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WELLINGTON REGATTA

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SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1. RULES

This regatta will be governed by the: USCG "Navigation Rules, International-Inland" 050-012-001922-8; *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) 2017-2020, including the prescriptions of US Sailing, the rules of PHRF San Diego, and by these sailing instructions.

Racing rules 44.1 and A2.1 will be changed as follows:

- RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.
- RRS A2.1. The first sentence of that paragraph is changed by deleting "excluding her worst score" and replacing it with "no score will be excluded."

2. ENTRIES

- 2.1 This regatta is open to members of all yacht clubs and sailing associations recognized by US Sailing.
- 2.2 Competitors shall enter at www.coronadoyc.org/racing.
- 2.3 The three classes are:
Class 1: PHRF SD Rating of 113 or less
Class 2: PHRF SD Rating of 114 or more
Class 3: CYC Handicap Rating
- 2.4 Check-in on starboard tack, sailing past the stern of the Race Committee (RIC) boat. R/C will provide the VHF radio channel they will monitor at check in.

3. NOTICE OF COMPETITORS

- 3.1 Notices to competitors will be posted on the Official Notice Board located on the clubhouse porch and on www.coronadoyc.org/racing

4. CHANGES IN SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted on www.coronadoyc.org/racing before 1030 on the day that it will take effect, and will be available at the CYC Office and from the RC boat.

5. SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

Signals made ashore will be displayed from the CYC clubhouse flag hoist.

6. SCHEDULE OF RACES

Three races are scheduled, ONE of which is required to constitute a regatta. There will be NO throw outs.

| Race | Day |
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| 1 | Saturday | First Warning 1155 |
| 2 | Saturday | After race 1 |
| 3 | Saturday | After race 2 |

7. RACE AREA

The race area is south San Diego Bay, usually windward of government buoy 30.

8. THE COURSE

8.1 See attachment A

9. MARKS

9.1 Marks will be orange tetrahedrons.

10. THE START

10.1 Races will be started in accordance with RRS 26.

10.2 Class Flag Assignment

| Class | Flag |
|-------|---------------|
| 1 | Pennant One |
| 2 | Pennant Two |
| 3 | Pennant Three |

10.3 Magnetic course to first mark and course number will be displayed on the R/C boat.

10.4 The port end of the starting line is an orange pin. The starboard end is marked by an orange flag on the committee boat.

10.5 Boats making contact with the RC boat may be grounds for disqualification by the RC without a hearing. An inflatable buoy or pin boat may be streaming from the stern of the RC boat in which case it shall be considered part of the RC boat.

11. RECALLS

11.1 Individual recalls will be signaled in accordance with RRS 29. The sound signal will be a horn. The Race Committee will attempt to hail OCS starters by bullhorn and VHF, but failure to hear said notification shall not lead to a successful redress request.

12. MARK SET BOATS

Mark set boats are identified with a RC flag. A Mark boat may be stationed near the pin end of the start/finish line and is authorized to identify and hail OCS starters, and record finishers. Mark boats are to be considered "obstructions", even if not anchored. Keep clear.

13. THE FINISH

13.1 The finish line will be between the orange flag on the portside of the Committee boat and a pin with an orange flag at the port end of the line.

14. TIME LIMIT

The time limit for the first boat of each class will be 1 hour after the start for the class. Boats failing to finish within 10 minutes after the first boat of their class finishes will be scored DNF.

15. PENALTIES

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

16. PROTESTS

16.2 Boats shall inform the committee boat of their protest.

- 16.3 Protests shall be written on US Sailing forms available at the Coronado Yacht Club office and lodged there with office personnel, within one hour of the docking of the Race Committee boat.
- 16.4 Protest notices will be posted on the Official Notice Board within 30 minutes after the protest time limit has expired to inform competitors of when and where there may be hearings that involve them as parties to protests or as witnesses.
- 16.5 Either of two protest resolution procedures may be followed, at the election of the parties. The first procedure is non-appealable arbitration, agreed to by the several parties, consisting of one judge, the protestee(s) and the protestor(s). After a valid protest is lodged there will be pre-hearing arbitration involving the principles as above. When the facts of the incident can be determined and agreed to by the skippers involved, the Arbitration Judge shall determine the rule(s) infringed as applicable. The Arbitration judge may then determine an appropriate penalty (up to 3 places or disqualification) for the infringing boat, or appropriate redress for the infringed boat, or forward the protest to the Protest Committee for a regular hearing per RRS 63 if not acceptable to skippers involved. Pre-Hearing Arbitration rulings once accepted cannot be appealed, and Arbitration penalty assessments are final and not subject to protest redress per RRS70.
- 16.6 The second procedure is a Protest Committee hearing within the meaning of RRS Park 5, Section B, and in general will be heard as soon as possible. Penalties may include but are not limited to "Place Penalty Assessments" (3 places minimum) as appropriate for the infraction.
- 16.7 Protest Committee decisions affecting regatta trophy awards are final.

17. SCORING

- 17.1 The Low Point scoring system, appendix A of the RRS, will apply, except rule A2.1 shall be modified: RRS A2.1. The first sentence of that paragraph is changed by deleting "excluding her worst score" and replacing it with "no score will be excluded."
- 17.2 Three races are scheduled. One race must be completed to constitute a regatta.
- 17.3 A boat that self disqualifies (retires) shall be scored one less than disqualification by verdict.

18. RETIREMENT

A boat that retires from a race is requested to notify the race committee before leaving the racing area or, if that is not practical, immediately after arriving ashore.

19. COURSES

Courses: All marks are to be left to port.

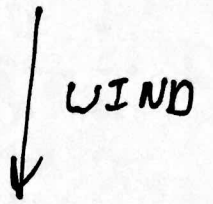
Course 1: Start > A > Finish

Course 2: Start > A > C > A > Finish

Course 3: Start > A > B > Finish

Course 4: Start > A > B > C > A > B > Finish

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