

SANTA CRUZ YACHT CLUB



NOTICE OF RACE

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# 2016-2017 SCYC MIDWINTER SERIES

# NOVEMBER 19, DECEMBER 17, 2016 AND JANUARY 21, FEBRUARY 18, AND MARCH 18, 2017

#### 1. Rules

- 1.1 The series 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 much wear a PFD while racing and on deck.

#### 2. Eligibility and Divisions

- 2.1 This series is open to any boat holding a valid Monterey Bay PHRF certificate and the 505 dingy class.
- 2.2 There will be spinnaker and non-spinnaker PHRF divisions, a double-handed division and a multihull division. PHRF divisions will be posted at the competitors' meeting on November 19, 2016. Double-handed division shall have exactly two persons on board. PHRF divisions shall have a minimum of two persons on board.

#### 3. Fees and Entry

- 3.1 The entry fee: \$90 due prior to 1800 November 18, 2016. All times are local time.
- 3.2 Late entry fee: \$120 accepted up to 0930 hours on November 19, 2016.
- 3.3 Registration can only be made on-line at the event web site listed at http://scyc.org/racing
- 3.4 Boats may enter races on a daily basis for a fee of \$30 paid online to SCYC prior to 1000 hours on the day of racing. Boats who enter daily will not be eligible for series prizes unless they enter every day.

#### 4. Schedules

- 4.1 A competitors' meeting will be held at 1000 hours on November 19, 2016 at the SCYC clubhouse.
- 4.2 The scheduled time of the first warning signal is 1155 hours each race day.
- 4.3 Fifteen races are scheduled. Three races are scheduled each race day.
- 4.4 Three races will constitute a series.
- 4.5 There will be an awards ceremony at the SCYC clubhouse for daily prizes each race day immediately after racing, and a final awards ceremony at the SCYC clubhouse following racing on March 18th.

#### 5. Sailing Instructions

The Sailing Instructions will be available at the competitors' meeting and may be posted earlier online.

#### 6. Venue

Racing will be around temporary inflatable buoys or fixed buoys between Capitola and Natural Bridges in an area approximately three miles from the Walton Lighthouse on the Santa Cruz Harbor west jetty.

## 8. Prizes

Boats entered in classes with three (3) or more entries in the regatta are eligible for prizes and/or the Champion of Champions Regatta. Prizes will be given at the discretion of the organizing authority.

## 9. Further Information

For further information, please contact SCYC at (831) 425-0690 or info@scyc.org