



BARNEGAT BAY YACHT RACING ASSOCIATION

RACE DAY CHECK LIST

1. Committee vessel - capable of carrying at least 10 persons plus crew. Provisions for the committee vessel can be loaded prior to the vessel departing or by taxi during the lunch break. Alcoholic beverages are not requested.
2. Patrol vessels - two for each fleet with two individuals on board. Preferably both adults who are capable of towing or rendering assistance to a capsized sail boat.
3. Late registration/inspection vessel - vessel should have a cover to protect the crew from the sun, as this vessel will remain on the course for the entire day. This vessel would normally carry two committee members plus crew.
4. Base radio operator - facilitates communication from the committee vessel and the club.
5. Taxi boat - to carry people and/or equipment to the club from either the committee boat or late registration boat.
6. Registration table at the club at an easily accessible location with a minimum of two volunteers. These persons will collect daily registrations and distribute lunch tickets and course sheets to the contestants that register at the club to race that day. Daily registration money is to be retained by the host club. Registration forms are to be sent to the committee boat by the taxi boat. There should also be an area that can prominently display the official race bulletin board that would show changes to the race course that day.
7. Members who would be capable of participating in a protest committee. Individuals knowledgeable of the racing rules that can be available if a protest need be heard in the morning prior to the start of the days races. Protest committees normally meet at 7 AM.
8. Two boxes of 10 gauge blank shells for the race committee gun.

Please have the patrol vessel crews, the committee vessel and late registration vessel available by 8 AM for their pre race briefings and assignments.

Often the question of how many lunches to prepare/obtain is raised. Due to the anticipated changes in some of the race schedules this year this estimate may prove difficult for your club to make. The Bay officers can advise as to how many vessels have competed in each fleet this season which can be used as a guide in food preparation. This information is available at least a week in advance of all races other than the first regatta.

Any information disseminated to the general public, the press, and/or competitors shall be displayed on the Official Notice Board as per Sailing Instructions and/or issued verbally by the BBYRA Commodore, or in his absence, the BBYRA Vice Commodore.