



Hawaii Yacht Club

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Notice of Race Kokohead Race

Sunday, May 16, 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 are members of HYRA member clubs, 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. Required fees are as follows:

<u>Class</u>	<u>Fee</u>
PHRF (required)	\$70

4.2. Late entries will be assessed an additional fee of \$10 after Friday 5/14/21, 2200.

5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
5/16/2021	Sunday	0830	Skipper's Meeting at HYC Lower Deck

5/14/2021	Friday	2200	Entry Deadline for \$50 rate
5/16/2021	Sunday	1055	First Warning for the Long Distance Race (Kokohead)
5/16/2021	Sunday	1700	Awards Presentation & Cook-out Party at HYC

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 regatta will be held in the waters of Mamala Bay and Maunalua Bay, Oahu, between Ala Wai Harbor and Kokohead.

9. **SCORING**

9.1. The low point system of RRS Appendix A shall apply without modification.

9.2. In the event of a tie, RRS A7 will apply.

9.3. The PHRF handicap system will be in effect for all boats. Race handicaps will be calculated using the Time-on-Time method as adopted by HYRA.

10. **PRIZES**

10.1. For each class, 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.