

THE SAN FRANCISCO YACHT CLUB



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The Kings of the Bay 505 Regatta

July 30-31, 2011

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 RRS 40 will be deleted and replaced with: "Competitors shall wear life jackets or other adequate personal buoyancy while racing". Note that Flag Y will not be displayed.

2. ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the 505 class.
- 2.2 Skippers must be members of their National 505 Association.

3. ENTRY

- 3.1 Eligible boats may be entered by completing online registration found at www.sfyc.org.
- 3.2 The entry fee is \$95.00 for members of US SAILING and \$100.00 for non-members if received by July 26, 2011. A \$20 late fee will be assessed after July 26, 2011. The entry fee includes two tickets to the BBQ. Credit cards will be accepted via PayPal using the online registration procedure. The option to charge yacht club accounts is available to SFYC members only.
- 3.3 Late registration will be available at the Regatta Desk in the bar from 0800 until 1000 on July 30, 2011. Credit cards will not be accepted for late registration, or for any purchases made at the Club.

4. SCHEDULE

4.1 A mandatory skippers meeting will be held at the Youth Sailing Tent at 0930 on Saturday July 30th.

4.2 Race Schedule

<u>RACE</u>	<u>DAY AND DATE</u>	<u>TIME OF WARNING SIGNAL</u>
1	Saturday, July 30th	1200 Hours
2	Saturday, July 30th	Immediately following Race #1
3	Saturday, July 30th	Immediately following Race #2
4	Sunday, July 31st	1200 Hours
5	Sunday, July 31st	Immediately following Race #4
6	Sunday, July 31st	Immediately following Race #5

5. EQUIPMENT AND INSPECTION

5.1 Each boat shall be equipped with:

- a) Tow line of length not less than 10 meters and minimum diameter of 6 mm.
- b) Paddle

5.2 Boats may be subject to unscheduled equipment inspection during the regatta.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available after 1200 hours on July 29, 2011 at The San Francisco Yacht Club, and on our web page, www.sfyc.org. Copies may also be obtained from the stern of the committee boat after it is anchored and until 1145 hours on each race day.

7. RACING AREA AND COURSES

The racing area will be in the vicinity of Southampton Shoal on Saturday July 30th. The racing area will be in the vicinity of Southampton Shoal or Knox Shoal on Sunday July 31st by decision of the Fleet Captain on Sunday morning. The courses and marks will be described in the Sailing Instructions. All courses will be around inflatable marks, and will attempt to be in conformance with 505 Class Championship Guidelines. Gate starts will be used except in extreme conditions.

8. SCORING

Six races are scheduled. Two races must be completed to constitute a regatta. All races will count toward the final score.

9. ARBITRATION

Arbitration will be in effect for protests involving a rule of RRS Part 2.

10. COMMUNICATIONS

A boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

11. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 finishing teams. The trophy presentation will be held at the Youth Sailing Tent after the racing on July 31, 2011.

12. PARKING

Parking in the SFYC lot will be restricted during the regatta. Two parking passes will be issued per boat, one of which may be used for the trailer. Passes, and offsite parking maps, may be picked up at the SFYC Front Desk after 1200 hours on July 29, 2011, or at the parking lot entrance on Saturday morning.

13. SOCIAL EVENTS

Day & Date	Time	Event
Saturday, July 30, 2011	1630	Complimentary beer and BBQ at the Youth Sailing Tent
Sunday, July 31, 2011	After Racing	Trophy Presentation at the Youth Sailing Tent

The cost of the BBQ dinner will be \$10 per person. Two tickets are included in the entry fee, and additional tickets may be purchased at registration or at the door. No host breakfast is available in the main dining room beginning at 0830 on Saturday and Sunday. Sailing attire is welcome for all activities.

Mark Dowdy and Angie Lackey Olson, Regatta Chairs

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