



2017 West Marine Fun Regatta
September 9, 2017
Santa Cruz Yacht Club with West Marine
Santa Cruz, CA



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 The PFD referred to in RRS 40 must meet US Coast Guard Requirements and must be inherently buoyant with an attached whistle.
- 1.3 All boats shall have an attached floating line capable of towing the boat on the water (minimum - ¼ inch diameter, and 15 feet long).
- 1.4 All boats shall carry a bailer.

2 Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1 The Santa Cruz Yacht Club and Santa Cruz Junior Sailing Program, invite all intermediate and advanced youth sailors to this regatta. This regatta is open to El Toro Intermediate and Advanced, CFJ, Laser Radial, and Byte class boats.
- 2.2 Competitors (skippers and crews) born prior to January 1, 1999 are not eligible to participate.
- 2.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing the online entry form at:
https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet_registration_form.php?regatta_id=15342
- 2.4 When checking in Saturday, September 9, 2017 the participant and parent/guardian will also need to sign the wavier (Or bring a signed copy).
- 2.5 All classes must have at least 3 boats registered by September 1, 2017 at 1800 hours to get a start.

3 Fees

- 3.1 The entry fee for single-handed boat is \$20.00. The entry fee for double-handed boats is \$40.00.
- 3.2 The late entry fee for single-handed boats is \$30.00. The late entry fee for double-handed boats is \$50.00. Late fee applies to all entries received after 1800 hours September 5, 2017.
- 3.3 Registration includes: continental breakfast, lunch, dinner, a West Marine backpack with goodies.

4 Schedule

- 4.1 Saturday September 9, 2017
 - 0900-1000 Sailor Check-in, signed waivers required. Continental breakfast in the SCYC lower room.
 - 1030 Mandatory Competitors meeting and Group Photo at SCYC Clubhouse.
 - 1100 Boats launch
 - 1155 First warning signal
- 4.2 The Race Committee will start as many races as practicable each day.
- 4.3 No warning signal will be made after 1600 hours.

5 Sailing Instructions

- 5.1 Sailing instructions will be available at the registration desk no later than 0900 Saturday, September 9, 2017. They may be posted earlier on Regatta Network and the SCYC website www.scyc.org. Look under juniors.

6 Venue

- 6.1 Racing will be around temporary inflatable buoys within a 1.75-mile radius from the Santa Cruz Small Craft Harbor west jetty. Trapezoid or Windward-Leeward-Triangle courses will be used.
- 6.2 The regatta will be held off the Santa Cruz Beach by the Boardwalk in relatively open water that is typically in the mid 50 degree temperature range with typical wind in the 10-25 knot range. Competitors should dress appropriately. Wet suits or dry suits are strongly recommended.

7 Courses

- 7.1 A course diagram will be distributed with the sailing instructions.

8 Prizes

- 8.1 Prizes provided by West Marine. Prizes will be awarded for 1st through 3rd place.
- 8.2 An awards ceremony will take place at the clubhouse after racing.

9 Information

- 9.1 For additional information please contact:
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