



Oktoberfest Regatta

Buoy Racing in the Bay

Saturday, October 2, 2021

NOTICE OF RACE

The organizing authority is Santa Monica Windjammers Yacht Club (SMWYC), 13589 Mindanao Way, Marina Del Rey, CA 90292. (310) 827-7692.

1. Rules:

1.1. The race will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) except as changed herein or by the Sailing Instructions.

2. Eligibility:

2.1. This race is open to One Design, PHRF and Cruising Classes

2.2. To be eligible for entry, each boat must:

(a) be entered by an individual who is a member of US Sailing or other organization affiliated to US Sailing or to SCYA (or their own National Authority); and

(b) have a valid PHRF SoCal Rating Certificate;

(c) for One Design, must be a member of a One Design Class

3. Entry:

3.1. Eligible boats must enter the race online at Regatta Network:

3.2. Entries must be received by 1800 on Friday, October 1, 2021.

3.3. The entry fee is \$35.00 or \$30.00 for US Sailing Members.

4. Classes:

4.1. Classes will be established for One Design, PHRF and Cruising Classes

4.2. A minimum of 3 paid entries will be required to establish a class. Entrants of a class that has not met the minimum may be assigned to another appropriate class.

4.3. Classes, class flags and the order of starts will be posted online at Regatta Network <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/23271> and www.smwyc.org no later than 1800 hours on Friday, October 1, 2021.

5. Schedule:

The scheduled time of the 1st Warning Signal is 1155. For PHRF and One-Design classes three races are scheduled. For the Cruising classes two races are scheduled.

6. Sailing Instructions:

Sailing Instructions will be available online at www.smwyc.org, posted on the Regatta Network event website page <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/23271> and at the front desk of SMWYC no later than 1800 hours on Friday, October 1, 2021

7. The Courses:

Courses will be set using marks on Course Chart 17.

8. Scoring:

- 8.1 All race scores will count. This changes RRS A2.1
- 8.2 PHRF Classes will use So Cal PHRF Area B Ratings.
- 8.3 Scoring for PHRF classes will be calculated using the time on distance method.
- 8.4 One (1) race must be completed to constitute a regatta.

9. Radio Communication:

While on the water, the RC may communicate with competing boats via VHF radio channel 71.

10. Awards and post racing:

Awards will be given in each class. Trophies will be presented at SMWYC after racing. All entrants are encouraged to dress in *Oktoberfest* themed attire on or off the water. Best dressed attendees will awarded.

11. Pre-race kick off party:

Please attend our pre-regatta kick off party on Friday October 1st at 6pm. This regatta is our last of the season and we want to finish this 'comeback year' with a bang!

12. Information:

SMWYC – Stephen McDonough at 818.943.4082. Email race@smwyc.org