



**2016 Laser Series
Notice of Race
Organizing Authority: Tahoe Yacht Club**

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 Rule 40 will be changed as follows: Competitors shall wear personal floatation devices, except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. Wet suits or dry suits are not personal floatation devices. Flag Y may or may not be displayed.
- 1.3 Except when violating the restricted start/finish line Sailing Instruction, rule 44.1 will be changed as follows: A boat may take a One-Turn Penalty as described in rule 44.2 when she may have broken a rule of part 2 while racing.

2 ADVERTISING

Advertising will be permitted subject to the World Sailing Regulation 20:
[http://www.sailing.org/tools/documents/Regulation20AdvertisingCode-\[9882\].pdf](http://www.sailing.org/tools/documents/Regulation20AdvertisingCode-[9882].pdf)

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 This is a one-design regatta open to class legal boats.
- 3.2 Laser Standard Rigs, Laser Radial Rigs, and Laser Picos are eligible.
- 3.3 Laser Standards and Laser Radials may select either rig for any race.
- 3.4 Three boats must be registered to qualify for a start.
- 3.5 The TYC will be using Regatta Network this year. Eligible boats may enter online at any time:
<http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/12663>

4 FEES

Full Laser Series including Spring & Summer - for TYC members	\$135
Full Laser Series including Spring & Summer - for non-members of TYC	\$275
Full Laser Series including Spring & Summer – for junior non-members	\$210
Spring or Summer Series—for TYC members	\$80
Spring or Summer Series—for non-members of TYC	\$170
Spring or Summer Series – for junior non-members	\$130
Drop-in Race - adult	\$25
Drop-in Race – junior	\$20
Full Laser Series including Spring & Summer – for PICO class only	\$0

5 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 Spring Series Mondays 5/30 through 7/11* First Warning 1800 hours
- Summer Series Mondays 7/18 through 8/29 First Warning 1800 hours
- * Note: Monday 7/4 race is rescheduled to Thursday 6/30 due to Holiday
- 5.2 Three races are scheduled each evening, although additional races may be run if conditions permit.

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available by May 15, 2016 on the Regatta Network Web site:
<http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/12663>

7 VENUE

- 7.1 The racing areas will be near Tahoe City between Dollar Point and Tahoe Tavern with the start off the US Coast Guard Station.
- 7.2 The courses will be around drop marks set by the race committee as described in the sailing instructions.

8 LAUNCHING AND BERTHING

Launching will be available at the Tahoe City Public Utility District launch ramp adjacent to the US Coast Guard station in Lake Forest, near Tahoe City. Boat storage on a Tahoe Yacht Club rack is available at same site for \$75 for the season or prorated for a shorter time period. To make arrangements, email General Manager of the Tahoe Yacht Club at gm@tahoeyc.com.

9 PRIZES

For each race night in the Series (Spring & Summer), will be awarded to a boat placing first, second, or third in each class provided there are at least five boats in such class. If there are fewer than five boats in a class, the number of prizes may be reduced for that class. The sponsors for this event are Jakes, Sunnyside, Moe's and Tahoe Yacht Club. Awards will be given each night at the sponsor's place of business. Location will rotate throughout the season and most sponsors provide for a free first drink!

10 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The Tahoe Yacht Club and any other organizing authority for the regatta will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

11 PHOTOGRAPHY

Each competitor grants to the Tahoe Yacht Club and its agents the non-exclusive right to make and publish as it chooses any photographs or videos of regatta events, including but not limited to images of crew members and boats.

12 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please call the Tahoe Yacht Club at 530.581.4700 or send email to Rick Raduziner, Laser Racing Chairman at raduziner@sbcglobal.net, or Andrew Casci, General Manager of the TYC at gm@tahoeyc.com.