



## 2v2 Random Pairs Team Race Regatta

St. Francis Yacht Club

April 19, 2014

### NOTICE OF RACE

#### 1.0 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*, as modified by this Notice of Race and by the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2 Rules for boats, equipment and handling of boats will be distributed as part of the Sailing Instructions. Spinnakers will not be used.
- 1.3 RRS 40 is changed as follows: Competitors shall wear personal flotation devices while racing, except when below deck or briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment.
- 1.4 Competitors are to register as individual boats. The random pairs format pairs each boat with a different teammate for each race of a full round robin, with a boat's individual win/loss record used to determine overall scoring.

#### 2.0 ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 Participants must be a member in good standing of the St. Francis Yacht Club. Exceptions may be granted to written requests (e.g. e-mail) by the Organizing Authority.
- 2.2 For interested sailors who do not have a team, the Free Agent List is available to help match crewpersons with helmspersons in order to provide opportunities for both experienced and inexperienced team racers to participate, and to maintain close competition. Boats will be sailed by crews of three or four including the helmsperson.
- 2.3 Each skipper shall register his or her entire crew online at [www.stfyc.com](http://www.stfyc.com).
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#### 3.0 ENTRY FEE

The entry fee is \$40 per person, which can be paid in advance or at registration. Lunch will be not provided, so please plan accordingly.

#### 4.0 WAIVER AND DAMAGE DEPOSIT

All skippers must sign a waiver form. Each skipper shall be responsible for damage of his or her boat and each skipper will be required to provide a \$1500 damage deposit prior to the start of racing by providing his or her StFYC member number at registration. The deposit is a per-incident maximum. If a skipper has more than one incident, he or she is then liable for up to \$1500 for each subsequent incident.

#### 5.0 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Attendance by all sailors is mandatory at the Competitors' Meeting at 1000 hours on Saturday, April 19. Racing will begin at 1130 hours.

#### 6.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available at the Competitors' Meeting and may be available on the StFYC web-site earlier.

#### 7.0 RACING AREA

The intended race area will be on the City Front utilizing inflatable marks.

#### 8.0 BOATS

Boats (J22-type) will be provided.

#### 13.0 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.

#### 14.0 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact the StFYC Race Office at 415.563.6363, email [racing@stfyc.com](mailto:racing@stfyc.com), or visit [www.stfyc.com](http://www.stfyc.com).