2012 Six Meter North American Championships August 25 - 26, Port Ludlow, WA Presented by the Puget Sound Six Meter Association



Invitation: The Puget Sound Six Meter Association invites Six Meter sailors to participate in the 2012 North American Six Meter Championships, US Six Meter Championships & Olin J Stephens II Classic Six Meter Cup for yachts designed prior to Dec 31, 1965.

Venue: Port Ludlow Marina, Port Ludlow, Washington. Racing will take place in the body of water known as Admiralty Inlet. Courses will be bounded on the North by Kinney Point, located at the southern end of Marrowstone Island, and to the South by Foulweather Bluff. All of the boats will be moored in the Port Ludlow Marina. The race headquarters will be at the moorage site.

Rules: The regatta will be governed by the 2009-2012 Racing Rules of Sailing in addition to the rules of the International Six Meter Class, and the Deeds of gift of the Bill Gooderham Canadian-American Cup, U.S. National Championship Trophy and the Olin J. Stephens II Classic Six Meter Cup except as amended by the sailing instructions.

Eligibility: This regatta is open to all Six Meter Yachts as defined by the measurement Rule. Eligible Yachts may enter by completing the entry form and paying the entry fee. Once paid, fees will not be refunded.

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Schedule: 5 races are scheduled, conditions permitting.

	August 24	Cocktails on the dock?	5:00pm-
	August 25	Skippers meeting	10:00
		Racing (3 or more races)	11:00
\		Back at the dock	5:30
		Dinner (provided)	6:30
	August 26	First race of two planned	11:00
		Trophy presentation	3:00 approx.

Courses: Racing will be on courses of windward leeward design except for the last race on Saturday which may be a longer distance race. Courses and course lengths will be as conditions permit. All yachts, both classics and moderns shall start at the same time.

Scoring: For the Bill Gooderham Canadian-American Cup (North American championship) and US Championships all yachts will be scored. For the Olin J. Stephens II Cup, only the classic yachts will be scored. The series will be scored as provided in Appendix A as amended by the sailing instructions. The scoring penalty as provided in RRS 44.3 shall apply. If 5 races are sailed there will be one throw out. Three races shall constitute a championship.

Awards: The North American Championships and Olin J Stephens II Cup shall be awarded to the overall winner of the event and to the winner of the Classic division, respectively. The U.S. Championship trophy will be awarded to the U.S. yacht with the best score. The championship trophies are "traveling". Commemorative trophies may be awarded at the pleasure of the organizing authority.

Moorage and Launch: Port Ludlow Marina- (800) 308-7991 Call and reserve space.

Lodging: Port Ludlow is a resort area with all amenities, including the Inn at Port Ludlow, golf and restaurants.

Tent Camping is available at Ft. Flagler, reservations at www.camis.com/wa/. 20 minutes away. Port Townsend Hotels are numerous and can be browsed at www.ptguide.com/accommodations/index.html

Fees: The race fee will be \$125 per boat and include two Saturday night dinner tickets. Additional tickets may be purchased for \$20 per person. Final commitments for all attendance must be received by August 24, 2012.

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Sign up Form Yacht Name Sail Number_____ Helmsman_____ Owners address Crew Members Email address______Phone Number____ Cell phone_____ Entry Fee including two dinner tickets \$125. Additional dinner tickets @ \$20. each

Total