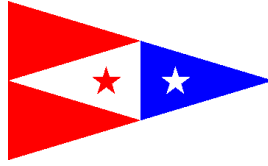


THE SAN FRANCISCO YACHT CLUB



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JUNE INVITATIONAL REGATTA

June 18 - 19, 2016

NOTICE OF RACE

Organizing Authority: The San Francisco Yacht Club, Belvedere, California

1 RULES

- 1.1 This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 Rule 40 is changed as follows: All competitors shall wear personal flotation devices while racing, except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. Flag Y will not be displayed.
- 1.3 Appendix T Section A (PENALTIES WHILE RACING) shall apply for all classes except the Melges 24 class.
- 1.4 The sailing instructions may change additional racing rules.

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to the following classes:
J105, J/111 and J/120, Express 27, and Melges 24.
- 2.2 Eligible boats shall enter by completing the online registration found at www.sfyc.org > On the Water > Racing > Schedule.
- 2.3 The entry fee is \$120, if received by 1700 hours on June 15. The entry is \$170 after 1700 hours on June 15.
- 2.4 No entries will be accepted after 1600 hours on June 17.
- 2.5 If fewer than 5 boats in a class are entered by 1600 hours on June 17, SFYC may refund the entry fee and not provide a start for that class.

3 SCHEDULE OF RACES

- 3.1 Saturday, June 18 – Three (3) races are scheduled with the first warning signal at 1200 hours.
- 3.2 Sunday, June 19 – Two (2) races are scheduled with the first warning signal at 1200 hours.

4 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available on June 15, at The San Francisco Yacht Club and on the website, www.sfyc.org.

5 VENUE

The racing area will be in the vicinity of the Berkeley Olympic Circle.

6 COURSES AND MARKS

The courses and marks will be described in the sailing instructions. All marks will be inflatable buoys.

7 PENALTY SYSTEM

For the Melges 24 class, rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turn Penalty is replaced by a One-Turn Penalty.

8 SCORING

8.1 Two races must be completed to constitute a series.

8.2 A boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. No scores will be excluded

9 BERTHING

The SFYC guest dock will be available from June 17 through June 19.

10 RADIO COMMUNICATION

10.1 Competitors should monitor VHF USA channel 65A for on the water communication with the race committee.

10.2 Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

11 PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded based on the number of boats entered in each class.

12 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

PRO – Anne Scully

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SOCIAL EVENTS

Saturday, June 18

After Racing, Complimentary beer and snacks

Sunday, June 19

After Racing, Trophy Presentation on SFYC Deck

PARKING

Parking in the SFYC lot will be restricted during the regatta. Two parking passes will be issued per boat. Passes may be picked up at the Race Office on Friday or at the entrance to the SFYC parking lot on Saturday morning. We would appreciate all efforts to carpool or park off-site whenever possible.