



**8. SAFETY EQUIPMENT**

- 8.1** Boats shall be equipped with safety equipment as required by current US Coast Guard requirements for the size of the yacht and the number of persons aboard.
- 8.2** Boats shall carry a “Lifesling” or similar throwable device.
- 8.3** Boats shall carry an auxiliary engine (inboard or outboard) with enough fuel to power the boat at least 15nm.
- 8.4** Boats shall be equipped with a Marine VHF trans/receiver capable of transmitting/receiving on Channels 16 and 68.

**9 LAUNCHING AND BERTHING**

- 9.1** SLTWYC has no association with the Tahoe Keys Marina. However, several members may provide dock or raft up space Saturday and Sunday night in the Tahoe Keys Marina. For access call or email Kurt Rasmussen 530.307.0903 or [rasmo@charter.net](mailto:rasmo@charter.net).
- 9.2** Boats requesting dock space may be assigned space in the HOA area of Tahoe Keys.

**10 ACQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES INSPECTION**

Boats coming to Lake Tahoe from elsewhere now require hot water wash and inspection for shellfish on their bottoms and in bilges. Several places near the Lake provide this service at a modest fee. Owners are cautioned to dry out bilges and all gear before inspection. For more information: [tahoebotinspections.com](http://tahoebotinspections.com).

**11 PRIZES**

Prizes will be awarded based on entries.

**12 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The Tahoe Yacht Club and any other organizing authority for the regatta 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 INSURANCE**

Participating boats shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance. Boat owners are solely responsible to ensure that such coverage is current and adequate.

**14 PHOTOGRAPHY**

Each competitor grants to the South Lake Tahoe Windjammers Yacht Club and its agents the non-exclusive right to make and publish as it chooses any photographs or videos of regatta events, including but not limited to images of crew members and boats.

**15 FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information or questions, please call or email Kurt Rasmussen at 530.307.0903 or [rasmo@charter.net](mailto:rasmo@charter.net).