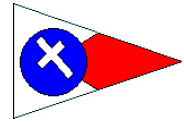


SANTA CRUZ YACHT CLUB



NOTICE OF RACE

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2011 SPRING BIG BOAT REGATTA

MAY 21 AND MAY 22, 2011

1 Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and the 2010-2011 SCYC Minimum Equipment Requirements (MER) as they apply to category 4 races. The SCYC MER document may be found at <http://www.scyc.org> under "Racing".
- 1.2 RRS 40 will be changed to require competitors wear a personal flotation device while racing.
- 1.3 Changes to RRS will appear in full in the Sailing Instructions.

2 Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1 This regatta is open to any boat holding a valid 2011 Monterey Bay PHRF with a rating of 88 or less.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may register by completing the online entry form at Regatta Network or at www.scyc.org.

3 Fees

- 3.1 Regular entry fee is \$115 if received by 2000 hours May 20, 2011.
- 3.2 Late entry fee is \$150.00 if received after 2000 hours May 20, 2011.
- 3.3 Registration closes at 1025 hours May 21, 2011.

4 Schedule

- 4.1 Late registration: 1000 hours to 1025 hours on May 21, 2011 at the SCYC club house.
- 4.2 A competitors briefing will be at 1030 hours on May 21, 2011 at the SCYC club house.
- 4.3 The scheduled time of the first warning signal is 1225 hours each race day.
- 4.4 Four races are scheduled. There will be two races each day. The two races on Sunday will count as the A Fleet SCORE races for boats entered in the Spring SCORE series.
- 4.5 There will be an awards ceremony at the SCYC clubhouse following the regatta.

5 Sailing Instructions

- 5.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available at the competitors meeting. Courses will be distributed with the sailing instructions.

6 Venue

- 6.1 Racing will be around temporary inflatable buoys or fixed buoys in Monterey Bay. The racing area will be within a five mile radius from the Santa Cruz Small Craft Harbor west jetty.

7 Scoring

- 7.1 Two races are required to be completed to constitute a regatta.
- 7.2 No scores will be excluded. This changes RRS A2.

8 Prizes

- 8.1 Prizes will be given at the discretion of the organizing authority. The winner of the Spring Big Boat Regatta is eligible for Champion of Champions Regatta.

9 Further Information

- 9.1 For Further information please contact SCYC at (831) 425-0690