

THE SAN FRANCISCO YACHT CLUB



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2007 CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

NOTICE OF RACE

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

1. RULES:

- 1.1 This series will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), and by The San Francisco Yacht Club Championship Series Rules.
- 1.2 The SFYC Club Championship Series Rules can be found in the main Clubhouse, in the Race Office, and on www.sfyf.org.
- 1.3 RRS 40.1 is deleted and replaced with: "All competitors shall wear life jackets or adequate personal buoyancy while racing. Note that Flag Y will not be displayed."

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The series is open to members of The San Francisco Yacht Club. Boats must be SFYC keelboats at least 18 feet in length, with a San Francisco Bay PHRF rating, in either Spinnaker or Non-Spinnaker division.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may be entered by completing the attached Entry Form and returning it to The San Francisco Yacht Club Race Office.

3. SCHEDULE OF RACES:

<u>RACE</u>	<u>DAY AND TIME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>WARNING</u>
1 Rosenblum	Saturday, March 10	Knox	1200 Hrs
2 Anniversary Cup	Saturday, April 28	Knox	1200 Hrs
3&4 Mitchell & Ross	Saturday, July 21	Knox	1100 Hrs
5 New Wave Regatta	Saturday, Aug 25	Knox	1200 Hrs
6&7 Wosser Cup Series	Sunday, September 23	Knox	1100 Hrs

4. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:

Sailing instructions will be available at The San Francisco Yacht Club, and on our web page, www.sfyc.org, on the Tuesday prior to each race. Copies may also be obtained from the stern of the committee boat after it is anchored and on station until 15 minutes before the warning signal.

5. COURSES:

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

6. COMMUNICATIONS

The Race Committee may use VHF 65 to communicate information about time to start and OCS. Neither failure of the Race Committee to communicate the sail numbers of recalled boats in a timely manner, nor failure of a recalled boat to receive or hear transmitted information, will be grounds for redress. This changes RRS 62.

7. SCORING:

7.1 Finish positions for each race will be determined by corrected time, based on PHRF time-on-distance. Individual boat ratings will be adjusted in accordance with the SFYC Club Championship Series Rules.

7.2 The Low Point Scoring System, RRS A4, will apply for the Club Series, with the following exceptions: boats that did not compete (DNC) will be awarded three points more than the number of starters in that race, boats disqualified (DSQ) will be awarded two points more than the number of starters in that race, and all other boats not awarded a finish position, will receive one more point than the number of boats starting in that race.

7.3 The final scores will be based on each boat's best five races in the Series.

8. PRIZES:

8.1 Each individual regatta's perpetual trophy will be awarded to the boat with the best corrected time, regardless of division, after each race day. Keeper trophies will be presented to first through third place finishers in both divisions. The trophy presentation will be held on the SFYC deck after the racing, with complimentary beverages and hors d'oeuvres provided.

8.2 A Family Challenge award will be presented at each trophy presentation except for the Wosser Cup.

8.3 The overall winner of the Club Championship Series will be awarded the King George V Perpetual Trophy, regardless of division. The winner of the Non-Spinnaker Division will be awarded the Non-Spinnaker Club Series Perpetual Trophy. First through third places in both divisions will be presented with awards at Recognition Night, November 9, 2007.

9. SOCIAL:

Please join your crew for breakfast at the Club prior to each race.

ENTRY FORM

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Check for: SPINNAKER DIVISION _____ or NON-SPINNAKER DIVISION _____

Skipper's Name

Boat Type

Sail Number

Address

Boat Name

City / State / Zip

PHRF Rating (Please include a copy of current certificate.)

Home Phone

Work Phone

Email

PLAN TO ENTER THE FAMILY CHALLENGE !

(See Sailing Instructions To Sign Up)

RELEASE: For and in consideration of the acceptance by The San Francisco Yacht Club of my entry in this regatta, I hereby accept all the risks and responsibilities of my boat's participation in said regatta and waive to the fullest extent permitted by law any and all claims I may have against The San Francisco Yacht Club, its members, officers, committees, agents and/or employees arising out of or in any way connected to such participation. I agree to abide by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and by all other rules that govern this event.

I further expressly agree that the foregoing release and waiver is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by law and that if any portion, clause or sub clause hereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full force and effect.

I have carefully read this agreement and fully understand its contents. I am aware that this is a release of liability and waiver of claims and sign it of my free will.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

MAIL, FAX, OR DROP OFF AT THE CLUB

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