



KELLEY Los Coronados Race

Saturday, August 4, 2012

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1. **Rules.** This regatta will be governed by the: USCG “*Navigation Rules, International Inland*”; *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) 2009-2012, and these sailing instructions. Racing boats encountering non-racing boats shall conform to “*Navigation Rules, International-Inland*”.
 - 1.1 Violations of RRS Part 2 shall be cured by a single 360 degree turn. This modifies RRS 44.
 - 1.2 The course will be **Random Leg** as defined by PHRF. Classes 1 and 2 will use PHRF-SD Random Leg ratings. Class 3 competitors will use Coronado Handicap ratings. All three fleets may or may not elect to use spinnaker, **BUT MUST DECLARE THEIR INTENTION TO DO SO BY CHECK-IN AT THE R/C BOAT ON RACE DAY.**
2. **Entry.** Entry will be open to members of all yacht clubs and sailing associations recognized by US Sailing.
 - 2.1 PHRF Ratings & CYC Handicaps will be available on the racing page of the CYC website.
 - 2.2 **This year we are not required to report to the Customs Dock, south end of Shelter Island, unless we touch land, receive goods from another vessel, or get in contact with a hovering aircraft.**
 - 2.3 There are **three classes**.
Class 1.....PHRF RLC Rating of 113 or less, fly pennant 1.
Class 2.....PHRF RLC Rating of 114 or greater, fly pennant 2.
Class 3... ..Coronado Handicap Ratings, fly pennant 3.
- 2.5 Entry shall be thru www.coronadoyc.org, “racing” button, and must be completed prior to 0830, 4 August. There is no fee.
3. **Notices to Competitors.** Any notices will be posted on a notice board on the clubhouse porch.
4. **Changes in Sailing Instructions.** Any change to these instructions will be posted by 0900 on race day, or available from the R/C boat.
5. **Schedule of Races.** An **1140 WARNING** is planned for Class 3. Three sequential Rule 26 starts will be accomplished, Class 3, then 2, then 1.
 - 5.1 In case of postponement. The Class 3 Warning will be one minute after the removal of the postpone flag with Multiple horns. Clarification of start time will be broadcasted on VHF 69 from the RC boat.
 - 5.2 In case of OCS or General Recall, boats over the start line early will receive an X Flag and a horn, and the number of seconds early will be recorded. A time penalty of ten times the number of seconds early will be applied by the scorer. **No restart.**
- 5.3 **The tide will be high at approximately 1139.**

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6.0 The Course.

6.1 PLYC/CVYC are conducting their annual 2 handed Los Coronados Race, beginning at 1100 at SD9. CYC will start our race after PLYC finishes starting its 6 classes.

6.2 The course length will be 32 nautical miles

6.3 The order of race will be:

(1) Start...on a line between the R/C boat and SD 9, SD 9 to port.

(2) North Coronado Island to PORT

(3) **Finish...crossing the western extension of the line between SD9 and SD10, the former start line, northbound, SD 9 to starboard. Take your own GPS time to 6 digits. Call in your time to 619-920-6661, and fill out the attached form and put it in the CYC office mail slot.**

7. Recalls. There will be no Individual recalls. This modifies RRS 29.1. See para 5.2

8. Time Limit. There will be no time limit.

9. Protests

9.1 Intention to protest should be conveyed in accordance with the RRS. Any protest will be written on forms available at the club office and lodged there no more than three hours after the time of the protesting yacht's finish. Boats not docking at CYC may notify the Race Committee by calling 619-920-6661, within 30 minutes of docking and declare intent to bring protest form to the Race Committee at an agreed upon time.

9.2 Arbitration involving only one judge, the protestor and the protestee, if mutually agreed may be used in lieu of a formal protest hearing.

9.3 Protests will be heard beginning at 1900 on the Tuesday that follows the race.

10. Scoring

10.1 The Low Point Scoring System, RRS A4, will be used.

10.2 The Scoring System is amended as follows:

10.3 A boat that finishes and thereafter retires (RET) will be scored points equal to the number of boats that started or ranked as starters.

11. Retirement

A yacht that retires from a race is requested to notify the race committee by calling 619-920-6661 prior to leaving the area or, if that is not possible, immediately after arriving ashore.