

Saturday January 2nd, February 6th and March 6th, 2021

Notice of Race

1 RULES

- 1.1 This series will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- **1.2** Auto pilots/self-steering systems may not be used from a boat's Warning Signal to 5 minutes after her start, within the 'zone' of any rounding mark and approximately 5 minutes before her finish. This changes RRS 52.
- 1.3 An entry is allowed one spinnaker configuration change (from non-spin to spin or the reverse). Email notification must be sent to the Event Chairman, by the entry deadline for that race (see race SIs).
- **1.4** US Sailing Prescriptions to RRS 63.1 and 63.2 will not apply.
- **1.5** RRS 81, a US Sailing Prescription, will not apply.

2 ELIGIBILITY, ENTRY, DIVISIONS, and CLASSES

- 2.1 All double handed entries SHALL BE CREWED BY PEOPLE THAT LIVE UNDER THE SAME ROOF.
- **2.2** Entries and payments must be submitted at dryc.org no later than 1800 the day before each race.
- 2.3 The entry fee is \$20 per race. Entries that pay for the entire series by the race 1 entry deadline, will receive a \$10 series discount (contact Event Chairman).
- 2.4 There will be 2 divisions, PHRF and Cruising. These divisions will be divided into single and double handed classes. These classes may be further divided. The classes will be posted at dryc.org, promptly after the entry deadline for Race 1.
- 2.5 If the RC deems an entry unsuitable for the Cruising Division, it may be moved to the PHRFDivision.

3 SCHEDULE and COURSES

- 3.1 Each race will start in the vicinity of H Mark (see Marina del Rey Course Chart 17).
- 3.2 The following table lists the dates, scheduled warnings and longest course distance for each race. Race 1 has alternate shorter course for the PHRF Division (see individual race SIs).

Race	Date	Race	Scheduled First Warning	PHRF Dist. (nm)	Cruising Dist. (nm)
1	Jan 2	Malibu and Return	1155	22.5 <i>or</i> 13.1	13.1
2	Feb 6	Topanga Race	1155	13.1	13.1
3	Mar 6	Santa Monica Bay Race	1155	21.1	21.1

4 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions for each race will be available at dryc.org by 1800, the Monday before the race.

5 SCORING

- **5.1** Each race will be scored using PHRF Area B RLC ratings.
- 5.2 RRS A5.3 will apply. RRS A5.2 is changed so that A boat that came to the starting area but did not start, did not finish, did not sail the course, retired or was disqualified shall be scored 1 point more than the number of boats that came to the starting area. A boat that did not come to the starting area shall be scored 2 points more than the number of boats that came to the starting area.
- **5.3** For series scoring Singlehanded and Doublehanded classes will be scored separately within each division. If there is more than one single handed or double handed class within a division, those classes will be combined, to determine the class winner.
- 5.4 No scores will be excluded in the series scoring. This changes RRS A2.1

6 BERTHING & MOORING

Slips at DRYC may be provided on a first-come, first-served basis. Please email **info@dryc.org** at least 7 days before each race to reserve. Please include your contact info, and boat detail

7 PRIZES

- 7.1 There will be no pre or post-race gatherings at the DRYC. A post-race awards/virtual Happy Hour will be held at 5pm, the Sunday after each race. A Zoom link will be emailed to all entrants.
- 7.2 Race and series trophies will be awarded based on the number of entries in each class.

8 DISCLAMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in these races entirely at their own risk (see RRS 3). By participating in these races, each competitor and crew agrees to release the race organizers (organizing authority, host yacht club, race committee, protest committee, sponsors and any others acting in any official capacity for these races) from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

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