



Potomac Yacht Racing Council

2014 Potomac River Sailing Championship Series

- Entry:** See Individual Notices of Races at <https://pyrc.shutterfly.com/> or each club website
- Mail To:** Send intention to race via e-mail to contact on individual race NOR
- Contact:** Josh Colwell, joshualcolwell@gmail.com
- Eligibility:** All entries must have a valid 2014 PHRF of the Chesapeake rating.
- Course:** The Potomac Yacht Racing Council Series challenges sailors with a series of races up and down the Potomac River sponsored by the member clubs.
- Rules:** All regattas are governed by the 'rules' as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016 (RRS). RRS 63.7, Conflict between Rules, is replaced by, "*If there is a conflict between the Event Sailing Instructions and the Notice of Race, the Event Sailing Instructions shall apply.*" Notice(s) of Change will be posted on the respective web sites as needed.

Scoring:

A boat that participates in at least two races will be considered as entering the series. Participants of all races will be scored until the last race of the season is completed. Then the boats competing in only one race will be dropped from the list. If a boat then finishes a race with a score that is greater than the series "did not compete" score, then her score will be changed to the DNC score for that race. The best four races will be scored. To qualify for a trophy a boat must have competed in a race that is 25 miles or more from her home port. The Governors Cup Potomac Leg or the Masters of the Potomac will be considered as meeting the 25 mile requirement.

a. Series Ties

RRS A8.1 Applies. If the ties are not broken by A8.1, then the following modification of RRS A8.2 applies. The modification is in italics. If a tie remains between two or more boats, they shall be ranked in order of their scores in the last race *they competed together*. These scores shall be used even if some of them are excluded scores.

b. DNC Calculation

RRS A9 Applies - Series longer than a Regatta. Only boats in more than one race count toward the Series DNC score.

Qualifying races for the PYRC series are:

1. May 3, 2014 (Sat) 10am QYC - Spring Tune Up, Quantico, VA
2. Jun 7, 2014 (Sat) 10am Geico Cup Regatta, Washington Sailing Marina
3. Jul 12, 2014 (Sat) 10am MPSA - Colonial Beach Regatta, Colonial Beach, VA
4. Aug 1, 2014 (Fri) 6pm Governor's Cup Regatta – Potomac Leg, Dahlgren, VA
5. Sep 13, 2014 (Sat) 11am QYC-Masters of the Potomac, Quantico, VA
6. Sep 20, 2014 (Sat) NNSA - Kinsale Regatta Ragged Point, VA
7. Oct 4, 2014 (Sat) 12pm Blessing of the Fleet Regatta, St. Clements Island, MD
8. Oct 12, 2014 (Sun) 12pm DYC - Under the Guns Regatta, Dahlgren, VA

Awards: 1st, 2nd & 3rd place trophies will be presented in both the spinnaker and non-spinnaker fleets.

Other: Boats participate in this regatta entirely of their own volition (see RRS 4, Decision to Race). The PYRC and member clubs will not accept liability for damage or injury resulting from an incident arising before, during, or after the regatta. As required, the Race Committee boat can be contacted via VHF or by hailing on Channel 16.

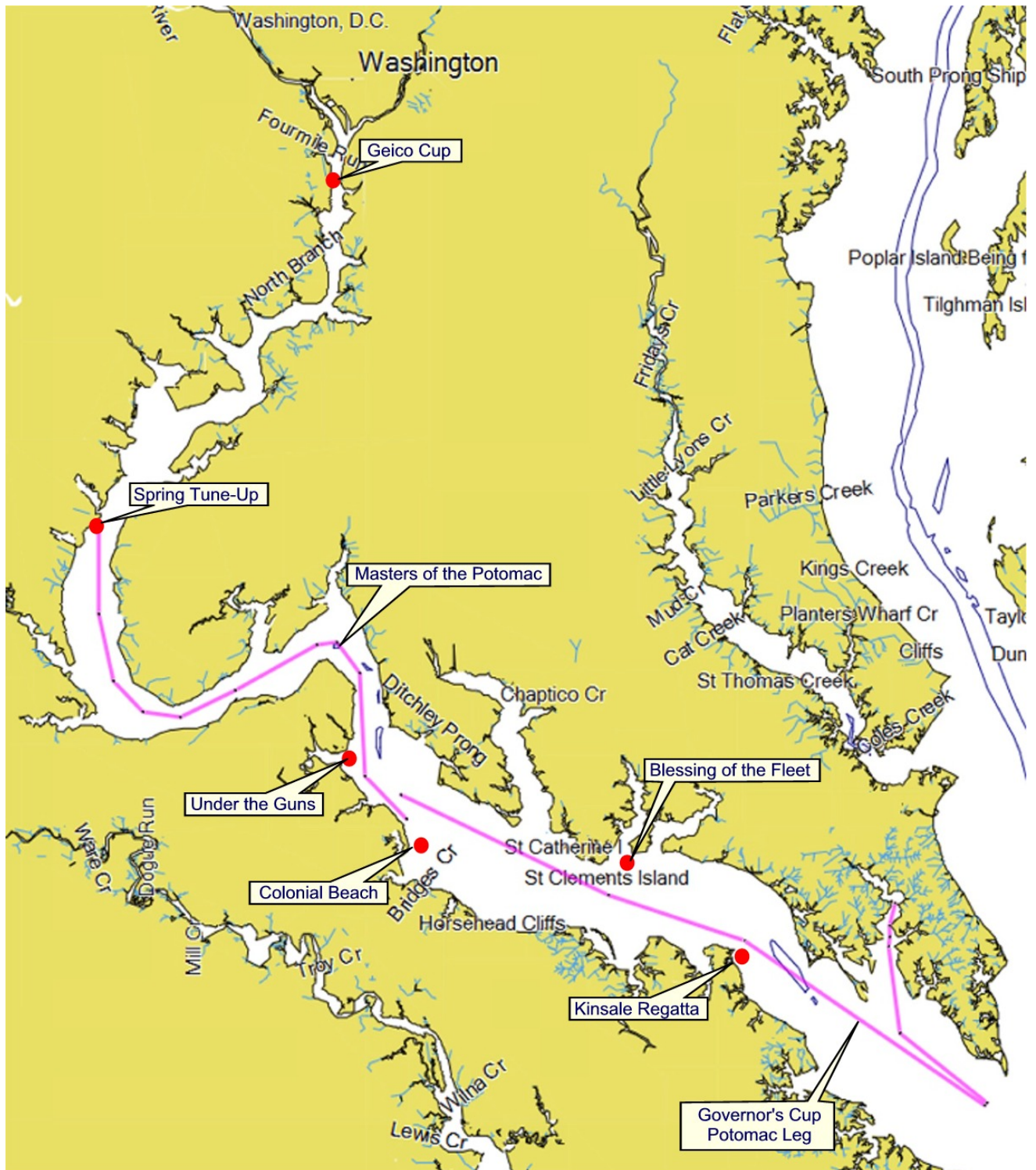


Figure 1 Potomac Yacht Racing Council Racing Sites