





**RULES**: This event will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing. The prescriptions of USSA and the event Sailing Instructions shall apply. RRS Rule 82 will not apply to this event. This is a US Nearshore event with paragraph 3.8.2 modified to only require any type of VHF radio.

**ENTRIES:** Spinnaker classes are open to members of SCYA affiliated Yacht Clubs or Associations who hold a current PHRF rating certificate. Cruisers, Multihulls, Martin 242s, Vipers and other one design classes are invited; at least three entries will constitute a class. One Design and Multihull entries must fulfill the eligibility requirements of their class. Entrants shall complete the online entry process at <u>http://www.regattanetwork.com/html/calendar.php</u>. Registration can be performed at KHYC from 0900 until 1030 on race day.

<u>VENUE:</u> The race area will be per the current KHYC Race Mark Guide, the Sailing Instructions and the Course Chart will be available at regattanetwork.com and at the Registration Desk on Race Day.

**<u>DIVISIONS</u>**: PHRF class splits, using PHRF Area-B WL ratings, are as follows: A (118 and lower) - B (119 and higher). PHRF-V class is available for boats with WL ratings that are greater than 135 and have Performance Factors that are less than 1.76. This does not alter the rating protocol used to score this race.

**SCHEDULE OF RACES:** Three races, between about 2 and 7 NM each, are scheduled per the course chart for this event. One race will constitute the regatta. There will be no throw-outs.

**STARTS:** In the vicinity of S-mark. The start line will be between a flag on the port side of the RC boat and a flag, in the water, off the port side of the RC boat. The first warning will be at 1155. Subsequent class starts are at 5 minute intervals.

**<u>FINISH</u>**: The finish line will be between a flag on the starboard side of the RC boat and a flag, in the water, off the starboard side of the RC boat.

**<u>PENALTY SYSTEM</u>**: Rule 44.1 is changed so that the two turn penalty is replaced by the one turn penalty. Rule 44.3 will not apply.

**SCORING:** The Low Point scoring system of RRS Appendix A.4 will apply as a single race event. PHRF Area B RLC ratings will apply with TOT scoring for this race. Cruising Boats will be scored TOT using their PHRF ratings. The race committee will assign a cruiser rating if one is not available. Non-Spinnaker offsets will be applied to Cruiser and PHRF entries.

**TROPHIES:** Individual trophies will be awarded at KHYC following the race. The Lobster House (PHRF A) and the Brin Owen (PHRF B) perpetual trophies will be awarded at the KHYC annual awards event. PHRF V will be competing for their own perpetual if one is dedicated.

**FACILITIES:** All participants are welcome in the Club before and after the race. Post race hors d'oeuvres will be served. Participating boats are welcome to use the KHYC overnight guest dock and hoist facilities. Call the KHYC Office for inquiries concerning the Guest Dock.

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