HYC CUP PROCEDURES – 2023

CONCEPT: The HYC CUP will be awarded on HYC Awards Night to the Hampton Yacht Club boat compiling the most points in HYC sponsored "Big Boat" races for the season. The nine HYC races are:

(1) Down the Bay Race (2) So. Bay Race Week (3) Doublehand Race

(4) Hampton Sprints (5) Masters Race (6) Plantation Light Race

(7) Middle Ground Light (8) Frostbite Series (9) The Gaboon Race

** Points will be awarded as per the boat's official finish position in the fleet in which she raced.

** Except that, points will be awarded as per the final overall series score for SBRW and Frostbite.

** A Perpetual Cup will be displayed at HYC and a "Keeper Trophy" will be presented to the winner.

SCORING SYSTEM: Points will be awarded as follows in each fleet:

- First place = 4 points (if 4 or more boats) ; 3 points (if three boats) ; 2 points (if two boats)
- Second place = 3 points (if 4 or more boats) ; 2 points (if three boats) ; 1 point (if two boats)
- Third place = 2 points (if 4 or more boats) ; 1 point (if fewer than four boats)

**All other boats will be awarded one (1) Participation Point….as follows:

** To receive a Participation Point, the boat must have started the race, i.e. not DNC, DNS, or OCS.

** No Participation Point will be awarded to a boat that is DSQ for that race.

** In SBRW and Frostbite, to receive a Participation Point, the boat must have started a race on at least 50% of the days on which a race was completed and scored for their fleet.

**SBRW will be a "Bonus Point" event, i.e. one additional point will be added in each category above.

TIE-BREAKERS: Should there be a tie in the final standings, the following tie-breaker(s) will be applied:

- Number of events in which the boat participated
- RRS A8.1 (listing of scores)

PREVIOUS HYC CUP CHAMPIONS:

- 2023 = TBA !! 2022 = This Is Cool (Rusty Burshell)
- 2021 = Danger Paws (Ford/Biondi) 2020 = Roundabout (Alan Bomar
- 2019 = Danger Paws (Ford/Biondi) 2018 = Feather (Phil Briggs)
- 2017 = Danger Paws (Ford/Biondi) 2016 = Callinectes (Ben Cuker)