

St. Francis Yacht Club May 31-June 2, 2013

# **NOTICE OF RACE**

#### 1. RULES

- **1.1** The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*.
- 1.2 All competitors are required to wear a life jacket or other adequate personal flotation device while racing. RRS 40 is changed as follows: The "Y" flag will not be displayed.

## 2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- **2.1** This regatta is open to boats of the following classes: Bear, Bird, Folkboat, IOD, and Knarr.
- **2.2** Each class must have <u>six</u> boats registered by May 29, 2013 in order to participate.
- 2.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing the online entry form located at <a href="https://www.stfyc.com">www.stfyc.com</a>. Forms must be completed by May 29, 2013 to take advantage of the lower entry fee.

## 3. FEES

**3.1** Entry fee is \$160 if received **prior to May 30, 2013,** and \$185 if received thereafter up to 1400 hours on Friday, May 31.

# 4. SCHEDULE

- **4.1** Racing will be held on Friday, May 31, Saturday June 1, and Sunday, June 2.
- **4.2** One race is scheduled for Friday, May 31. The first Warning Signal is scheduled for 1800 hours.
- **4.3** Three races are scheduled on Saturday, June 1 with the first Warning Signal at 1030 hours.
- **4.4** A complimentary BBQ lunch will follow Race #1.
- **4.5** Race #2 & #3 will follow lunch. Sailors are welcome to attend a complimentary regatta social after racing on Saturday.
- **4.6** Two races are scheduled on Sunday, June 2 with the first Warning Signal scheduled for 1100 hours.
- **4.7** Sailors are welcome to attend a complimentary trophy ceremony and social following racing on Sunday.

# 5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available at the StFYC Official Regatta Notice Board and on the StFYC website by noon on Friday, May 31. Changes to the Sailing Instructions will be posted on the StFYC Official Regatta Notice Board and may be posted on the StFYC website.

#### 6. RACING AREA

The race area will be set on the San Francisco City Front utilizing inflatable and permanent marks.

#### 7. SCORING

One completed race will constitute a series. Six races are scheduled. A boat's series score will be the total of all her race scores.

# 8. BERTHING

Yachts competing in the event may be moored free of charge at the StFYC guest docks two nights prior to the beginning of racing and one night after racing concludes. Yacht owners are responsible for applicable docking fees before or past this allowance. Docking privileges are subject to availability and require approval of the Dockmaster (415.813.9741). StFYC assumes no liability for loss of, or damage to, boats, gear or equipment brought onto Club premises.

# 9. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors shall participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk (see RRS 4, DECISION TO RACE). The Organizing Authority does not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the regatta.

# 10. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact the StFYC Race Office at 415.563.6363, email <a href="mailto:racing@stfyc.com">racing@stfyc.com</a> or visit <a href="mailto:www.stfyc.com">www.stfyc.com</a>.