



MDRVMF Tuesday Night Trials
Marina del Rey Venture MacGregor Fleet
March 11 – Oct 21, 2025
Marina del Rey, CA



Notice of Race

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Organizing Authority (OA) is Marina Del Rey Venture Macgregor Fleet (MDRVMF) | Web: www.mdrvmf.com
Commodore: John Schallert | See NoR 15 for contact information

1. RULES

1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in [The Racing Rules of Sailing](#) (RRS).

2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 The respective series Sailing Instructions (SIs) will be posted by 2000 on the Sunday prior to the respective series start on the official notice board.

3. COMMUNICATION

3.1 The Official Notice Board is the series page on Regatta Network, a link to which can also be found on the [Marina del Rey Venture MacGregor Fleet](#) website (www.mdrvmf.com).

3.2 [DP] All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on normal domestic channels.

3.3 On the water, the RC may make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on VHF radio, including starting penalties. The channel will be stated in the SIs.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

4.1 Event is open to boats possessing a current PHRF SoCal certificate.

4.2 Entry for the free warm up races are to be made at the time of check in on the water on March 11, 18 and 25 or in advance by emailing skipper's name, boat name, sail number, non-spin rating to lisa@lisabronitt.com and mdrvmf@gmail.com.

4.3 To be considered an entry for the series, a skipper shall complete the membership fee, registration and series payment requirements by the entry deadline of 1700 on Tuesday, April 1, 2025.

4.4 Competitors who participate prior to payment will not be scored until rectified.

5. CLASSES

5.1 Classes will be divided based on PHRF rating.

5.2 Class breakdown, relevant for all series, will be posted in each series SI no later than Sunday prior to the series start on the official notice board.

6. FEES

- 6.1 All skippers must be a member of the MDRV MF club to participate in the regatta.
- 6.2 \$30 MDRV MF club membership fee is payable via cash, check or Venmo (@Venture-Macgregor) prior to registering for the series. A fee of \$1 will be added to all Venmo transactions.
- 6.3 Series fee is \$50 payable upon registration on Regatta Network via credit card.
- 6.4 Skippers can join the season at any time by paying the membership fee and registering on Regatta Network. Skippers that join after July 13th will pay a discounted series fee of \$25.

7. SCHEDULE

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| Sunday, March 9 | 2000 | Warm Up Race SI Posted |
| Tuesday, March 11, 18, 25 | 1755 | First warning signal for warm up races |
| Sunday, March 30 | 2000 | Series 1 SI Posted |
| Tuesday, April 1, 8, 12, 22, 29 | 1755 | First warning signal for Series 1 |
| Sunday, May 4 | 2000 | Series 2 SI Posted |
| Tuesday, May 6, 13, 20, 27, June 3 | 1755 | First warning signal for Series 2 |
| Sunday, June 8 | 2000 | Series 3 SI Posted |
| Tuesday, June 10, 17, 24, July 1, 8 | 1755 | First warning signal for Series 3 |
| Sunday, July 13 | 2000 | Series 4 SI Posted |
| Tuesday, July 15, 22, 29, Aug 5, 12 | 1755 | First warning signal for Series 4 |
| Sunday, Aug 17 | 2000 | Series 5 SI Posted |
| Tuesday, Aug 19, 25, Sept 2, 9, 16 | 1755 | First warning signal for Series 5 |
| Sunday, Sept 21 | 2000 | Series 6 SI Posted |
| Tuesday, Sept 23, 30, Oct 7, 14, 21 | 1755 | First warning signal for Series 6 |

8. VENUE

The racing area will be inside Marina del Rey marina and in Santa Monica Bay.

9. COURSES

The course descriptions will be posted in the SI for each series on the [Official Notice Board](#) no later than the Sunday prior to the start of each series.

10. PENALTY SYSTEM

- 10.1 US Sailing Prescription Appendix V, Section V1 (Penalty at the Time of an Incident) applies.
- 10.2 For all classes, RRS44.1 is changed so that the two-turn penalty is replaced by the one-turn penalty.

11. SCORING

- 11.1 Races will be scored using PHRF SoCal Area B ratings using Time on Time scoring method.
- 11.2 Only one rating will be used in each category for the entire series. Boats with multiple ratings in a category must choose a single rating to use for entire series.
- 11.3 Warm up races and series races 1 and 6 will be automatically scored with a non-spinnaker (W/L) rating. Non-spinnaker offset is required at registration.
- 11.4 Series races 2 – 6 will be automatically scored with spinnaker ratings based on the race type (W/L or R/L). A boat that does not have a spinnaker will use their non-spinnaker rating for all races.

12. PRIZES

- 12.1 Awards will not be presented for warm up races.
- 12.2 Awards will be presented to the 1st and 2nd place winners in each class per race series as well as overall.
- 12.3 A perpetual trophy will also be presented.
- 12.4 Awards will be presented at the end of season party.

13. HOSPITALITY

- 13.1 Post-race hospitality will be hosted by Santa Monica Windjammers Yacht Club (SMWYC) located at 13589 Mindanao Way, Marina del Rey, CA 90292
- 13.2 Non-hosted food and refreshments will be available following the race.
- 13.3 End of season party date and location to be announced on/about October 21, 2025.

14. RISK STATEMENT

Competitors in the event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. By participating in the event, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, sponsors, and any others acting in an official capacity for the event) from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in the event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

15. FURTHER INFORMATION

Commodore: John Schallert at 310-936-8817 or mdrvmf@gmail.com

PHRF: Information about joining PHRF SoCal is available at www.phrfsocal.org or 562.438.6712.

US Sailing: Information about joining US Sailing is available at www.ussailing.org or 800.877.2451.