

Notice of Race

JOHN LARSON MEMORIAL RACE



Saturday, August 11, 2018
Channel Islands Yacht Club
4100 S Harbor Blvd., Oxnard, CA 93035

RULES: This race will be governed by the rules as defined in the current *Racing Rules of Sailing*, Sailing Instructions (SIs), and SoCal PHRF or ORCA rating rules, and applicable class association rules.

CLASSES: Spinnaker class is open to all boats with current PHRF ratings; nonspinnaker class is open to any boat at least 20 feet; multihull class is open to those with current ORCA ratings. If a current PHRF or ORCA rating is not available, the Race Committee (RC) may assign a rating for purposes of this race only.

RACE ENTRY & FEES: Online race entry and payment of entry fees at RegattaNetwork.com is strongly encouraged. Boat skippers may opt to pay their fees in person just prior to the Skippers Meeting. Entry fees are \$30 for USSA members and \$35 for non members.

SCHEDULE: Saturday, August 11, 2018: Onsite Registration & mandatory Skippers Meeting at 0900 at CIYC. This will be a Pursuit Race, ie, the boat with the highest handicap rating (theoretically, the slowest boat) will start first at 1130. Class breaks and individual start times will be established at the Skippers Meeting based on the handicap ratings of all race entries.

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS: The Sailing Instructions (SIs) and courses will be available at the Skippers Meeting and posted online (CIYC.com and RegattaNetwork.com) in advance. The race start and finish line will be between Channel Islands Harbor markers #1 and #2. Course distance options are 7.9 and 13.2 nm.

HOSPITALITY: Light breakfast items will be served prior to the Skipper's Meeting. At CIYC after racing, toasts to John, burgers and fixins' will be hosted by Betty Larson and Deborah (Larson) Tyhurst.

PRIZES: Individual prizes will be awarded at CIYC after racing. The John Larson Memorial Perpetual Trophy will be engraved to acknowledge the overall winner and kept at CIYC.

INSURANCE: Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance. Competitors participate in the race entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury, nor death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the regatta.

FURTHER INFORMATION: Channel Islands Yacht Club: 805.985.2492; Event Chair & PRO: Jane Thomas, 415.518.4046, Sunglade@prodigy.net.