



StFYC Team Race Qualifier

St. Francis Yacht Club

May 10, 2014

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), as modified by this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2 The Organizing Authority shall be St. Francis Yacht Club.
- 1.3 Rules for boats, equipment and handling of boats will be distributed as part of the Sailing Instructions. Spinnakers will be used when conditions permit as determined by the Race Committee.
- 1.4 All competitors are required to wear a life jacket or other adequate personal flotation device. RRS 40 is changed as follows: The "Y" flag will not be displayed.

2. ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 Participants must be members in good standing of St. Francis Yacht Club.
- 2.2 Boats will be sailed by crews of three or four including the helmsman, with maximum total weight of 650 lbs.

3. ENTRY FEE

- 3.1 The entry fee is \$40 per person. Three boats shall form a team and register their entire crew together online at www.stfyc.com. Lunch will not be provided, so please plan accordingly.
- 3.2 If a deduction from the damage deposit is decided by the OA, the OA may require that the deposit be restored to its original amount before the skipper is permitted to continue in the event.

4. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Attendance by all skippers is mandatory at the Competitors' meeting at 0830 hours on Saturday, May 10, 2014. Racing will begin at 1000 hours.

Saturday, May 10

0800-0830	Registration & Weigh In
0830	Mandatory Competitors' Meeting
1000	Racing begins
After Racing	Debrief & Social

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

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

6. RACING AREA

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

7. BOATS

Boats (J22-type) will be provided. Spinnakers will be used if conditions permit.

8. FORMAT

Possible formats include but are not limited to: Round Robins, semifinals, and finals. The format to be attempted, contingency formats (if any) and changes to the format will be described fully in the sailing instructions.

9. SCORING

Scoring will be In accordance with Appendix D, except as modified by the Sailing Instructions.

10. 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.

11. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact the StFYC Race Office at 415.563.6363, email raceoffice@stfyc.com or visit www.stfyc.com.