



MPYC Tune-up Race
8 March 2020
Monterey Peninsula Yacht Club
Monterey, CA

Tune-up Race Perpetual
Plaque

NOTICE OF RACE: 8 MARCH 2020

1. BACKGROUND

1.1 The first race of the year, traditional held in mid-February. Conceived by T. Arnold Smith in 1967, the race is designed as a shakedown race to prepare for the new racing season.

1.2 For purposes of the 2020 Tune-Up Race only, the race will be held in conjunction with the Shields Bob Furney Memorial Race.

2. RULES

2.1 The race will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 The regatta is open to boats owned by MPYC members.

3.2 Entries shall be made online, using the MPYC Regatta Network portal at [MPYC Race Registration](#).

3.3 Entries must be submitted as specified in the MPYC Regatta Network registration portal.

4. FEES

4.1 Entry fees are specified in the MPYC Regatta Network race registration portal.

5. BOATS

5.1 The regatta will be sailed in the Shields and Santana 22 One Design Classes, as well as in MPYC PHRF A and PHRF B divisions.

5.2 Boats in the PHRF divisions shall have submitted to the MPYC Race Committee valid PHRF certificates issued by the Monterey Bay PHRF Committee.

6. SCHEDULE

6.1 Warning signal: 1255 on 8 March 2020

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

7.1 The 2020 MPYC Sailing Instructions will apply.

7.2 All competing boats shall perform a man-overboard procedure appropriate for the boat's size and speed. The practice could take place either before the first warning signal, or after the start of the race, but before the boat crosses the finish line. All procedures shall consist of marking and returning to a position on the water, and

demonstrating a method of hoisting a crew member back on deck, or other consistent means of reboarding the crew member. This requirement will be in accordance with MPYC Sailing Instruction 14.9.

8. **COURSE**

8.1 The starting area will be in the vicinity of G-buoy.

5.3 All Tune-Up race competitors shall pass Lovers Point to port and round Point Pinos to port with a downwind finish taking the MPYC F buoy to port.

9. **SCORING**

9.1 Scoring will be in accordance with the 2020 MPYC Sailing Instructions.

10. **PRIZES**

10.1 The names of the first place finishers in each class will be inscribed on the Tune-up race perpetual plaque.

11. **DISCLAIMER AND LIABILITY**

11.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.