

August 15, 2026 ✨ Lido Isle Yacht Club
Organizing Authority: Fleet 1 of the Harbor 20 Class Association

I. GENERAL

- A. The Heritage Regatta is a fun, informal yet challenging race intended to give Harbor 20 sailors of all abilities the chance to compete together on a level playing field. The race will consist of a single random leg with start and finish in the waters off the Lido Isle Yacht Club (LIYC) main dock. Decorate your boat and wear costumes in keeping with the “Around the World in 80 Days” movie theme.

II. RULES

- A. The race will utilize a “pursuit” or reverse handicap start. Individual start times will be determined based on the skipper and crew listed on the registration form. Any changes to registered skipper and/or crew must be communicated to the Race Committee before 1300 hours on August 15.
- B. The race will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing and Harbor 20 Fleet 1 Bylaws.
- C. The race is an “informal race” as defined by Fleet Bylaw Rule I.G.3.
- D. Only the skipper designated on the registration may helm the boat during the race, except for momentary relief in non-tactical situations.
- E. RRS 44.1 and 44.2 will be changed so that only a One-Turn Penalty (one tack and one gybe) is required.

III. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- A. The regatta is open to all Harbor 20 boats.
- B. Entry fee for racing is \$55.00 and includes 1 ticket for the Summer Party. Entry fee for the Summer Party is \$55.00 per person.

IV. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15	HOUR
Racer Check In	1300
Competitors meeting	1330
First Warning	1400
No warning signal given after	1600
Summer Party at LIYC	1600 to 1900
Trophy Presentation	During the Summer Party

V. RACING

- A. One race is scheduled.
- B. The race will utilize a “pursuit” or reverse handicap start. Boats will start in groups of one or more at starting times to be determined by the Race Committee (RC). The individual starting times will be communicated to entrants no later than 1330 hours on August 15.
- C. The race will start and finish in the harbor south of LIYC.
- D. The course will be a random leg course. Course description will be displayed on the LIYC patio deck or main dock prior to the first warning signal.

VI. SCORING

- A. The Low Point Scoring System in RRS Appendix A will apply, except that no scores will be excluded.

VII. PRIZES

- A. Prizes will be awarded after racing to the top finishing boats, and the “Best Decorated/Best Costume”.
- B. The Harbor Heritage Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the boat determined by the RC to be the winner.

VIII. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- A. Sailing Instructions will be available online no later than 0800 on Friday, August 14. Amendments to the Sailing Instructions may be made verbally by the RC no later than competitors’ meeting.

IX. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- A. Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not be responsible or accept any liability for material damage to any boat or property, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta. By participating in this event, each competitor agrees to release the Harbor 20 Class Association, Fleet 1 of the Harbor 20 Class Association, Lido Isle Yacht Club, their past or present officers, directors, employees, representatives, agents, and race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor’s participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.
- B. In consideration for being allowed to participate in this regatta, competitors and each crew member agrees not to sue the Harbor 20 Class Association, Fleet 1 of the Harbor 20 Class Association, Lido Isle Yacht Club and their past or present officers, directors, employees, representatives, agents, and race organizers for any and all claims, actions, causes of action, losses, liabilities, damages, and obligations of any kind, whether known or unknown, at law or in equity or otherwise, that arise out of any possible exposure to COVID-19 that occurs as a result of a competitor’s presence at or use of the Lido Isle Yacht Club facilities, or participation in this regatta.

X. FURTHER INFORMATION

- A. For further information, please contact:
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