

Latham Bell Dinghy Challenge

JUNE 29, 2019

NOTICE OF RACE

The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the NOR means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

The Organizing Authority will be the Alamitos Bay Yacht Club, Long Beach, CA.

This regatta is a fundraiser for the ABYC Jr Program

1. RULES

- 1.1. This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2. This regatta will utilize a "pursuit" or reverse handicap start.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. This regatta is open to boats with a Portsmouth DPN handicap of 83.0 or greater and an OAL of 21 ft. or less, except Tempests and Solings will also be allowed.
- 2.2. Spinnakers will not be allowed.
- 2.3. Eligible boats may enter online by completing the on-line registration at Regatta Network or in person.
- 2.4. Online entries will be accepted until 1600 on the Friday immediately preceding the regatta; thereafter entries may only be made in person. In-person entries will be accepted until 0930 on regatta morning.

3. FEES

3.1. Entry fees are as follows:

All classes \$30

4. SCHEDULE

- 4.1. Registration will be open at 0900
- 4.2. A competitor's meeting will be held on the ABYC patio at 1030.
- 4.3. Starting times will be staggered according to handicap rating. A list of starting times and Sailing Instructions will be available at ABYC by 1900, June 28, 2019.
- 4.4. Number of races One race is scheduled
- 4.5. The scheduled time of the first warning is 1155.

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1. Sailing instructions will be available at registration and posted online at abyc.org

6. VENUE

6.1. Courses will be in Alamitos Bay.

7. COURSE

7.1. Courses will use the fixed marks in Alamitos Bay

8. SCORING

8.1. One (1) race constitutes a series.

9. PRIZES

9.1. Prizes will be awarded based on the number of entries.

10. LAUNCHING [DP]

10.1. Two hoists (maximum capacity 5,000 lbs.) and a dinghy ramp are available. Every boat using a hoist must have its own INTERNAL sling.

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12. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

12.1. Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 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.

13. PARKING AND STORAGE

- 13.1. Due to space limitations, vehicle parking on ABYC grounds is restricted. Off-street parking is available across the street in municipal lots. [DP]
- 13.2. The Regatta fee includes launching, recovery, and storage for visiting competing boats from the day prior to the event until the day following the event. If the event ends on a Sunday, this period is extended to the next day the club is open, as ABYC is closed on Monday and Tuesday. [DP]
- 13.3. Visiting competing boats may request extended storage IN ADVANCE by contacting the ABYC office. The cost is \$10.00 per day paid in advance. [DP]
- 13.4. Any boat or trailer found on ABYC property without prior written authorization from ABYC is subject to impound and associated fees. [DP]

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