

# THE SAN FRANCISCO YACHT CLUB



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## 2019 FALL CLASSIC REGATTA and EASOM FOUNDERS TROPHY October 5 – 6, 2019

### 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* (RRS).
- 1.2 Rule 40 is changed to: All competitors shall wear personal flotation devices while racing, except for brief periods while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. Flag Y will not be displayed.
- 1.3 For the SFBIOD fleet, the San Francisco Bay IOD Class Rules shall apply.

#### **2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 2.1 The regatta is open to the following classes: SFBIOD, Knarr, Folkboat, Bear, Bird, Alerion Express 28, Etchells.
- 2.2 Eligible boats shall enter by completing the online registration found at [www.sfyc.org](http://www.sfyc.org) > On the Water > Regattas.
- 2.3 The entry fee is \$135, if received by 1700 hours on October 2. The entry is \$185 after 1700 hours on October 2.
- 2.4 No entries will be accepted after 1600 hours on October 4.
- 2.5 If fewer than five (5) boats in a class are entered by 1700 on October 2, SFYC may return the entry fees and not provide a start for that class. This does not apply to the Etchells or SFBIOD classes.

#### **3 SCHEDULE OF RACES**

Date	# of Races Scheduled	First Warning Signal
Saturday, October 5	2	1200 hours
Sunday, October 6	2	1200 hours

#### **4 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The sailing instructions will be available after 1700 hours on October 2 at The San Francisco Yacht Club and on our website, [www.sfyc.org](http://www.sfyc.org).

**5 RACING AREA AND COURSES**

The racing area will be in the vicinity of Point Knox. The courses will be described in the sailing instructions.

**PENALTY SYSTEM**

6 Appendix VI (Penalty at the Time of an Incident) shall apply.

**7 RADIO COMMUNICATIONS**

7.1 The race committee may use VHF USA channel 65A to communicate information about the races.

7.2 Except in an emergency, or when retiring from a race, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communications that is not available to all boats.

**8 SCORING**

8.1 Four (4) races are scheduled. Two (2) races must be completed to constitute a series, except for the Etchells class which requires three (3) races to 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 DOCKAGE**

SFYC guest docks will be available from October 4 - 6.

**10 PRIZES**

10.1 Keeper trophies for all fleets will be awarded based on the number of boats entered. The trophy presentation will be held on the SFYC deck after racing on Sunday October 6.

10.2 The Delmas and Delmas Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the winner of the SFBIOD class.

10.3 The Easom Founders Trophy will be awarded to the winner of the Etchells class. The winner must be a valid active member of the International Etchells Class.

**11 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.

**12 FURTHER INFORMATION**

PRO – Don Wieneke

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**SOCIAL EVENTS**

Saturday, October 5 After Racing, complimentary beer and snacks.

Sunday, October 6 After Racing, trophy presentation with complimentary beer.

**PARKING**

Parking in the SFYC lot will be restricted during the regatta. One parking pass will be issued per boat. Passes may be picked up at the SFYC Race Office on Friday or at the entrance to the parking lot on Saturday.