



2020 FIRECRACKER TO MONTEREY REGATTA



JULY 4, 2020

SANTA CRUZ YACHT CLUB SANTA CRUZ, CA

NOTICE OF RACE

1. Rules

- 1.1. The Regatta will be governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2. The first sentence of RRS 40 is changed so that competitors shall comply with the obligations of RRS 40 whether or not signaled by the race committee.

2. Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats holding a valid 2019/20 Monterey Bay PHRF rating.
- 2.2 One-Design boats are invited to participate as a class. If five boats of a single type register, they will form a class.
- 2.3 Boats may enter one of the following Divisions:
 - A Fleet** with spinnaker (PHRF 89 and lower)
 - B Fleet** with spinnaker (PHRF 90 and higher)
 - Jib and Main** (PHRF 180 and lower)
 - Jib and Main** (PHRF 181 and higher)The Organizing Authority reserves the right to modify the Divisions based upon entries received.
- 2.4 Eligible boats may only enter on-line at SCYC.org before 0900 hours, July 4, 2020.
- 2.5. A completed and accurate Float Plan, as issued with the Notice of Race, must be submitted prior to 0900 hours on July 4, 2020.
- 2.6. The Organizing Authority reserves the right to reject an entry based on its sole opinion of the seaworthiness of the boat for near shore competition where rescue may be delayed.

3. Fees

- 3.1 The entry fee is \$35 payable on line at scyc.org.

4. Schedule of Races and Class Flags

- 4.1 A competitor's meeting is scheduled for 0800 hours Friday via Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3212178018?pwd=RXluYnR5VmxudGhyQ040VmK5MGdKdz09>
- 4.2 There will be one race.
- 4.3 The warning signal will be 12:55 hours.
- 4.4 Spinnaker -Foxtrot
- 4.5 Jib and Main -Delta

5. Sailing Instructions

- 5.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available on line no later than July 3rd at 20:00 hours.

6. The Courses

- 6.1 The Race will start in Santa Cruz near the **Start** buoy approx. **36 57.06N 121 59.64W**, leave **Schuyler** approx., **36 56.87N 122 01.27W** to port and proceed to "F" mark approx., **36 36.42N 121 53.19W** in Monterey.

7. Further information

- 7.1 Recommended safety equipment, berthing information and post race activities will be found in Appendix 1.
- 7.2 For further information contact regatta@scyc.org or Stefan Berlinski at coqavin@att.net the Principal Race Officer (Mobile phone 831 325-6215)

8. Prizes

- 8.1 Prizes will be awarded to each Division for first place and additional places based upon the number of entries at the discretion of the organizing authority. Awards will be at the SCYC clubhouse after racing on Sunday.
- 8.2 Boats entered in divisions with three (3) or more entries in the regatta are eligible for the Champion of Champions Regatta.