

2018-2019 Island Fever Mid-Winter Series

South Beach Yacht Club San Francisco, CA NOTICE OF RACE

1. Rules

- a. This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- b. The Sailing Instructions will require competitors to wear personal floatation devices.

2. Eligibility and Entry

- a. The regatta is open to all boats that have a 2018 and/or 2019 Northern California PHRF certificate.
- b. Any boat without a certificate will be assigned a PHRF rating at the sole and unappealable discretion of the Race Committee.
- c. No changes will be made to PHRF after the start of the series.
- d. Eligible boats must enter and pay online at http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/17554. Only on-line entries and payments will be accepted. Deadline to register for the series without a late fee is November 14, 2018, 2359 hours.
- e. Changes to Divisions will not be made after November 17th.
- f. One design fleets will be made at the discretion of the Organizing Authority.

3. Fees

- a. Series: Entries received by November 14th will be \$100.
- b. Entries received after November 14th will be \$110.

4. Schedule of Races

- a. Dates of Racing: Series consists of 5 days of racing
 - i. 2018: 11/17, 12/15
 - ii. 2019: 1/19, 2/16, 3/16
- b. The scheduled time for the first Warning Signal is 1230 hours.
- c. Up to two (2) races may be held each day, conditions permitting.
- **5. Sailing Instructions.** The sailing instructions will be available no later than Thursday, November 15th at 1700 hours on the club website at www.southbeachyachtclub.org or http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/17554

6. Courses and Racing Area

- a. The races will be sailed in the waters of San Francisco Bay predominantly south of the Bay Bridge.
- b. Courses may use both fixed and temporary marks.
- c. Courses will be defined in the Sailing Instructions.

7. Scoring

- a. Two races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- b. When two to five races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores with no throw-outs allowed.
- c. When five or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- d. Time on time correction will be used; corrected times will be calculated to the nearest second.

8. Prizes

- a. Prizes to at least the first place winner in each division will be given after each day's racing.
- b. Prizes for first, second and third places for each division will be awarded at the end of the Series at a club-hosted reception.
- **9. Disclaimer of Liability.** Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority 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.
- **10. Further Information.** For further information, please contact Series Chair, R. Scott Hauser at racingatSBYC@gmail.com or using google voice at 415.952.0291.

Hospitality – Not part of the Notice of Race

Following each day of racing, Skippers, their crews and guest are invited to SBYC for presentation of that day's prizes, no-host cocktails, and food available for order from the menu. An awards celebration with light appetizers will follow the final race.