



## 2009 San Francisco Bay Area Leukemia Cup Saturday and Sunday, September 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup>, 2009

### NOTICE OF RACE

#### Organizing Authorities:

The San Francisco Yacht Club, Belvedere, California  
St. Francis Yacht Club, San Francisco, California

#### 1. RULES:

- 1.1 This regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS.)
- 1.2 Attention is directed to the fact that the racing rules do not govern the navigation of non-participating vessels, which may be met during the course of the race. Contestants should exercise due caution that there be no violation of the applicable international or inland rules of the road.
- 1.3 RRS 40 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 regatta is open to all boats. Racing on Saturday the 19<sup>th</sup> will be in the vicinity of the Olympic Circle for one design classes only. Racing on Sunday the 20<sup>th</sup> will be in the vicinity of Knox for combined one design and PHRF divisions.
- 2.2 One design classes must have six boats registered by 1700 hours on Thursday, September 17<sup>th</sup> to qualify for one design class starts.
- 2.3 PHRF divisions, both spinnaker and non-spinnaker, will be assigned based on entries received by 1700 hours on Thursday, September 17<sup>th</sup>. Final division assignments for racing on Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup>, will be posted on the SFYC Official Notice Board and the SFYC website by 1700 hours on Friday, September 18<sup>th</sup>.
- 2.4 To enter, you may go to [www.leukemicup.org/sf](http://www.leukemicup.org/sf). If you are interested in fund raising suggestions for this event, you may contact Robin Reynolds with The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society at [robin.r.reynolds@gmail.com](mailto:robin.r.reynolds@gmail.com) or (415) 407-2394.
- 2.5 Any skipper that does not enter through [www.leukemicup.org/sf](http://www.leukemicup.org/sf) must complete the attached entry form and deliver it to the SFYC Race Office by mail, fax, or in person. Entries will be accepted until 1700 hours on Thursday, September 17<sup>th</sup>.

3. **FEES:** The entry fee of \$100 will be donated to the Greater San Francisco Bay Area Chapter of The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

#### 4. RACE SCHEDULE:

- 4.1 The StFYC will run two races on Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup> for one design classes that have six or more boats registered by 1700 hours on Thursday, September 17<sup>th</sup>. The first warning signal will be 1100 hours.
- 4.2 The SFYC will run one race on Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup> for all one design classes and PHRF divisions. The first warning signal will be 1200 noon.

**5. RACING AREA AND COURSES:**

- 5.1 **September 19<sup>th</sup>:** The intended race area is in the vicinity of the Olympic Circle.
- 5.2 **September 20<sup>th</sup>:** Racing will start and finish in the vicinity of Knox Buoy (R”2” Fl 4s).
- 5.3 All courses for both days will be described in the Sailing Instructions.

**6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 6.1 Sailing Instructions will be available at 1700 hours on Friday September 18<sup>th</sup> at the SFYC and at [www.sfyc.org](http://www.sfyc.org) and at the StFYC and at [www.stfyc.com](http://www.stfyc.com).
- 6.2 On Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup>; copies of the Sailing Instructions may also be obtained from the stern of the SFYC Committee Boat after it has anchored until 1145 hours that day.

**7. COMMUNICATIONS:** The Race Committee may use VHF channel 65 to communicate information about the racing including boats that are OCS.

**8. SCORING:**

- 8.1 One design classes: Each boat’s score will be the sum of her scores for all races. One race constitutes a series.
- 8.2 PHRF divisions: Each boat’s score will be her score for one race.

**9. GUEST BERTHS:** For information regarding guest berthing:

- 9.1 SFYC: Contact the SFYC Front Office at [office@sfyc.org](mailto:office@sfyc.org) or (415) 435-9133, extension 10.
- 9.2 StFYC: Contact the StFYC Race Office at [raceoffice@stfyc.com](mailto:raceoffice@stfyc.com) or (415) 563-6363.

**10. AWARDS:**

- 10.1 Prizes will be awarded to the top boats in each division and in each class based on participation. The trophy presentation will be held in the tent adjacent to the SFYC clubhouse after racing on Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup>.
- 10.2 Complimentary skippers’ bags will be distributed at the following times and locations:

StFYC - Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup> at 0800 to 1000 hours in the Regatta Entrance.

SFYC - Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup> at 0800 to 1000 hours at the entrance of the SFYC clubhouse on Beach Road.

**11. AWARDS CEREMONY SOCIAL EVENTS:**

<b>Day &amp; Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>
Sunday, September 20 <sup>th</sup>	1600 hours	Sailors’ Caribbean Barbecue on the SFYC lawn
Sunday, September 20 <sup>th</sup>	After Racing	Awards Presentation will begin approximately 30 minutes after the Race Committee Signal Boat returns to the SFYC dock.

The cost of the Sailors’ Caribbean Barbecue will be \$20 for adults and \$10 for children under 12. Tickets may be purchased at the event. Please provide an estimate of the number of people on your crew and any of their guests that will attend the barbecue to Robin Reynolds with The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society at [robin.r.reynolds@gmail.com](mailto:robin.r.reynolds@gmail.com) or (415) 407-2394.

**12. PARKING:** Parking in the SFYC lot will be restricted on September 20th. One parking pass will be issued to each registered boat which can be used for personal vehicles. Passes may be picked up at the Leukemia Cup Desk. The Desk will be at the entrance of the SFYC clubhouse on Beach Road between 0800 and 1000 hours on September 20<sup>th</sup>.

Suzie Moore, Regatta Chair, San Francisco Yacht Club

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