awarded to all boats in order of finishing the race. All these positions will count towards respective Yacht Club's total score.

PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to first, second and third place finishers and will be presented at PCYC as soon as possible after the race.

The **Lac St-Louis Pas-de-Deux** trophy will be awarded to the winning Yacht Club based on the finishing position of all entrants that complete the course successfully.

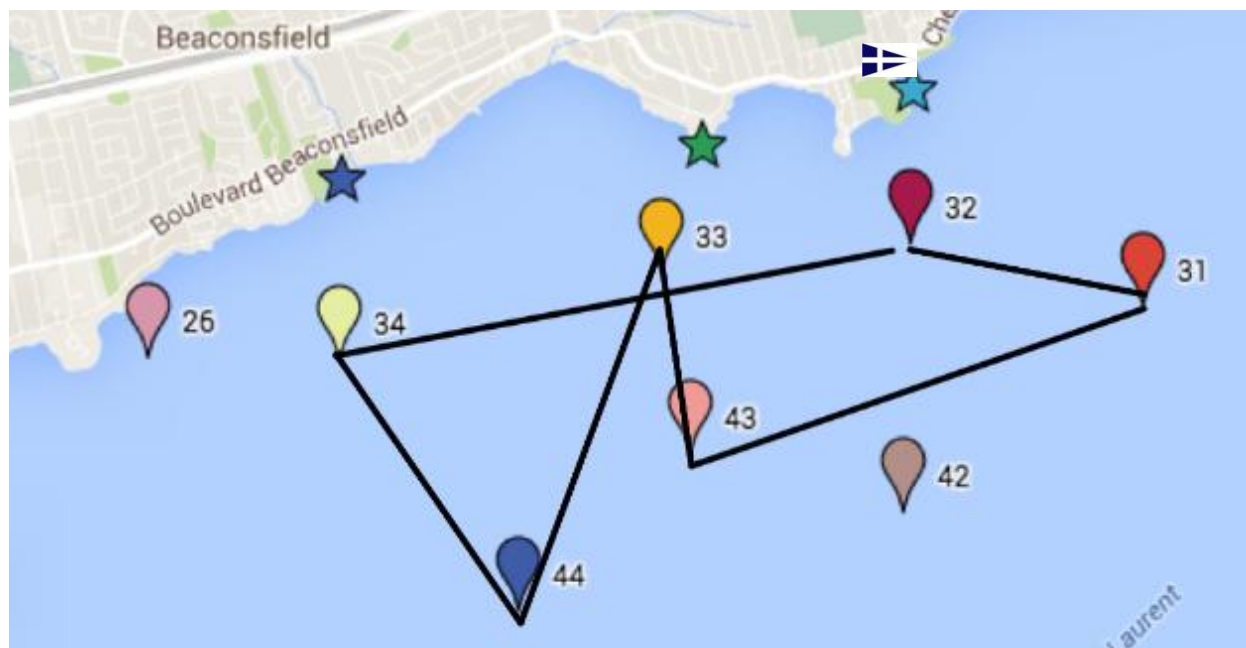
RETIREMENT

Boats retiring should not cross the finish line. However, in order to prevent unwarranted search and rescue operations, they must report their withdrawal either to the race committee, or by telephoning PCYC as soon as possible at 514-695-2441.

Race Committee will monitor VHF Channel 68 and broadcast any changes there.



Pas de Deux Course Map 2-Person White Sail Pursuit Race



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Course 1

Start (32)	Distance	Bearing
34	1.77	275
44	0.97	159
33	1.12	037
43	0.55	186
31	1.41	088
Finish (32)	0.72	301
Length	6.54	

Course 2

Start (32)	Distance	Bearing
31	0.72	121
43	1.41	268
33	0.55	006
44	1.12	217
34	0.97	339
Finish (32)	1.77	95
	6.54	