



## Open 5.70

### Santa Cruz Regatta

Saturday September 21-22, 2013

### Santa Cruz Yacht Club

244 Fourth Ave. Santa Cruz,  
California

## Notice of Race

### 1. Rules

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2. Racing rule 40 will be changed to require competitors wear a personal flotation device while racing.
- 1.3. The regatta will be held under the Open 5.70 Class Rules available here:  
<http://www.open570usa.com/docs/Open570ClassRules.pdf>

### 2. Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1. The regatta is open to all class legal Open 5.70 boats.
- 2.2. Eligible boats may only enter on-line at SCYC.org or at the event web site at:  
<http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/7220> before 1000 hours, September 21<sup>st</sup>.

### 3. Fees

- 3.1. The regular entry fee is \$60. For all entries received after 1200 hours on September 18<sup>th</sup> a late entry penalty of \$40 will apply, making the total for late entry \$100.
- 3.2. Entry includes berthing in Santa Cruz Harbor on Saturday evening.
- 3.3. Entry does NOT include parking at Santa Cruz Harbor for cars and trailers, a modest fee will be charged by the Harbor upon entry to the parking lot.

### 4. Schedule

- 4.1. Saturday, September 21<sup>st</sup>
  - 4.1.1. There will be a competitors' briefing at the SCYC Clubhouse at 1100 hours.
  - 4.1.2. The Open 5.70 division shall start after the SCYC One-Design Fleets. First warning signal is scheduled for 1255 hours.
  - 4.1.3. Three (3) races are scheduled.
  - 4.1.4. Appetizers at the SCYC Clubhouse after racing.
- 4.2. Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>
  - 4.2.1. Two races are scheduled. One windward/leeward and one bay tour.
  - 4.2.2. Trophy Presentation as soon as practical after racing at SCYC.
  - 4.2.3. The Open 5.70 division shall start its first race prior to the SCYC Jack-n-Jill race. First warning signal is scheduled for 1240 hours.

### 5. Sailing Instructions

- 5.1. The Sailing Instructions will be available on-line and at the competitor's briefing.

## **6. Venue & Courses**

- 6.1. The venue is the Monterey Bay within four (4) miles of Walton Lighthouse at Santa Cruz Harbor.
- 6.2. Courses shall be Windward/Leeward around inflatable set marks and a Monterey Bay Tour course around fixed marks.

## **7. Prizes**

- 7.1. Prizes will be awarded based upon the number of regular entries.

## **8. Disclaimer of Liability**

- 8.1. Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race.
- 8.2. The race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or the injury to any competitor, including death, sustained as a result of participation in this event. By participating in this event, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

## **9. Further Information**

- 9.1. For further information contact [regatta@scyc.org](mailto:regatta@scyc.org)