



REGATTA FOR HOPE

to benefit City of Hope

**Open to PHRF, Catalina 42s, Capri 22, Martin 242, J80,
OneDesign, ORCA & Cruiser/Novice Classes**

Sunday, October 4, 2015

DEL REY YACHT CLUB

**13900 Palawan Way
Marina del Rey, California
and**

SANTA MONICA WINDJAMMERS YACHT CLUB

**13589 Mindanao Way
Marina del Rey, California**

NOTICE OF RACE

DRYC and SMWYC invite all sailors to participate in the "Regatta for Hope." All donations go to City of Hope and may be tax deductible. Racers and Cruisers are encouraged to sail in this event and to invite family and guests for the adventure. **Membership in a recognized Yacht Club is not a requirement for this Regatta.** Boats without a PHRF Certificate will be entered in the Cruising Class.

The Regatta for Hope is designed as a fun race with elements of a slalom course with multiple marks and for both Racer and Cruiser/Novice classes. Boats may be asked to display a sponsor's banner.

RULES – The race will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*. The Organizing Authority for this Regatta is Del Rey Yacht Club.

ENTRIES – A suggested minimum donation of \$35.00 from the skipper and for each crew member. No additional entry fee. For more details, go to [dryc.org](http://www.dryc.org) or <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/10531> For Cruiser or Catalina 42 classes, first click <http://www.smwyc.info/pdf/coh-handicap-worksheet15.doc> There, you will find a file listing handicap offsets and instructions for the next step. **All entries (not fees) must be submitted on line at U.S. Sailing's Regatta Network** (see link above). PHRF handicaps will use PHRF RLC ratings. Boats may declare themselves to be a non-spinnaker for this event. If they do so, then spinnakers may not be used and non-spinnakers ratings will be used for scoring. The Catalina 42 class will race non-spinnaker. There will be no race entry fees accepted online. The cutoff time for entries is Saturday, October 3, 2015 at 1800 hours. Late entries may be accepted with the approval of the regatta chair.

STARTS, COURSE – 1st Warning Signal will be at 1255 hours at SS mark in the Marina del Rey Racing Circle. This will be a pursuit race (INVERTED START). Handicap course length is approximately 10-11 miles.

NOTICES – Sailing Instructions, start times, courses, signals, classes and any notices will be available on Sunday, October 4 at the "Mandatory Skippers Meeting" at DRYC. The meeting starts at 1000 hours. This meeting is also your official Check-in for the race. Sailing Instructions will be available at the DRYC website and Regatta Network the Friday prior to the race at 1800 hours. **Times for the Inverted Start Sequence will be given out at the Mandatory Skippers meeting.**

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PROTESTS – Will be heard on Tuesday, May 20, at 1900 hours in the DRYC Club.

TROPHIES – The boat raising the most money for City of Hope (by 1000 hours race day) will be awarded the Lois Yudovin Perpetual Trophy. Class trophies will be awarded for each class based upon entries.

TROPHY PRESENTATION and AFTER-PARTY – All racers, family and friends are invited to take part in the Trophy Presentations and the After-Race Hospitality in the SMWYC Bar area (non-host) and event Party.

REGATTA TEE SHIRTS – Will be available for sale during check-in.

INQUIRIES:

Regatta for Hope Catalina 42, Sponsorship, General or Observer seat questions:

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