



2016 Lady Driver Race



Ventura Yacht Club

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NOTICE of RACE

Ventura Yacht Club invites you to join us for the 2016 Lady Driver Race. This race will be the second phase of the Two Harbor Lady Series, co-hosted by Ventura and Channel Islands Yacht Clubs and the Channel Islands Women's Sailing Association. All boats must be driven at all times by ladies (except that short breaks are allowed; but a female must be on the helm at the start, finish and every mark rounding). Boats can have different lady drivers for different races and even in the same race. PHRF Area A random leg handicaps will be used. For boats without a valid handicap, the Race Committee will provide a temporary handicap for this series.

DATE: Saturday, Oct. 15, 2016

TIME: The warning signal for the first class is scheduled for 1055.

COURSE: Races will start at the Mandalay buoy. Courses will be provided with the Sailing Instructions.

CLASSES: There will be spinnaker and non-spinnaker classes.

LADY SERIES: Boats which race in both the Lady at the Helm Race on October 1st and this race will be eligible for special Two Harbors Lady Series trophies.

RULES: This race will be governed by the *rules* as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS), except as any of these are changed by the Sailing Instructions. The PHRF Marine Industry Racer (MIR) Rule is not in effect. All boats must conform to US Sailing Safety Equipment Requirements (UNSER) for a US Sailing Nearshore Race as modified by the Sailing Instructions.

SKIPPER'S MEETING: A Skipper's Meeting will be held at the Ventura Yacht Club promptly at 0830..

ENTRY: Competitors are urged to register online prior to race day. Go to www.venturayachtclub.org and follow the link (On the Water>Racing>Registration) to Regatta Networks. It's easy! Additional information, including Sailing Instructions will also be available there. The entry fee is \$30 and can be paid online. Entry deadline is 0830 on race day.

TROPHIES: Trophies for this race and for the Two Harbor Lady Series will be presented at the attitude adjustment period at Ventura Yacht Club following the race.

DISCLAIMER: Competitors participate in the race entirely at their own risk. Ventura Yacht Club will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the race. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.

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