

CHARLOTTE HARBOR BOAT OF THE YEAR

2026-2027

NOTICE OF SERIES

The organizing authority for each regatta is the Host Club. The series is governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing and the Class Rules of WFPHRF.

ELIGIBILITY

This series is open to all boats with valid WFPHRF certificates. Registration with WFPHRF for the BOTY series is not required. Each event must be entered separately according to the host club's rules of entry.

SCHEDULE

4 regattas, 12 races as follows:

Summerset Regatta CMCS	October 2 - 4 2026
Golden Conch PPYC	January 16 - 17 2027
Charlotte Harbor Regatta	February 13 - 14 2027
Conquistador Cup PGSC	March 12 - 14 2027

DIVISIONS

Spinnaker
Non-Spinnaker
Cruising
Multihull

Fleet splits for individual regattas will be combined for BOTY scoring

QUALIFICATION

6 starts are required to qualify. In the event that any races are canceled, the number of starts to qualify may be reduced.

SCORING

This is a High Point Series with each boat receiving **5** points for participating in each Race and **1** point for each boat beaten. Points will be scored on a per race basis.

The Summerset Coastal Race will earn **10** points for starting and **1.25** points per. Boats beaten. Boats scored **DNC**, **DNS** and **TLE** receive no points.

The best **10** finishes will be scored. If races are canceled, the number of finishes scored may be reduced.

TROPHIES

Trophies will be awarded based on the number of boats qualifying in each division.

1st for up to 2 boats. 1st, 2nd for 3-4 boats. 1st, 2nd, 3rd for 5 or more.

BOTY trophies are presented at the WFPHRF meeting annual.