

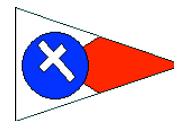
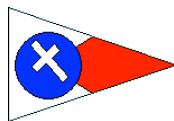
SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

SANTA CRUZ YACHT CLUB

SEPTEMBER 505 SANTA CRUZ REGATTA

SEPTEMBER 19, 2015

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1. RULES

- 1.1. This series will be governed by the rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2. Rule 40 is changed to require competitors wear a personal flotation device while racing, except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. Race Signal "Y" will not be displayed.

2. NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

Notices to Competitors will be posted on the Official Notice Board, located in the northeast window of the clubhouse, upper level, and may be posted on-line at the event web site. Notices may be sent by txt or email to the addresses provided during registration.

3. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to these sailing instructions will be posted before 1100 on the day it will take effect, except any change to the schedule of races will be posted by 2000 on the day before it will take effect.

4. SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

- 4.1. Signals made ashore will be displayed from the SCYC Clubhouse Flagpole.
- 4.2. When Race Signal "AP" is displayed ashore, '1 minute' is replaced with 'not less than 60 minutes' in Race Signals AP.

5. SCHEDULE & NUMBER OF RACES

5.1. Dates of Racing:

September 19: Three Races are scheduled. The first warning signal of the day shall follow the starting signal of the last class of the SCYC Fall One-Design Regatta as soon as practical, this will be approximately 1305 hours.

6. CLASS FLAGS

6.1. Flag with a 505 logo

7. RACING AREA

The racing area will be within four miles of Walton Lighthouse at Santa Cruz Harbor.

8. THE COURSES

The diagram and table in Attachment A shows the courses, including the approximate positions of the marks, the order in which marks are to be passed and the side on which they are to be left.

9. MARKS

- 9.1. Mark 1 is orange and mark 2 is yellow. Both are inflatable tetrahedrons. Mark S is a red ball.
- 9.2. Marks 1 and 2 are rounding marks.
- 9.3. The starting and finishing marks will be a red ball and the signal boat. If the signal boat is not on station, a red ball may replace it.

10. THE START

10.1. The starting line will be between mark S and an orange flag displayed from a staff aboard the signal boat.

11. THE FINISH

11.1. The finishing line will be between mark S and an orange flag displayed from a staff aboard the signal boat.

12. PENALTY SYSTEM

Rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

13. TIME LIMITS

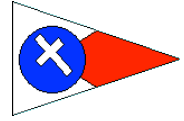
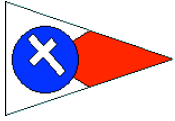
- 13.1. The time limit for the first boat to finish is ninety (90) minutes.
- 13.2. If no boat has sailed the course and finished within the time limit the race will be abandoned.
- 13.3. Boats failing to finish within twenty (20) minutes after the first boat sails the course and finishes will receive a scored of DNF without a hearing. This changes rules 35, A4 and A5.

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14. PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS

- 14.1. Protest Forms are available at the SCYC Regatta Shed and Clubhouse. Protests and requests for redress or reopening shall be delivered there within the appropriate time limit.
- 14.2. The protest time limit is sixty (60) minutes after the signal boat has arrived at her berth in Santa Cruz Harbor. The protest filing time limit will be posted.
- 14.3. Notices will be posted no later than thirty (30) minutes after the protest filing time limit to inform boats of hearings in which they are parties or named as witnesses.
- 14.4. Notices may be posted electronically in addition to the above with the information sent to the electronic contact addresses provided during registration.

15. SCORING

- 15.1. Two (2) races are required to constitute a series.
- 15.2. All races will be scored, this changes rule A2.

16. SAFETY REGULATIONS

A boat that retires from a race shall notify the race committee as soon as reasonably possible.

17. PRIZES

- 17.1. Prizes will be awarded based upon the number of competitors entered in normal registration.

Attachment A – Courses

All marks, other than mark “S”, are always left to PORT



Course	Mark Rounding Order
1	Start -> 1 -> Finish
2	Start -> 1 -> 2 -> 1 -> Finish
3	Start -> 1 -> 2 -> 1 -> 2 -> 1 -> Finish

Course diagram is not to scale

