

Hawaii Yacht Club

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Notice of Race Spring Pokai Race

Saturday & Sunday, August 21 & 22, 2021

Organizing Authority: Hawaii Yacht Club (HYC)

1. RULES

- 1.1. The race will be conducted according to The Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024, including the US Sailing Prescriptions, Hawaii Yacht Racing Association [HYRA] Prescriptions and HYC Standing Sailing Instructions for Offshore Races unless otherwise amended in this Notice of Race or the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2. The Racing Rules of Sailing [RRS] 51 and 52 are modified to allow the use of integrally designed Canting Ballast Twin Foil [CBTF] and water ballast technology.
- 1.3. RRS 52 is modified to allow the use of winches operated by using stored power.
- 1.4. RRS 55 is modified to add the following: "However, material used for banding sails may be discarded while setting sails".
- 2. ADVERTISING shall comply with ISAF Regulation 20. Competitor advertising will not be restricted.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1. The regatta is open to all yachts that meet requirements for ISAF Offshore Special Regulations Category 4 and other yachts that may be invited by the organizing authority.
- 3.2. Eligible yachts may enter via the US Sailing RegattaNetwork website. Entries will only be accepted using the RegattaNetwork website. https://www.regattanetwork.com/html/calendar.php
- 3.3. Organizing Authority reserves the right to refuse entry of any yacht.

4. FEES

- 4.1. The entry fee is \$50.
- 4.2. Late entries will be assessed an additional fee of \$10 after Friday 8/20/21, 2200.
- 4.3. Boats can anchor in Pokai Bay/Waianae Boat Harbor or if desired, may be able to moor at Ko'Olina. Please make arrangements with Ko'Olina Harbor Master 808-679-1050.

5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

 Date	Day	Time	Event
8/19/2021 8/20/2021	Thursday Friday	1800 2200	Skipper's Meeting at HYC Lower Deck Entry Deadline for \$50 rate
8/21/2021 8/22/2021	Saturday Sunday	0955 0855	First Warning for the Honolulu – Pokai Race First Warning for the Pokai – Honolulu Race

1700

6. MEASUREMENTS & HANDICAPS

6.1. Each boat shall have a valid Performance Handicap Racing Fleet [PHRF] handicap certificate or if this is boat's first race of season will be assigned a temporary handicap for this race only.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

7.1. Sailing instructions will be available at the skippers' meeting, via email and on RegattaNetwork.com.

8. VENUE

8.1. The race will be held in the waters between Diamond Head and Nanakuli, Oahu.

9. SCORING

- 9.1. Corrected times will be calculated using the PHRF Time-on-Time scoring system, as adopted by HYRA.
- 9.2. The low point system of RRS Appendix A shall apply without modification.
- 9.3. Regatta will be scored on a combined corrected time.
- 9.4. In the event of a tie, RRS A7 will apply.

10. PRIZES

10.1. For each class and overall. 1st prize will be awarded if three or more boats enter, 2nd prize will be awarded if five or more boats enter, and 3rd prize will be awarded if seven or more boats enter.

11. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

11.1. Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS Rule 4, Decision to Race. The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone. The organizing authority will not accept liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

12. INSURANCE

- 12.1. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$500,000 per event or the equivalent.
- **13. FURTHER INFORMATION** can be obtained from the Rear Commodore for Sail, Joe Bardouche at 808-256-7168, or by emailing rcsail@hawaiiyachtclub.org.