

# THE SAN FRANCISCO YACHT CLUB



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## ROUND THE ISLAND RACE

**Sunday, October 23, 2011**

### SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

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

#### **1 RULES**

- 1.1** The regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2** The regatta is open to all SFYC keel boats 18 feet and over of whatever construction. All boats must be skippered by a SFYC member.
- 1.3** All boats must display The San Francisco Yacht Club Burgee.
- 1.4** RRS 40 is deleted and replaced with: "All competitors shall wear life jackets or adequate personal buoyancy when racing." Note that Flag Y will not be displayed.

#### **2 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS**

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located outside on The SFYC deck..

#### **3 CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted by 0900 on October 23, 2011.

#### **4 RACE SCHEDULE**

The race is scheduled for Sunday, October 23, 2011. There will be a single start for all racers. The warning signal is scheduled for 1200 hours.

#### **5 CLASS FLAG**

The Class Flag will be Code Flag "R."

## 6 **HANDICAPS**

Handicaps will be determined by the SFYC race committee on the basis of current SF Bay PHRF ratings.

## 7 **RACING AREA**

The racing area will be as shown in **Illustration A**, with the start off Belvedere Cove and the finish off Corinthian Yacht Club.

## 8 **THE COURSE AND MARKS**

8.1 The course will be from the starting line, around Treasure Island to port, leaving Bay Bridge Pier "I" to port (see **Illustration B**), Southampton Platform to port, to the finish line. Please note that Pier "I" (N 37.81607, W 122.35240), along with any adjacent construction barges and their extensions to mooring balls, must be left to port.

8.2 Treasure Island and Southampton Platform are rounding marks.

## 9 **THE START**

9.1 The race will be started using RRS 26.

9.2 The starting line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the race committee signal boat and a red inflatable mark.

9.3 All boats must check in with the race committee signal boat prior to the start.

## 10 **THE FINISH**

The finish line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on a race committee boat and a red inflatable mark. Cross the finish line from east to west.

## 11 **TIME LIMIT**

The time limit will be 1630 hours on Sunday, October 23, 2011. Boats failing to finish before the time limit will be scored Did Not Finish. This changes rule 35.

## 12 **PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS**

12.1 Protest forms will be available at the Regatta Table in the club house. Protests shall be delivered to the race committee representative at the Regatta Table within the protest time limit, which shall be 30 minutes after the race committee signal boat returns to the SFYC dock. The return time will be posted on the official notice board.

12.2 Protests will be heard in approximately the order of receipt as soon as possible.

## 13 **SCORING**

Finishing positions will be established by corrected time, using **Time on Time** corrections, as determined by San Francisco Bay PHRF handicaps. A five-minute penalty will be assessed to boats failing to display the SFYC burgee.

## 14 **RADIO COMMUNICATION**

14.1 The Race Committee may broadcast information about the day's racing and OCS on Channel 65. The failure of any boat to hear the hail, the hail of some but not all OCS boats, the untimely hail of some or all OCS boats, or failure to hail any or all boats shall not be grounds for redress. This changes RRS 62.1.

**14.2** A boat that retires from the race shall notify the race committee on VHF 65 as soon as possible.

**15 PRIZES**

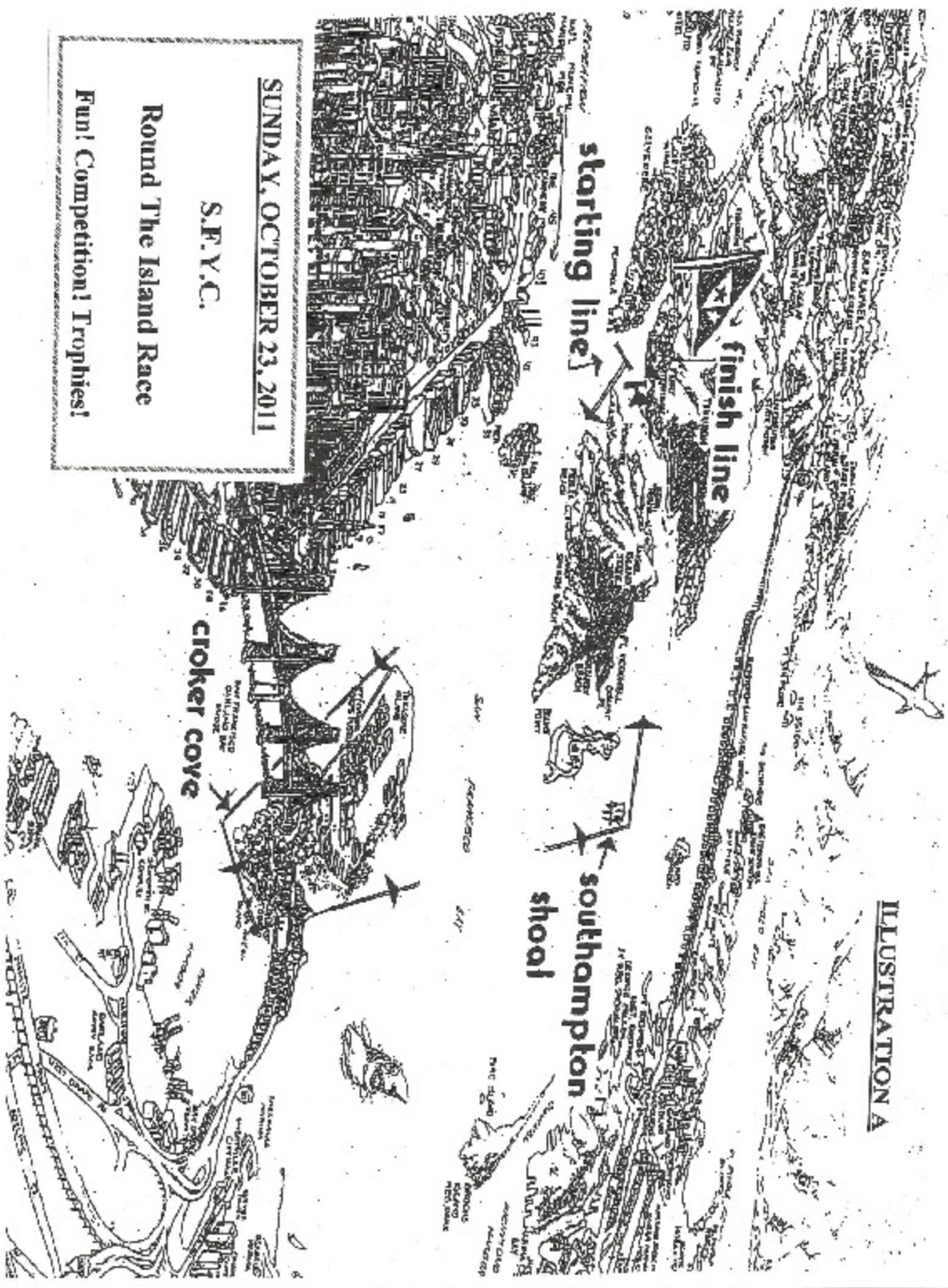
**15.1** The Round the Island Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the overall first place finisher in the race, on corrected time, with keeper trophies awarded to the first through third place finishers in both Spinnaker and Non-Spinnaker divisions. Trophies will be presented on the Club deck after the race, with beer and hors d'oeuvres provided.

**15.2** Enter the **Family Challenge!** Family Challenge certificates will be presented in both divisions, with \$25.00 Waypoint Pizza gift certificates awarded for the best corrected time, after a 10 second per mile credit is given for each crew member between the ages of 5 and 18, or over 80. See **Illustration C** to register for the Family Challenge and confirm the ages of your youth crew members. Late entries and crew changes will be accepted on race day, at the Regatta Table within the 30-minute protest time window after the race. Family Challenge calculations will not affect overall race results.

Jay Hooker, PRO

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ILLUSTRATION A



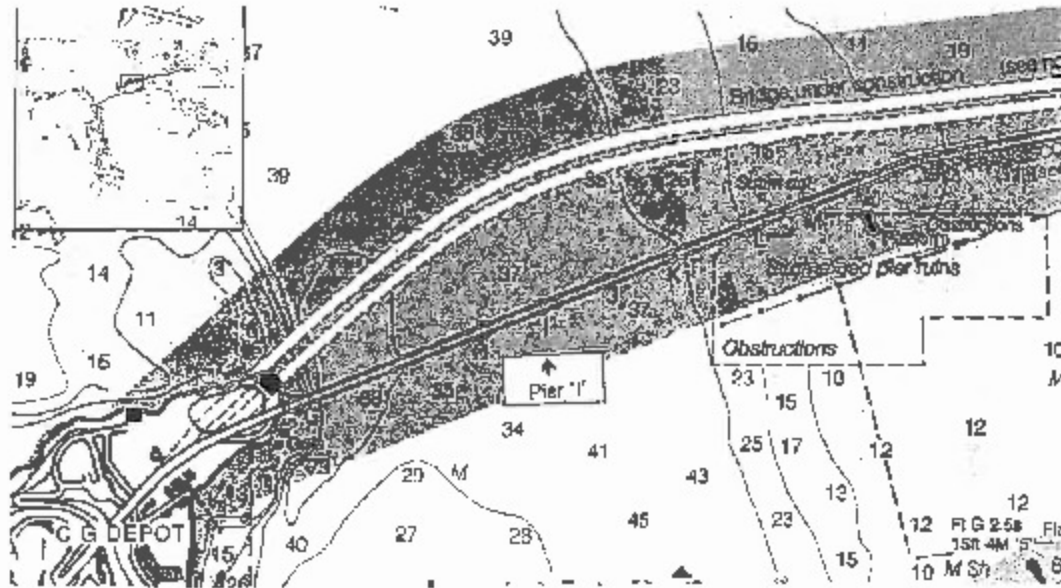
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2011  
S.F.Y.C.  
Round The Island Race  
Fun! Competition! Trophies!

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October 23, 2011

ILLUSTRATION B



Picture Taken 10/17/11



**ILLUSTRATION C**

ENTER THE FAMILY CHALLENGE!

WIN A \$25 GIFT CERTIFICATE  
TO WAYPOINT PIZZA



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**SKIPPER**

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**BOAT NAME**

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**PHRF**

**SPINNAKER DIVISION (Y/N)**

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CREW AGES 5 - 18, and over 80:

**NAME**

**AGE**

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**CREDIT = 10 SECONDS per MILE per ELIGIBLE CREW**

**NO. KIDS/SENIORS x COURSE LENGTH x 10 SECONDS = CREDIT**

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Fax to Race Office (415) 789-5648 or  
Submit to PRO on Race Day