



12th Annual Paper Cup Regatta

Saturday, July 9, 2016

The eleventh annual **Paper Cup Regatta** will be held on Saturday July 9th, with fun for everyone. We once again hope to have entries from three local clubs: Rockland Yacht Club (RYC), Rockport Boat Club (RBC), and hosts Camden Yacht Club (CYC). Our schedule is:

1000 All sailboats gather at Rockport Bell "RWRO" (44° 09.49N, 069° 03.20W) for the start of an "informal" race to Pulpit Harbor. Finish will be abeam of Osprey Nest on Pulpit Rock (44° 09.06N, 068° 53.40W). The CYC Eastern 22 committee boat will be on site and we will use Channel 67 for race instructions, information, etc. The race will be handicapped using PHRF-NE ratings. If you don't have a current rating, we can use a previous one, or we can get an approximate rating if the boat is a production type (or even if it's not!). We don't worry too much about exact ratings, since other factors (see below) enter the calculations.

Power boats are encouraged to join us during the race. Pictures will be much appreciated! Everybody loves pictures of their boat under sail.

At the end of the race, all boats will raft up in Pulpit Harbor for a "get to know everyone" BYO lunch. Rafting with a boat belonging to another club is highly desirable; boats not in a raft with another club lose 10 points off their PHRF rating for the regatta. Rafting to two boats from another club gains 10 points. Rafting to a power boat doubles points earned.

1400 At approximately 1400, we will start a second race back to Camden. The starting line will be outside Pulpit Harbor and the finish will be at Camden Harbor (Bell "R2", not "CH"), 44° 12.00, 069.03. Regardless of conditions, the race will end by 1700, as cocktail hour "officially" starts at 1730. Actually, we encourage cocktail hour starting as soon as boats reach Camden Harbor and tie up. Monitor Channel 67 if it appears that all boats will not finish by 1700 for instructions.

For members of RYC and RBC, we can arrange for inner harbor floats and/or moorings. Call our Dockmaster, Barb Goos at 236-3014, or e-mail her at docks@camdenyachtclub.org. There is a \$45 fee for the floats and \$35 fee for moorings. The first six visiting boats to register will be provided FREE dock space Saturday night! The event will again be informal – come to cocktails and dinner in your "sailing clothes" – and BYOB. We will have drink setups and ice.

1830 At approximately 1830 we will have a barbeque buffet dinner – the menu is listed below. All members of RYC, RBC, LBC, and CYC are invited, regardless of race participation. Between dinner and dessert, we will present race results and awards.

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12th Annual Paper Cup Regatta Buffet Dinner
July 9, 2016 at Camden Yacht Club
\$25 per person, tax etc. included.

Reservations are required no later than noon on Tuesday, July 5th.

Menu:

Hors d'oeuvres: **Cheese & Crackers**
 Fresh Fruit
 Assorted Chips and Dip

Barbeque Buffet: **Traditional Barbequed Chicken**
 Baked Beans
 Corn on the Cob
 Cabbage Salad, Potato Salad, Garden Salad
 Rolls and Butter

Dessert: **Ice Cream**

If you have any special dietary requirements, please contact us in advance.

To register for the dinner: Call Elaine Booker at 236-7033 or e-mail her at cyc@camdenyachtclub.org CYC members can register via a forthcoming e-mail form. Non-CYC members please pay with cash or check at the event.

To register for the race: Go to the Paper Cup link on the CYC website and register via the link to the Google Form provided. The CYC page is:

<http://camdenyachtclub.org/cruising-racing/paper-cup-regatta/>

Alternatively, Contact Aaron Henderson, CYC PHRF Representative at sailredwings@myfairpoint.net or 522-5252 and provide the following information: name of boat, name of skipper, type/make/model of boat, PHRF rating (or indicate that one needs to be assigned), and yacht club.