Notice of Race
2007 Wednesday Night Series

Organizing Authority	Thames Yacht Club
Dates	Spring Series: May 30, June, 6, 13, 20, 27, July 11 and 18. Summer Series: July 25, Aug. 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29.
Rules	The races will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing, US Sailing Prescriptions and the Sailing Instructions.
Starting Line	Thames River at the Queen Merry.
Classes	Classes will be assigned according to PHRF Numbers. A One-Design, Spinnaker & Cruising Canvas Class will be included for three or more entrants.
Ratings	PHRF Ratings as assigned by PHRF of Long Island Sound. Attach copy of 2007 PHRF-LIS or 2007 PHRF-TYC certificate. Time on time scoring will be used except for one-design classes.
Race Info	Skippers' Meeting at the Thames Yacht Club at 1700, Wednesday, May 30. Sailing Instructions , scratch sheets and course charts may be picked up at that time, or from the Race Committee on the Queen Merry prior to the first gun.
First Warning	1810 Each Race Day. First start 1815.
Course	To be determined by the Race Committee, according to conditions.
Scoring	Low-Point Scoring System, Appendix A Rule A2 of the Racing Rules will apply. A boat must start 5 races in a series to qualify. Boats with more than 5 races in a series will use their best 5 scores. For Ensigns, both series will be scored as one, and they must start 10 races to qualify. Ensigns with more than 10 races in the series will use their 10 best scores.
Trophies	1st, 2nd, 3rd for each class with at least five(5) entries for each series, and for the combined series.
Presentation	Race results will be announced at the Clubhouse after each race. Trophies will be awarded at Skippers' Night on Friday, September 7, 2007.
Entry Fee	$60 per yacht payable to TYC for the entire series, or $35 for either the Spring or Summer series. Add $3 if skipper is not a member of US Sailing Association.
Entries Close	Spring Series: May 30, 2007 Summer Series: July 18, 2007
Return Entry to	Ted Paulsen 20 West Maxwell Drive West Hartford, CT 06107 860-521-4350 or email to: **ted@tedpaulsen.com**
Race Committee Duty	Each boat entered in the Series will volunteer to staff the Race Committee (RC) for one race during either the Wednesday Night or Chowder Series. The skipper of the boat and at least one regular crew member, preferably two, will report not latter then 1715 to the Rear Commodore or his representative for RC duty. The boat assigned to RC will not participate in that race, but will be scored an average of their other series points for that race. Boats failing to meet these requirements will be disqualified and the penalty score will not be excluded from the series.