

Belmont Yacht Club There & Back Race August 4, 2012 Notice of Race

1. Rules

1.1. The race will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (2009-2012)*.

2. Eligibility and Entry

2.1. The race is open to all boats.

2.2. Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form (Attachment 1) and sending it, together with the required fee, to Belmont Yacht Club, PO Box 13130, Chicago, IL 60613-0130 by Friday July 20, 2012.

2.3. Late entries will be accepted until 2000 on Friday, August 3, 2012. There is a late entry fee of \$10.00 imposed for registration received after July 20, 2012.

3. Fees

3.1. The entry fee is \$45.00 per boat through Friday July 20, 2012. As of July 21, the entry fee will be \$55.00 to include the late entry fee.

3.2. Meals are extra.

4. Schedule

4.1. Registration will take place on Friday, August 3, 2012, from 1800 until 2000 at the BYC Club Ship located at the north end of Belmont Harbor by B dock.

4.2. The first warning will be at 0750 on Saturday, August 4, 2011, with the first start at 0800.

5. The Sailing Instructions will be available on the Website one week before the race and at registration.

6. The Course

6.1. The diagram in Attachment 2 shows the course, the order in which marks are to be passed, and the side on which each mark is to be left. The approximate course length will be 45.3 nm.

7. Scoring

7.1. PHRF Corrected Time on Distance will be used for scoring.

8. Radio Communication

8.1. All boats will monitor Channel 69.

9. Prizes

9.1. Prizes will be awarded based on paid entries prior to July 21, 2012 for Single Handed and Double Handed as follows:

1 to 4 boats	1 Award
5 to 9	2 Awards
More than 10	3 Awards

10. Disclaimer of Liability

10.1. Competitors participate in the race entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

10.2. All competitors are required to complete the waiver of liability, Attachment 3.

11. Insurance

11.1. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.

12. Overnight Mooring

12.1. All mooring arrangements must be made with Wetrec at Belmont Harbor 312-742-7673.

13. Further Information

13.1. Write to rc@belmontyc.org or call 773.871.4424 (club voice mail). Web site: <http://www.belmontyc.org/tnb>.

Attachment 1

Belmont Yacht Club There & Back Race 2012 Entry Form

Boat Name: _____

Sail Number: _____ PHRF handicap: _____

Manufacturer: _____ Model: _____

Select one:

- Single-handed
- Double-handed

Select one:

- Jib and Main
- Spinnaker

Skipper Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Email : _____

Crew Name (if sailing Double-handed): _____

Entry fee of \$45.00 per boat (\$55 after July 20) includes 1 official T-shirt
Additional T-Shirts are available for \$25.00.

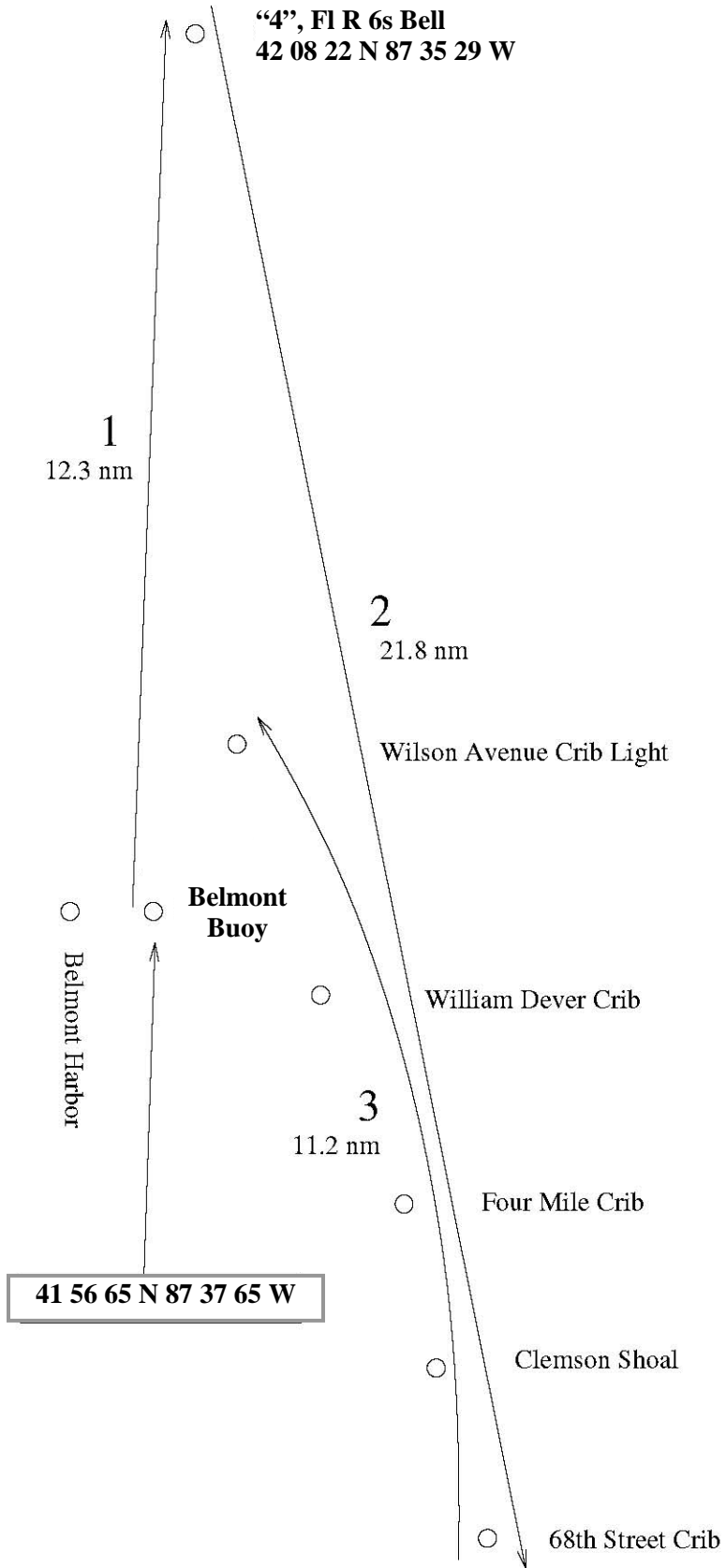
Friday Cook-out, including all liquid refreshments, is an additional \$20.00 per person
Saturday Dinner, including all liquid refreshments, is an additional \$35.00 per person

	# of Items	Size(s)	Price @	Total Cost
Friday Cook-out			\$20.00	
Saturday Dinner			\$35.00	
Skipper's T-Shirt	1		n/c	n/c
Add'l T-Shirts			\$25.00	
Entry Fee			\$45.00	\$45.00
Late Fee (after Jul 27)			\$10.00	
Total Fees				

Submit Application, liability release and fees to: Belmont Yacht Club RC
PO Box 13130
Chicago, IL 60613-0130

773.871.4424 (club voice mail)

Attachment 2



Attachment 3

Belmont Yacht Club

There & Back Regatta 2012

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY, AND SIGN BELOW:

SKIPPER'S NAME

BOAT NAME

LIABILITY RELEASE

1. I understand that there are dangers and risks in any sailing activity and water sports in general.
2. I understand that Lake Michigan can be a dangerous body of water, posing significant hazard, including, but not limited to, sudden storms and unexpected changes in wind and water conditions, that can cause bodily injury, including death.
3. I hereby fully release Belmont Yacht Club, its Officers and Directors from any liability whatsoever, for loss cost, damage or expense (including attorneys' fees), for personal injury, including death, arising from or connected in any way with my participation in the There & Back Regatta.
4. I release for use in promotional material any photo and /or video image or quotation of me while I engage in the regatta.
5. I warrant that I fully understand the operation of the vessel I am racing and its propulsion system, both sail and power.

1.1.1.1. **I have read, understand and will comply with this Release:**

1.1.1.2. **Signature:** _____ **(DATE)** _____

Printed name: _____

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