



Dana Point Yacht Club

Year End Regatta

December 8, 2018

Notice of Race & General Instructions

1. ORGANIZING AUTHORITY / MANAGEMENT – The organizing authority for this race event is the Dana Point Yacht Club. The Dana Point Yacht Club Race Committee will manage this race and shall have sole authority to interpret rules and conditions of the race, appoint a protest committee, and accept or reject the entry of any boat.

RULES – This race event shall be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the prescriptions of US Sailing, US Sailing Equipment Requirements (USSER) for a nearshore race, the rules of the Performance Handicap Racing Fleet of Southern California (PHRF).

1.1 US Sailing prescriptions to RRS 2017-2020 will apply.

1.2 USSER 3.8.2 is changed in that the DSC/GPS capabilities for the handheld VHF radio is waived. All other requirements of USSER 3.8.2 still apply. This modifies USSER 3.8.2.

2. ELIGIBILITY – This race event is open to entrants who are members in good standing of a yacht club or organizations recognized by US Sailing or SCYA.

2.1 All boats must conform to USCG and US Sailing requirements.

2.2 All PHRF Spinnaker and Non-Spinnaker boats must have a valid current PHRF rating certificate on file with PHRF-SoCal or present a copy of the certificate with this entry.

3. CLASSES – Class breaks will be based on the type and number of entries and will be handed out at the skipper's meeting along with the order of start.

3.1 Anticipated classes are PHRF A, PHRF B, and Non-Spinnaker.

3.2 PHRF Area E Random Leg Ratings will be used.

3.3 One-design classes may be established with a minimum of five boats required.

3.4 No skipper may change their class designation after 0900 on the day of the race.

4. ENTRIES – A completed [Entry Form](#) and Entry Fee MUST be received by 2000 hours, Friday, December 7, 2018. At the discretion of the race committee, entries may be accepted after that time as a late entry. All sections on the entry form must be filled in or the form is considered incomplete.

5. FEES – The Entry Fee is \$35.00.

6. COURSES AND STARTS – One race is scheduled. The Race Committee will select the course from the Dana Point Race Chart which will be handed out at the skippers meeting.

7. SKIPPERS MEETING – A Skippers' meeting will be held at 0930 on Saturday, December 8, 2018 at Dana Point Yacht Club. All necessary information will be available and will include the Sailing Instructions, any supplemental instructions, and the Dana Point Race Chart.

8. NOTICES – Notices to competitors including any changes will be posted on the Official Regatta Notice Board on the second floor of the DPYC clubhouse no later than 45 minutes after the end of the skippers' meeting. Notices may also be posted on the Events Board at the front door of DPYC.

9. SCORING – The race will be scored using the Low Point Scoring System, RRS/US Appendix A, except as may be modified by the Sailing Instructions.

10. TROPHIES - Individual trophies will be presented as soon as possible racing concludes for the day.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION regarding this regatta, contact:

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