

THE SAN FRANCISCO YACHT CLUB



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BELVEDERE CUP **J/105 Match Race Invitational** October 9 - 10, 2010

NOTICE OF RACE

1. **Organizing Authority** - The San Francisco Yacht Club.
2. **Venue** - The intended venue is in the vicinity of the Olympic Circle Racing Area.
3. **Program** -
 - A) Mandatory Competitor Briefing - 9:00 AM, Saturday, October 9
 - B) Umpire Debriefing - One half hour after the Race Committee Signal Boat docks each race day
 - C) Race Times - First Warning 11:00 AM Saturday and Sunday, October 9 and 10
 - D) Awards - Following the Umpire Debriefing on Sunday, October 10
4. **Competitor Eligibility** - Invitations will be issued by the J/105 Fleet One Class Association. Competitors must meet the eligibility requirements of the J/105 Fleet One Class Association.
5. **Entry** - Registration must be completed online at www.sfyc.org, and the entry fee of \$300 must be paid, prior to October 1, 2010. The minimum number of entrants is six and the maximum is ten. The entry fee is non-refundable.
6. **Rules** -
 - A) The event will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), including Appendix C and the J/105 Fleet One Class Rules.
 - B) Boats may be moored at The San Francisco Yacht Club from October 8 to October 11.
 - C) 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.

7. **Boats** J/105
8. **Event Format** - The intended racing schedule will be a double round robin series.
9. **Course** - Start, Windward, Leeward, Windward, Finish.
10. **Sailing Instructions** - Will be available at the Competitor Briefing or by email request after October 5.
11. **Awards** - The top three competitors will receive individual placement awards. The winner of the event may receive an invitation to compete in the Ficker Cup, to be hosted by the Long Beach Yacht Club in 2011. (The Ficker Cup is a qualifier for the Congressional Cup.)

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