





Santa Cruz Yacht Club Notice of Race

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2016 Monterey Bay Leukemia Cup Regatta June 4, 2016

1. Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing *Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 RRS 40 is changed by deleting "When flag Y is displayed with one sound before or with the warning signal". All competitors must wear a PFD while racing and on deck.
- 1.3 The regatta will feature a reverse start. Starting times for each boat are determined by the Monterey Bay PHRF rating assigned to the boat. Boats that do not have a Monterey Bay PHRF certificate will be assigned a rating by the race committee.

2. Eligibility and Divisions

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all Monterey Bay PHRF-eligible boats and multihulls.
- 2.2 There will be spinnaker and non-spinnaker PHRF divisions and a multihull division. Divisions will be posted at the competitor's meeting on June 4, 2016. The race committee may add or modify divisions as it sees fit depending on the nature of the entrants.

3. Fees and Entry

- 3.1 The entry fee will be \$70 for boats less than 35 feet in length, \$125 for all other boats. In addition, there is a \$25 entry fee for each crew member exclusive of the skipper.
- 3.2 Eligible boats and crew may register by completing the registration form at www.leukemiacup.org/svmb or by filling out a paper entry form available on the day of the event. Entries must be received by the race committee not later than 1055 hours, June 4, 2016.
- 3.3 A boat is not entered until the entry form is received.

4. Schedule

- 4.1 One race will be held on Sunday June 4, 2016.
- 4.2 A Competitors Meeting will be held at 1100 hours on Saturday, June 4, 2016 at the SCYC hoist.
- 4.3 The scheduled time of the warning signal is 1255 hours.
- 4.4 One race will constitute a series.
- 4.5 An Awards Ceremony will take place in the SCYC dry storage yard following the regatta.

5. Sailing Instructions and Venue

- 5.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available at the Competitors meeting and may be posted earlier online.
- Racing will be around temporary inflatable buoys or fixed buoys between Capitola and Natural Bridges and within approximately three miles from the Walton Lighthouse on the Santa Cruz Harbor west jetty.

7. Prizes

- 7.1 Prizes will be awarded at the discretion of the race committee.
- 7.2 In addition, the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society will award prizes to the teams and/or individuals who raise the most money for their charity.

8. Berthing

8.1 Berthing will be available for out-of-town boats.

9. Disclaimer of Liability

9.1 Competitors participate in the Regatta entirely at their own risk. Neither the organization authority nor the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during or after the regatta.