



# Seal Beach Yacht Club

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## POINT FERMIN RACE

August 24, 2019

### NOTICE OF RACE

**Rules:** This regatta will be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing, the rules of the classes sailing, the Sailing Instructions and this Notice of Race. Double headsails for non-spinnaker classes and non-spinnaker boats in spinnaker classes are allowed.

**Eligibility:** This regatta is open to members of SCYA recognized Yacht Clubs and Sailing Associations, and to any One Design Fleet which establishes a class. YACHTS RACING IN PHRF CLASSES MUST HAVE A CURRENT PHRF RATING. PHRF Area "C" RLC ratings will be used for scoring. The following classes are invited to participate: PHRF: Spinnaker and Non/Spin, plus any One Design fleet that establishes a class. Four (4) or more entries establish a class.

**Entries:** Entries may be on the form below and must be accompanied by a check for the amount of the entry fee made payable to Seal Beach Yacht Club or you may enter online at: <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/19512>. Paper entries may be mailed to RACE CHAIRMAN, Seal Beach Yacht Club, 255 Marina Drive, Long Beach, CA 90803 or placed in the Race Entry Box at the Seal Beach Yacht Club. All entries must be received by 1200 on August 24, 2019.

**Entry Fee:** Entry fee is \$25.00 if submitted by August 21, 2019 and \$35.00 if submitted on or after August 22, 2019.

**Class Breaks, Starting Order and First Warning:** Established classes, starting order, and PHRF class breaks will be posted at the Club by 1800, August 23, 2019. First warning will be at 1525 on August 24th.

**Sailing Instructions:** Shall be posted no later than 1800 August 24, 2019.

**Course:** The race will begin near mark 38, take the L.A. entrance (Mark 50) to port (exit Angels Gate), Point Fermin Buoy to port, east end of the Long Beach breakwater to port, "A" Buoy at entrance to Alamitos Bay to port (if the "A" Buoy is missing, the last mark of the course and the beginning of the continuous obstruction will be the first center of channel buoy) and finish in Alamitos Bay between the Navy Yacht Club and the 5 mile per hour buoy near the fuel dock. When entering the channel, the head of the spinnaker or second headsail shall be on or below deck level before the yacht's bow crosses between the **ENTRANCE LIGHTS** to the Alamitos Bay jetty. A straight line connecting adjacent channel marker buoys within the Alamitos Bay jetty shall be considered a continuous obstruction in accordance with Racing Rule 19.2. **NO YACHT MAY CROSS SAID LINE.** Handicap distance is 18.4 mi.

**Alternate Shorter Course:** If course is shortened, code flag B will be displayed, that course is: Take Los Angeles entrance (Mark 50) to port, East End Long Beach Breakwater (Mark 10) to port, "A" Buoy at entrance to Alamitos Bay to port (if the "A" Buoy is missing, the last mark of the course and the beginning of the continuous obstruction will be the first center of channel buoy), finish same as long course. Course length will be 13.8 mi.

**Time Limit:** The race shall be called at 2000. A yacht finishing prior to 2000 shall establish the race for its class. No yachts will be finished after 2000.

**Protests:** See the Sailing Instructions.

**Trophies:** Night Point Fermin Race trophies will be presented at Seal Beach Yacht Club on Thursday evening, August 29<sup>th</sup> after that night's Pop Tops race. The number of trophies for this race will be based on the number of yachts entered in each class by 1800 August 17, 2019: 1- 4 boats (1); 5-8 boats (2); 9-11 boats (3); 12-14 boats (4); 15 or more boats (5). Trophies not claimed within 60 days shall remain the property of Seal Beach Yacht Club.

**Contacts: Bob Hubbard (562) 544-4211 or Terry Hanna (714) 840-2383**

Enter my yacht in the: Point Fermin Race Entry Fee Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Skipper's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Yacht Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sail#: \_\_\_\_\_

Boat Type: \_\_\_\_\_ PHRF Area C RLC Rating: \_\_\_\_\_

Yacht Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Class (Circle One): SPIN N/S 1-DESIGN

1. RATING: I certify that the PHRF rating entered hereon is valid and that I will sail in accordance with this rating.
2. RULES & REGULATIONS: I agree to be governed by the rules as defined in the current R.R.S. and regulations of the US Coast Guard.
3. YACHT'S CONDITION: I represent that my yacht is in good condition, seaworthy, and that it fully complies with all the equipment rules and regulations of the US Coast Guard, US Sailing, PHRF and Fleet.
4. CONDITION OF RACING. I acknowledge that I am entering the race at my own risk and that it is my sole and exclusive responsibility to decide whether to start or continue to race.
5. ASSUMPTION OF RISK: There are risks inherent in the sport of yacht racing, and I fully assume all risks, including personal injury or death to myself and/or my crew, loss or damage to my yacht and its equipment, as well as any unforeseen risks.
6. WAIVER, RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION: To the fullest extent permitted by law, I waive all claims, forever release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless Seal Beach Yacht Club (SIBYC), its owners, affiliates, officers, directors, members, employees, agents, committee persons, and race officials, acting in their official capacities, both jointly and severally from any and all damages, injury, liability, loss, cost or expense, including attorney fees, to any persons and/or property arising from my or my crew's actions and/or participation in the race, including SIBYC's active or passive regular negligence, but not willful misconduct or gross negligence.
7. ASSISTANCE: Any assistance provided by SIBYC race committee vessels and personnel will be at the risk of the participants.
8. PHOTO RELEASE: I hereby grant to SIBYC and its representatives the right to take photographs and videos of me and/or my boat in connection with this regatta. I authorize SIBYC to copyright, use and publish these images in print and/or electronically.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Res. Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_