



Notice of Race  
**Svendensen's Splash (BAYS #1)**  
Encinal Yacht Club  
May 19-20, 2007



## 1 Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the 2005-2008 Racing Rules of Sailing, the Prescriptions of US Sailing, this Notice of Race, and the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2 The rules of the C420, CFJ, Laser, and Optimist classes will apply except that RRS 60.1 (a) is changed to prohibit a boat from protesting another boat for an alleged breach of a class rule requiring class membership or imposing a weight limit.
- 1.3 In the event of a protest, all boats (including Optis) are exempted from displaying a red flag according to RRS 61.1 (a)(2).

## 2 Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1 The regatta is open to boats of the Club 420, CFJ, Laser, Radial, 4.7 and Optimist (including Green fleet) classes whose crews have not yet reached their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday. The rules of the Optimist Class will still apply.
- 2.2 All competitors must: Have not reached their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday (Optimist competitors must not have reached their 16<sup>th</sup> birthday). Eligibility to be scored for the 2007 Summer BAYS Series is as follows: 18 and under (19<sup>th</sup> birthday must fall after the final BAYS series regatta of the year), except where individual class rules dictate.
- 2.3 Eligible competitors may register by filling out the BAYS common entry form and returning it with entry fee by **Tuesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>** to Barb Grove by email at [sgrove01@pacbell.net](mailto:sgrove01@pacbell.net), fax at (925)283-9781, or mail at **Summer Splash Registrar, c/o 3687 Happy Valley Rd, Lafayette, CA 94549**. There will be a \$5 late fee per competitor for registration after May 15th.

## 3 Fees

- 3.1 All Fleets: \$40 per sailor
- 3.2 Entry fee provides prizes, a t-shirt, a breakfast snack, Saturday night dinner and lunch on both days. Extra lunches and dinners will be available for purchase upon registration.

## 4 Schedule

### 4.1 Saturday, May 19, 2007

Registration & Rigging	0830-1000
Skippers' Meeting	1000
Harbor Start	1030
First Race	1100
BBQ Dinner, Pool Party	1800-2000

### Sunday, July 16, 2006

Harbor Start	1030
First Race	1100
No Race Started After	1600
Trophy Presentation	1645

\* All times are approximate. Lunch will be provided both days either on the water or on land depending on final racing area decisions.

## **5 Sailing Instructions**

- 5.1 Sailing Instructions will be available at registration on Saturday, May 19th.
- 5.2 If there is a conflict between the Sailing Instructions and this Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions shall take precedence.

## **6 Racing Area**

- 6.1 There will be an inside course (*Alpha*) located on the Oakland/Alameda Estuary in front of Encinal Yacht Club. The possibility of an outside course (*Bravo*) located directly west of the mouth of the Oakland/Alameda Estuary exists. Final discretion will be made by the race committee and noted in the Sailing Instructions. Clarification as to which fleets will sail on which course will be provided in the Sailing Instructions.

## **7 Decisions of the Protest Committee**

- 7.1 Decisions of the Protest Committee will be final as provided in rule 70.4.

## **8 Scoring**

- 8.1 The Low-Point scoring system of Appendix A will apply.
  - 8.1(a) When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
  - 8.1(b) When from 5 to 11 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
  - 8.1(c) When 12 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.
- 8.2 Results of this regatta will count toward the 2007 BAYS Series.

## **9 Boat Storage**

- 9.1 Competitor's boats shall be stored over Saturday night in a designated area assigned by the Regatta Organizers.

## **10 Charters**

- 10.1 A limited number of charters may be available for certain classes. Contact the regatta chair for more information.

## **11 Prizes**

- 11.1 Prizes will be awarded for the first three finishers in each class and an overall sportsperson for the regatta. Depth of awards for opti top finishers will depend on registration within each fleet.

## **12 Coaching**

- 12.1 After the warning signal for a given race, coaching will not be permitted until a competitor has finished that race. To avoid any interference with boats still racing, competitors shall be required to sail to an area at least 75 feet to starboard of the start/finish line to meet with coach/support boats.

### **13 Support & Spectator Boats**

- 13.1 Except in the case of emergencies, support and spectator boats must remain a distance of 75 feet from the racing area at all times, and shall not cause significant wake in the racing area.

### **14 Further Information**

- 14.1 For further information, please contact one of the following:

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