

2016 ROSE BOWL REGATTA



US Sailing Center – Long Beach, CA – USC Varsity Sailing Team January 2-3, 2016

NOTICE OF RACE

1. HOST ORGANIZATION

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2. RULES

The regatta will be governed by the ICSA Procedural Rules (2013 - 2016), the ISSA Procedural Rules (as modified by the PCISA), the 2013-2016 Racing Rules of Sailing, the prescriptions of US SAILING (US Sailing prescriptions to rules 60, 63.2, 63.4 are deleted); the rules of the CFJ Class or PCCSC regarding Collegiate FJ's (except as any of these are altered by the Sailing Instructions, or the ICSA/ISSA/PCISA Procedural Rules); and by the Sailing Instructions.

3. FORMAT & ELIGIBILITY

College Fleet

One Team (A & B) CFJ Division may enter from each ICSA member school previously approved by the ICSA Interconference Regatta Coordinator. Total college fleet limit of 30 teams.

High School Fleets

High School will be sailed in two or three fleets Gold and Silver and possibly Bronze, each fleet with an A & B Division. If more than 70 High School Teams register by Dec. 11th, a Bronze Fleet will be added. The top 30 teams will be in Gold, the remaining High School Teams will be divided evenly into Silver and Bronze by the PCISA Committee/Board. Final Fleet allocation will be done by PCISA. Total high school fleet limit of 90 teams. Teams should enter as Gold or Silver as they have sailed earlier in the season or as guided by their coach. PCISA will segment Silver and Bronze as needed. The coach qualified to assess the teams placement should be identified (with contact information) in the online registration.

A and B divisions in ALL fleets will sail separately (i.e. College A then High School A - rotate boats - College B then High School B). College and HS Gold will be on one course. HS Silver and HS Bronze will be on a separate course.

4. BOATS & SAILS

College Fleet

Each team entered is responsible for providing one PCCSC legal CFJ for this event. Outside California schools will be provided a boat and sails by the host. **All College boats will be entered in a round robin format.**

High School Fleets

Each team is responsible for providing one class legal CFJ. Sails will be provided by the PCISA. **All High School** boats will be entered in a round robin format.

5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, January 2nd

0900 Report Time

1000 Registration Ends

1030 Skippers' Meeting

1100 Racing Begins

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1500 No Start After

1700 Dinner & College Sailing Forum

6. SKIPPERS' MEETING, SAILING INSTRUCTIONS & CHECK IN

All teams should check in at the registration table on the beach near or under a tent between the Belmont Pier and the Belmont Pool first thing Saturday morning. There will be a skippers' meeting at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, January 2nd, under or near the tent. Sailing Instructions and other documents will be posted on the official regatta notice board and on the event website. Paper copies will NOT be available. Check in will begin at 8:30am.

7. ENTRY

The online entry form must be completed by 5pm on December 11, 2015. Entry fees must be paid in full with the online entry and by the deadline. It is highly likely that late entries will not be accepted. Access the online entry system via: www.uscsailing.org; www.ussclb.org or www.pcisa.org.

8. ENTRY FEE

Entry fee is \$150.00 per team (College or High School). Entry fee is due with online registration by 5pm PDT on December 11, 2015. If a late entry is allowed, the entry fee will be \$175.00 for any registrations or entry fee payments made after 5pm PDT on December 11, 2015. The entry fee includes 5 dinners per team. Additional dinners are \$15.00 each and can be purchased via the online registration. We would prefer additional dinner reservations in advance, but we may accept dinner reservations until 10am on Saturday, January 2nd if not sold out.

9. SAILING AREA/LAUNCHING

The sailing area for all fleets will be in the Long Beach Harbor next to the Belmont Memorial Pier. There will be two race courses – one for College & High School Gold and one for High School Silver. From noon Friday, January 1st until dark on Sunday, January 3rd, trailers can be parked in the parking lot between the Belmont Memorial Pier and the Belmont Olympic Pool (at the end of Termino Ave.) and boats can be kept on dollies on the beach. There will be security at the beach after dark on Friday and Saturday nights.

10. PARTICIPATION

With the exception of RRS Rule 4, each school shall compete in all scheduled races or if unable to compete take care of their assigned boat. Any school breaking this rule, without permission of the Race Committee, is subject to severe disciplinary actions by the PCISA/ISSA/PCCSC/ICSA.

11. TROPHIES

Trophies will be awarded to teams placing 1st, 2nd, and 3rd in each fleet.

12. T – SHIRTS

T – Shirts will be available at a discounted \$13.00 each when **pre-ordered**, and **prepaid** by **December 18**th **via the online registration**. T-shirts will also be sold at the event for \$15.00.

13. COLLEGE SAILING FORUM

There will be a short presentation on Intercollegiate sailing following dinner on Saturday night. Students and parents interested in information about college sailing in general, or specific collegiate programs should plan to attend. All colleges should plan to be represented. Please read the 2016 Rose Bowl Regatta Important Information document for more details on the dinner.

14. HOUSING

We have arranged for a block of discounted rooms just a few minutes away at the Ayres Hotel in Seal Beach. Follow the link and enter the Group/Promo Code: USSC. Rooms should be priced at \$129/per night with the promotional code. This is a very nice hotel with pool and Jacuzzi plus included full breakfast each morning. The hotel is owned and operated by sailors! Website: http://www.ayreshotels.com/sealbeach/ Group/Promo Code: USSC

15. INFORMATION

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