

2015/16 NORCAL DIVISIONAL REGATTA #2

Treasure Island Sailing Center
698 California Ave Building 112, San Francisco, CA

February 13-14, 2016

NOTICE OF RACE

1. REGATTA HOST

Bay Area Youth Sailing (BAYS) – Regatta Organizing Authority
The San Francisco Yacht Club – Race Management
Treasure Island Sailing Center – Regatta Host

2. RULES

The regatta will be governed by the current ISSA Procedural Rules (as modified by the PCISA Supplemental Rules), the NorCal Divisional Regattas Notice of Series, and the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*, the prescriptions of US Sailing, and by the sailing instructions.

3. ELIGIBILITY

The regatta is open to all schools registered with the ISSA/PCISA. All sailors shall be registered with their school through the ISSA/PCISA. All teams shall have a TechScore account to track sailors at regattas on RP Forms. There will be an on-site check-in desk at the regatta, where teams must check in, collect SIs, and pick up any pre-ordered lunch tickets.

Eligibility and team composition rules are listed in Section 2 of the 2015-16 NorCal HS Divisional Regattas NOS. Please review these rules before entering.

4. ENTRY

The online entry form shall be completed by **5pm on Friday, January 29**. Entries will not be accepted after this time. Entry fees must be paid in full with the online entry. For online entry go to www.sfy.org under On The Water>Racing>Schedule.

The entry fee is \$80 per team. **No food will be provided**, each team is responsible for providing their own food and water needs for the day.

5. FORMAT

The regatta will be sailed in two fleets: Gold Fleet and Silver Fleet. Each fleet will have an A Division and B Division. Fleet allocations will be approved by the NorCal Allocation Committee after registration closes on January 29. The regatta limit is 60 teams.

6. BOATS

Each team is responsible for providing one class legal CFJ in excellent condition. Secure hull and tank plugs are mandatory, and teams should have spare parts. Rotation happens only within your team between A and B Divisions. Boats will not be rotated through the fleet.

7. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, February 13, 2016		Sunday, February 14, 2016	
8:30–10am	Check-in	9:30am	Competitors' Meeting (Mandatory)
10am	Competitors' Meeting (Mandatory)	10:30am	Racing begins
11am	Racing begins	4pm	No Start after this time
		5pm	Awards Ceremony

8. COMPETITORS MEETINGS AND SAILING INSTRUCTIONS (SIs)

Competitors meetings will be held in front of the TISC office/classroom buildings. SIs will be available at check-in.

9. RACING AREA

The racing area will be in Clipper Cove, with rotations made from the TISC floating dock, unless otherwise designated by the Race Committee. All boats shall be launched from the TISC ramp. Coaches & spectators can view the racing from the shore west of the TISC gate. No persons shall go onto the rocks between the parking lot and the water for any reason whatsoever. This is not a protestable offense, although disciplinary action by the BAYS Board may result, at their discretion.

10. COACHING

All coaching, crew rotation, exchange of clothing/food/drink and communication shall only occur on the docks at the TI Sailing Center. Coaches are not allowed on the water. Any spectators on the water shall have no contact with any competitor except when rendering assistance under RRS Rule 1.1, or as instructed by the Race Committee.

11. TROPHIES

Trophies will be awarded to teams placing 1st, 2nd, and 3rd in each fleet, and to the top skipper/crew in each division.

12. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the regatta.

13. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For additional info, please contact Forrest Gay, SFYC Director of Sailing: forrest@sfyc.org

**** Please do not contact TISC with regatta questions ****