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## **AWARDS and PRIZES - 2022**

Awards available to competitors in 2022 total more than 100. Despite the number, all prizes are designed to be well-earned and signify outstanding performance by accomplished bluewater sailors. There are no "easy" prizes in "The Bermuda Race."

<u>Special Entry</u> - There are now 5 Special Entry prizes. Each year some skippers fail to register for these Special Trophies before the race and subsequently miss out on terrific prizes they could have won! **Don't let this be you.** An indication of intention on Race Entry is not sufficient. To qualify, a Special Entry form (website) must be completed for each Special Entry prize competition you are qualifying for: 1) Regional Competition 2) Pratt 3-boat Team 3) William L. Glenn Family Participation 4) City of Newport Best "Foreign" Entry and 5) Stevens Brothers Youth Division (50+% of crew ages 14 thru 23) These Entries are accepted up until 0900, June 17 – Race Day.

<u>Participant Plaque</u> – Each entrant finishing the Race receives a bronze plaque for display aboard their vessel reading "For Successfully Completing the 2022 Newport Bermuda Race." These are included with the packet you will receive on check-in at the RBYC.

Stephens Brothers Society Pin for NBR Youth Sailors, 14-23 All 'youth' sailors completing the Race are eligible for membership & receive a Society pin. Skippers should complete form they receive, also available at RBYC. Pin P/U at RBYC Duty Desk with completed form.

<u>Awards Ceremony</u> – The Prizegiving Ceremony will be held at Government House Saturday, June 25, 1800 hrs. and is by INVITATION ONLY, *Invitations and ID must be presented at the gate to Government House and we request all guests* to *be respectful of Her Excellency, the Governor's dress code as stated on the invitation.* 

All invitations will be available for collection from the Duty Desk once the results are finalized after 1200 Noon on Thursday, June 23rd. Each boat will receive 4 Invitations i.e. for the Skipper, Navigator and one guest each. Additional invitations for remaining crew ONLY, will be allocated to Prize Winners.

Please do not seek advance information or 'extra' invitations from the staff and volunteers – this simply delays the process. The information and invitations will be available at the earliest possible time.

If any changes to the Award Ceremony arrangements are necessary as a result of changing Covid Regulations in Bermuda, we will alert skippers via email. We do suggest that your crew carry their masks 'just in case'.

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Notice to Skippers – The CCA has no paid staff. The RBYC has neither the staff nor finances to go into the global export business. The 2022 Bermuda Race Organizing Committee disbands June 25 after Prizegiving, its work done. It is your responsibility to arrange to collect, while you are in Bermuda, your plaque, any qualifying Stephens Society youth pin and any prizes you may have won. You may designate a representative to pick up your prize at Government House if you cannot do it personally.

There is no facility for shipping unclaimed awards.