

Notice of Race

2015 Moore 24
National Championship
August 28-30, 2015



INVITATION: Richmond Yacht Club and Moore 24 One Design Association invite you to the

2015 Moore 24 National Championship on beautiful San Francisco Bay

Rules: The regatta will be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing, (RRS), the Moore 24 Class Rules and this Notice of Race, except as any of these are modified by the Sailing Instructions. Rule 40 is deleted and replaced by "During the entire regatta, competitors are required to wear a PFD while on the water except during brief periods when changing clothing". Wet Suits or Dry suits are strongly encouraged and required for sailors under 18 years of age. Code Flag "Y" will not be displayed.

Entry and Fees: The regatta is open to all members in good standing of their local Moore 24 Association. Each boat owner must complete an entry form, and pay the entry fee. Each skipper and each crew must sign a Waiver and Release of Liability. These forms will be available at check in and at weigh in. Nonowner drivers must have paid their 2015 \$50 fee to the Moore 24 Class association.

The entry fee is \$150 and includes 1 free ticket to dinner on Saturday night, Friday evening keg (care of Karl Robrock and Snafu U), Sat evening keg (care of David Hodges and Ullman Sails), and \$2.50 Rum Drinks. Saturday dinner menu is Buffet Style: Acme Bread, Mixed Green Salad, Steamed Veg, Penne al Forno, Roast Chicken and Brownies. Additional dinner tickets for all racers and guests on Saturday night are \$20 each.

In addition, each visiting skipper and their crew and guests are invited to the usual Friday evening RYC dinner served from 6-8:30 p.m. Menu varies from DIY \$8 Burger and Salad to +/- \$17 full dinner service.

This entry fee is payable through Regatta Network. Registration must be completed by Monday, August 24, 2014, after which a late fee of \$50 will apply.

Sailing Instructions: Copies of the Sailing Instructions will be available in the clubhouse and online by Thursday, August 27 at 12:00.

Competitors Meeting: Competitors will meet at the RYC clubhouse on Friday, August 28th at 10:00.

Competitors Weigh In: Weigh in will be conducted Thursday, August 27th at 18:00 through 20:00 and Friday, August 28th at 08:00 though 10:00 in the Regatta Room RYC.

Measurement: Each yacht shall submit proof, when requested by the Race Committee, of holding a valid measurement certificate. In accordance with the Moore 24 National Association Rules, each skipper of each boat participating in Nationals will be required to sign a declaration that their boat is class legal. Declaration forms will be available at check in and weigh in.

Number of Races: The Moore 24 National Championship will consist of 8 races. A minimum of 4races is required to constitute a championship. Weather permitting, a "Bay Tour" distance and "Old School" Olympic triangle, sausage races will be held.

Scoring: All races will be scored. There will be NO THROW OUTS.

Safety: The Potrero Reach (The Channel) and San Francisco Bay have active commercial traffic. Do not interfere with these vessels.

Launching, Mooring and Haul outs: Two hoists capable of lifting a Moore 24 are available at RYC. Do not tie up at the dock below the hoists. Raft up in the basin. All yachts must remain in the water during the regatta. Yachts requiring haul out due to damage must receive approval from the Principal Race Officer (PRO).

Parking: Limited trailer parking will be available in the RYC boatyard and overflow parking is available in the lot immediately to the NW of RYC.

Schedule of events:

Thursday, August 27

- 12:00 Sailing Instructions available
- •18:00 20:00 Weigh in

Friday, August 28th

•08:00 – 10:00 Weigh in

- •10:00 Competitors Meeting
- •11:55 First Warning. The warning signal for each subsequent race of this day and each subsequent racing day will be sounded as soon as reasonably possible after the finish of the previous race.
- •Immediately after racing, a hosted keg courtesy of Karl Robrock and Snafu U will be provided as a result of past misdeeds.
- •\$2.50 Rum Drinks
- •No host bar and RYC Friday dinner

Saturday, August 29th

- •11:55 First Warning
- Immediately after racing, a full-sized hosted keg of good strong beer courtesy of Dave Hodges and Ullman Sails will be provided.
- •\$2.50 Rum Drinks
- •19:00 Moore 24 Nationals Dinner RYC

Sunday, August 30

- •10:55 First Warning
- Prize giving and awards after racing

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