



Sunday, September 25, 2011

Cruising for Fun & Charity

Special Instructions

Reschedule of August 27 due to Hurricane Irene

Have a great day on the water and raise money for four favorite charities:

Hospice of St. Mary's
 Calvert Hospice
 Southern Maryland Sailing Foundation
 Rotary Club of Prince Frederick Scholarship Fund

Schedule:	11:00 am	Optional briefing Zahniser's Yachting Center Party tent near the Pool Bar
	1:30 pm	Begin course by checking in on VHF channel 72.
	2:30 pm	End of check-in time.
	2:45 pm	Finish course by checking in on VHF channel 72.
	4:00 pm	End of finish check-in time.
	5:00 pm	Post-event party at Zahinser's

Course:

Start: Beginning at 1:30 pm, pass between the yellow buoy (38° 19.05' N; 076° 26.05' N) half way between the flashing red at Drum Point (#4) and the flashing red off Solomons harbor (#6) and a nearby committee boat on the south side of the mark. Check in using VHF channel 72 by identifying your boat name to the Cruising Committee.

Proceed out the river entrance, pass Patuxent River mark #3, FL G 2.5 sec, on the north side, round Patuxent River mark #1, "1PR" Fl G 4 sec Bell, in the clockwise direction, return up the river and pass Patuxent River mark #3 again on the north side, round Patuxent River mark #6, Fl R 2.5 sec, in the counter-clockwise direction, and go approximately northwestward to the finish.

Finish: Proceed to the finish by passing between Solomons mark "2" on the way into the harbor and a nearby committee boat on the Solomons side of the entrance. Check in using VHF channel 72 by identifying your boat name to the Cruising Committee.

Safety: Please monitor VHF Channel 72. If conditions warrant, the Cruising Committee may abandon the event by announcing on this channel. Proceed to Solomons harbor.

Prizes: Lots of gifts and prizes, including ones for the boats completing the course that raise the most money for the event, will be awarded at the post-event party at Zahniser's. A boat's entry fee plus additional pledges will be added to calculate the contribution for each boat.

Don't forget the post-event party at Zahniser's!

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