

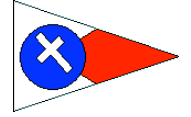
# NOTICE OF RACE

## 2021 Moore 24 Nationals

SANTA CRUZ YACHT CLUB

244 4TH AVENUE SANTA CRUZ, CA

May 7-9, 2021



### 1. Rules

1.1 The event will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.

### 2. Sailing Instructions

2.1 The sailing instructions [SIs] will be available before 1700 hours on May 1, 2021, online through Regatta Network [RN] event <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/22006>.

### 3. Communication

3.1 The online official notice board is located at the RN event URL above.

3.2 On the water, the race committee will make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on the VHF channel stated in the SIs.

### 4. Eligibility and Entry

4.1 Moore 24 boats that are current members of the Moore 24 Class Association may enter.

4.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the online entry form and submitting it with the required fee via the RN event URL.

4.3 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.

### 5. Fees

5.1 The entry fee is \$175/boat.

5.2 Registration and entry fees must be received no later than 2000 hours, Tuesday, May 4, 2021. Entries received after this date shall be subject to a \$100 additional late fee. The late can be waived at the discretion of the Class Governing Board.

5.3 Registration closes at 1000 hours on Friday, May 7, 2019.

### 6. Crew Limitations

6.1 Per Moore 24 Class Rule - "XIV. Crew Weight Limit" – all members of each crew shall report to a location and time designated in the SIs to comply with this requirement.

### 7. Schedule

7.1 Races will be held May 7 through May 9, 2021.

7.2 Seven (7) races are scheduled. At least 1 race will be a distance race.

7.3 The warning signal for the first race each day of racing shall not occur before 1100 hours.

7.4 On the last scheduled day of racing, no warning signal will be made after 1500 hours.

### 8. Equipment Inspection

8.1 Boats may be inspected at any time for compliance with the Moore 24 Class Rules.

8.2 Moore 24 Class Measurers will be available from 1500-1800 hours on May 6, 2021, for boats requiring measurement certificate updates or verifications.

## **9. Venue**

9.1 Racing will be around temporary inflatable buoys and fixed buoys in the north end of Monterey Bay. The racing area will be within a 3 mile radius of the Santa Cruz Small Craft Harbor west jetty.

9.2 Information will be posted on the RN event URL to indicate locations for trailer and car parking, dry storage, berthing, and a racing area chart with fixed mark locations.

## **10. Courses**

10.1 With the exception of the “distance race,” all courses will be variations of windward-leeward course configurations using marks set by the Race Committee. Specific courses and marks will be described in the SIs.

## **11. Penalty System**

11.1 RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

## **12. Scoring**

12.1 7.3 Three (3) races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

12.2 When three (3) or fewer races have been completed, a boat’s series score will be the total of her race scores.

12.3 Rule A5.3 applies.

## **14. Haul-out Restrictions**

14.1 Boats shall not be hauled out during the event except with and according to the terms of prior written permission of the race committee.

## **15. Risk Statement**

15.1 Rule 3 states: ‘The responsibility for a boat’s decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.’ By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in an increased risk of injury. **Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.**

## **16. Insurance**

16.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$300,000 per incident or the equivalent.

## **17. Further Information**

17.1 Please consult the RN event URL for additional information on accommodations, COVID 19 restrictions and protocols, etc. For additional information or questions, please contact Steve Bourdow, SC Fleet Captain, at [stevebourdow@gmail.com](mailto:stevebourdow@gmail.com).