



Team Racing Scrimmage

St. Francis Yacht Club

November 8, 2014

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 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 sailors online at www.stfyc.com. The Organizing Authority (OA) will determine the boat pairings as well as the teams for the event. Requests for pairings of sailors and teams will be considered by the OA.

2 ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to members and invited guests. Non-members can request an invitation from the Organizing Authority by e-mailing racing@stfyc.com.
- 2.2 All helmspersons 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.
- 2.3 Boats will be sailed by crews of three or four including the helmsperson.

3 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 DAMAGE DEPOSIT

Skippers shall provide a damage deposit of \$1,500 at registration. The damage deposit is the limit of liability of each skipper for each incident. In the event that a damage charge is assessed, the skipper shall increase the damage deposit to the original value to continue racing.

5 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Attendance by all sailors is mandatory at the Competitors' Meeting at 1000 hours on Saturday, November 8th. Racing will begin at 1130 hours.

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available at the Competitors' Meeting and may also be available online (www.stfyc.com) prior.

7 RACING AREA

The intended race area will be on the City Front.

8 BOATS

Boats (J22-type) will be provided.

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 racing@stfyc.com, or visit www.stfyc.com.