



2010 Rum Challenge Notice of Race



On the Offer of Challenge by Commodore Tim Coltman of the Detroit Yacht Club and Acceptance by Commodore Beth Kurta of the Grosse Pointe Sail Club;

The Race Committees of the Detroit Yacht Club and the Grosse Pointe Sail Club announce the **Seventh Annual DYC-GPSC Rum Challenge** to be decided between teams of their clubs' yachts on **Saturday June 26, 2010**.

Venue: This Jib and Main Race will be held as the first start of the DBC/GPC Annual Regatta sailed in Lake St. Clair, starting and finishing in front of the Grosse Pointe Club, 6 Berkshire Place in Grosse Pointe Farms. Spectators are invited to the Grosse Pointe Club to view this challenge race as well as the racing in other classes of this Regatta.

Stakes: The DYC-GPSC Rum Challenge Trophy and a Case of Quality Rums from around the world.

Course: A 9.3 mile triangle west of the shipping channel, starting in front of the Grosse Pointe Club to a mark NNE of the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club, thence to a mark ESE of the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club near the west side of the shipping channel, thence returning to the finish line in front of the Grosse Pointe Club.

Participants: Any member of the Detroit Yacht Club or the Grosse Pointe Sail Club with a boat that either has, or can be assigned, a PHRF rating, is eligible to participate. The Race Committee reserves the right to determine the eligibility of any boat to participate in this regatta.

Registration: Registration for the Rum Challenge and rating application forms for those who are not on the DRYA valid list are available from:

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Registration Fee: **Twenty dollars.**

Sailing Instructions: General Instructions for the DBC/GPC Annual Regatta will be available on the DRYA website (www.drya.org). Watch your email for more details as they become available. Registrants will be provided additional specific instructions for the DYC-GPSC Rum Challenge.

Please contact either Bill Lynch or Larry Haggart for further information.