



## **SPINNAKER CUP 2009**

**San Francisco To Monterey**

**Friday, May 22, 2009**

### **NOTICE OF RACE**

#### **Organizing Authorities:**

**The San Francisco Yacht Club (SFYC), Belvedere, CA  
Monterey Peninsula Yacht Club (MPYC), Monterey, CA**

#### **1. RULES:**

- 1.1 This race will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS). From the hours of Sunset to Sunrise, the *International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea* (COLREGS) shall replace Part 2 of the RRS. Use 2019 hours for Sunset on 5/22/09 and 0555 for Sunrise on 5/23/09.
- 1.2 The minimum equipment requirements for this race are as specified by the Ocean Yacht Racing Association of San Francisco Bay (OYRA). These equipment requirements can be found on the web at [www.yra.org/OYRA](http://www.yra.org/OYRA). Minimum Requirement 5.01 is amended to exclude the requirement of crotch or thigh straps.
- 1.3 RRS 40.1 is deleted and replaced with: "All competitors shall wear life jackets or adequate personal buoyancy while on deck." Note that Flag Y will not be displayed.
- 1.4 RRS 52 will be changed for the Short Handed Sailing (SHS) class only, to allow the use of autopilots during the race.

#### **2. ELIGIBILITY**

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats with valid Northern California PHRF certificates. In the event that a boat enters with a certificate from another area (e.g. Monterey Bay or So. Cal. PHRF), its rating may be adjusted. For a rating, contact YRA of San Francisco Bay at 415-771-9500 or The San Francisco Yacht Club Race Office at 415-789-5647. If a rating is assigned, it is not subject to redress. This changes RRS 62.1.
- 2.2 OYRA members are eligible to race in their OYRA classes.

2.3 Non-OYRA members can determine what class to enter using the following formula, as applicable:

For Displacement (Total) in pounds and for LWL (waterline) in feet,

Ratio =  $446.43 \times [\text{DISP divided by (LWL cubed)}]$

**Spinnaker Cup Classes:**

PHRO1A = Northern California PHRF  $\leq 0$

PHRO1 = Ratio  $< 200$

PHRO2A = Ratio  $\geq 200$ , and PHRF of 105 or less

PHRO2B = Ratio  $\geq 200$ , and PHRF of 108 or greater

SHS = Short Handed Sailing (Any boat sailed Single-handed or Double-handed)

2.4 If any class is divided, an amendment will be provided by 2100 hours on May 21 that describes the class divisions and which boats are racing in each division. The amendment will be posted on [www.compete-at.com](http://www.compete-at.com), [www.sfyc.org](http://www.sfyc.org), [www.mpyc.org](http://www.mpyc.org), and on the notice board at SFYC.

### **3. ENTRY**

3.1 The entry fee will be \$90.00. Entries will not be accepted after 1800 hours on Wednesday, May 20.

3.2 Eligible boats may be entered by completing online registration found at [www.sfyc.org](http://www.sfyc.org) or [www.mpyc.org](http://www.mpyc.org). Credit cards will be accepted using the secure site that has been set up for this race. Note that the option to charge Club accounts is available to San Francisco Yacht Club members only.

3.3 In order to be allowed to race, you must complete the following:

- a. Register online with [Compete-At.com](http://Compete-At.com)
- b. Complete Float Plan (attached to this NOR)
- c. If you plan to enter Monterey Municipal Harbor, or desire a berth, complete a City of Monterey Harbor Plan, attached to this NOR.

### **4. SAFETY**

4.1 Due to the requirements of the U.S. Coast Guard, you will be required to provide a Float Plan. The form is attached to this Notice. The Float Plan must be returned to the SFYC Race Office by email or fax. No US postal mail will be accepted.

4.2 Random inspections will be made after the finish for minimum equipment compliance. The penalty for non-compliance will be 60% of the number of starters in your class added to your finish position. If selected, you will be contacted at the finish line and arrangements will be made for the inspection.

## **5. SCHEDULE**

5.1 Entries will be accepted until 1800 hours on Wednesday, May 20.

5.2 Amendments posted no later than Thursday, May 21, at 2100 hours.

5.3 Friday, May 22:

1000–1055 VHF 65 Check-In

1100 First Warning Signal

## **6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The sailing instructions will be available on [www.sfyc.org](http://www.sfyc.org), [www.mpyc.org](http://www.mpyc.org), and at both the SFYC and MPYC clubhouses no later than Monday, May 18, 2009.

## **7. RACING AREA AND COURSE**

The start will be located in the San Francisco Bay Knox Race Area, in the vicinity of the buoy R “2” Fl R 4s. One of two courses will be selected for the race, which will be from the start to the finish line off Municipal Wharf 2 in Monterey. The courses will be described in the sailing instructions.

## **8. PENALTY SYSTEM**

The Scoring Penalty, RRS 44.3, will apply. The penalty shall be 10 minutes added to the finish time. A yellow flag will not be required, but a boat taking a penalty must notify the Race Committee at the finish line. This changes RRS 44.3.

## **9. SCORING**

Northern California PHRF ratings will be used to calculate the corrected times using time-on-time.

## **10. BERTHING**

10.1 The SFYC guest docks will be available before the race to participants, starting on Wednesday, May 20.

10.2 In Monterey, the City of Monterey Harbormaster will allocate slips in the Municipal Marina to participants, based on the information provided on the Harbor Plan. Individual slip assignments will be given to each boat after finishing. Note that slip fees are not included with the entry fee. After your finish and before entering the harbor you must check-in with the Harbormaster.

10.3 For haul-outs, boats using the hoist will be temporarily docked after finishing at the MPYC guest docks.

## **11. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS**

The Race Committee may broadcast information about the day's racing on VHF 65. All boats will be required to check in before the start and before finishing. **Please note that at check-in we will be asking for the total number of people on board.**

## **12. PRIZES**

Trophies will be awarded to the top finishers in each class, with the number of trophies depending on the number of entries per class. The Trophy Presentation will be held at MPYC as soon as practicable on Saturday, May 23. The time will be posted on the MPYC Notice Board.

## **13. SOCIAL**

13.1 A buffet-style brunch will be available in Monterey early on Saturday morning, May 23, at MPYC. This is a benefit for the MPYC Junior Sailing Program.

13.2 Spinnaker Cup clothing items may be ordered in advance. The link to the order form is available on the regatta websites. Tee shirts may be purchased after the race at MPYC.

## **14. FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information, please contact:

SFYC Race Office (415) 789-5647 [race@sfyc.org](mailto:race@sfyc.org) (Anne McCormack)

SFYC PRO, Hal McCormack (415) 309-9289, [Norcal.compass@verizon.net](mailto:Norcal.compass@verizon.net)

MPYC PRO, Joe Headley (831) 869-9123 [headley@ci.Monterey.ca.us](mailto:headley@ci.Monterey.ca.us)



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**FLOAT PLAN**

**Required by the US Coast Guard as a Condition of Entering this Race**

**Time and Date of Departure: 5/22/09, 1100 hrs.      Expected Arrival: 5/24/09, 1200 hrs.**

**Departure from SF Bay Knox Race Area      Arrival at Monterey Municipal Wharf 2**

**VESSEL NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

Length: \_\_\_\_\_ Beam: \_\_\_\_\_ Draft: \_\_\_\_\_

Boat Type: (sloop, ketch, yawl, cat) \_\_\_\_\_ Sail Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Mast Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Deck Color: (e.g. teak/white) \_\_\_\_\_

Hull Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Bottom Color \_\_\_\_\_

MARINA where vessel will return after race (Home): \_\_\_\_\_ Berth Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**OWNER/SKIPPER NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Yrs of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone On Board: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**CREW #1 NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone On Board: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**CREW #2 NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Yrs of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone On Board: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Years of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_

**CREW #3 NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Yrs of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone On Board: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

For any additional crew members, use a separate page.

**COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT ON BOARD:**

Check as applicable

\_\_\_ VHF Call Sign \_\_\_\_\_ SSB Call Sign: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ HAM Call Sign \_\_\_\_\_ SAT Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

**EPIRB CERTIFICATE:**

Check as applicable

\_\_\_ No EPIRBs

\_\_\_ EPIRB 1: Beacon ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_  
Registering Authority \_\_\_\_\_ Category (1 or 2) \_\_\_\_\_  
Model Number \_\_\_\_\_ Decal Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ EPIRB 2: Beacon ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_  
Registering Authority \_\_\_\_\_ Category (1 or 2) \_\_\_\_\_  
Model Number \_\_\_\_\_ Decal Date \_\_\_\_\_

**ON BOARD TRAINING**

	<u>Not Discussed/Practiced</u>	<u>Discussed</u>	<u>Practiced</u>
Man Overboard	_____	_____	_____
Quick Stop	_____	_____	_____
Abandoning Ship	_____	_____	_____
Life Raft/ Life Jacket	_____	_____	_____
Pyrotechnics	_____	_____	_____
EPIRB	_____	_____	_____
Contact Outside Help	_____	_____	_____
Fire Prevention/Fighting	_____	_____	_____
Rudder/Steering Loss	_____	_____	_____
Dismasting	_____	_____	_____
Storm Sails	_____	_____	_____

**ALONG WITH THIS FORM, AN ACCOMPANYING PICTURE OF THE VESSEL MUST BE SENT VIA EMAIL TO RACE@SFYC.ORG.**

**PLEASE RETURN THIS COMPLETED FLOAT PLAN TO THE SFYC RACE OFFICE**

**RACE@SFYC.ORG, OR 415-789-5648 (FAX)  
Additional Crew Names (Include More Pages If Necessary)**

**CREW #4 NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone On Board: \_\_\_\_\_  
Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**CREW #5 NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone On Board: \_\_\_\_\_  
Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**CREW #6 NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone On Board: \_\_\_\_\_  
Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**CREW #7 NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone On Board: \_\_\_\_\_  
Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**CREW #8 NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone On Board: \_\_\_\_\_  
Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**CREW #9 NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone On Board: \_\_\_\_\_  
Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**CREW # 10 NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone On Board: \_\_\_\_\_

**CREW # 11 NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone On Board: \_\_\_\_\_

**CREW # 12 NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs of Ocean Racing Experience \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone On Board: \_\_\_\_\_



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**IF YOU NEED OVERNIGHT BERTHING YOU  
MUST COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM**

**Owner/Skipper:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Vessel Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Vessel - Total Length:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Beam:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Draft:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHRF Rating:** \_\_\_\_\_

**We plan to depart Monterey Marina on:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Credit Card number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Credit Card expiration date:** \_\_\_\_\_

If you require berthing in Monterey Marina please fax or email this form to to the fax number or email address above, or you can phone in your information.

When your information is received space will be allocated for you in the marina.

You will received confirmation that space will be available for you, or notification that you are on our stand-by list for berthing.