



Santa Cruz Yacht Club

Notice of Race

2015 Laser Nor Cal Championship Regatta

April 25-26, 2015

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the Rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and the *Laser Class Rules* found at:
<http://www.laserinternational.org/rules/classrules>
- 1.2. Rule 40 will be changed to require competitors to wear a personal flotation device while on the water, except briefly while changing clothing.
- 1.3. Complete changes to the Rules may appear in the Sailing Instructions.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. This event is open to Laser, Laser Radial and Laser 4.7 boats.
- 2.2. Eligible boats may register online before 1100 hours on April 25, 2015. Only online entries will be accepted. Entry and regatta information may be found here: <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/10229>
- 2.3. Competitors under the age of 18 must complete the Parental Release and Medical Waiver form provided. Signatures on the form must be made by the competitor's Parent or Guardian.
- 2.4. A minimum of three (3) entries are required to constitute a class.

3. FEES

- 3.1. The early entry fee is \$55. To receive the early entry fee a boat must have completed their entry by 1200 hours on April 22, 2015.
- 3.2. The regular entry fee is \$65. The regular entry fee will be applied to entries from 1201 on April 22, 2015 to 1100 hours on April 25, 2015.

4. SCHEULDE

- 4.1. Check-in will be from 0900 to 1055 hours on April 25, 2015 at the Santa Cruz Yacht Club (SCYC) clubhouse.
- 4.2. There will be a competitor's briefing on April 25, 2015 at 1100 hours at the SCYC clubhouse.
- 4.3. The scheduled time of the first warning signal on April 25, 2015 is 1300 hours. Five races are scheduled.
- 4.4. The scheduled time of the first warning signal on April 26, 2015 is 1200 hours. Four races are scheduled.
- 4.5. No race will be started after 1500 hours.

4.6. An awards presentation will follow racing as soon as reasonably practical.

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1. The Sailing Instructions will be available no later than 1000 hours on April 25, 2015 at the SCYC clubhouse. They may also be posted online earlier.

6. VENUE

6.1. Registration, the competitor's meeting, launching and awards will be held at the SCYC clubhouse and Santa Cruz Harbor on the west side.

6.2. Racing will be within three (3) miles of Walton Lighthouse at the Santa Cruz Harbor entrance.

7. COURSES

7.1. The courses shall be windward/leeward courses around temporary inflatable marks.

8. SCORING

8.1. When fewer than four (4) races have been completed a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

8.2. When four (4) or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

9. SUPPORT AND COACH BOATS

9.1. All coach and support boats must register with the race committee each day before the start of racing and monitor a VHF radio tuned to channel 69.

9.2. All coach and support boats agree to assist in the event of an emergency at the direction of the Race Committee.

9.3. All coach and support boats shall keep over 100 yards for any boat that is racing.

10. FURTHER INFORMATION

10.1. For further information contact the Event Chairman and Principal Race Office, Beau Vrolyk at beau.vrolyk@mac.com