



# DANA POINT HARBOR CHAMPIONSHIP REGATTA

For the  
HOWARD TRUEBA MEMORIAL TROPHY

OCTOBER 23 & 24, 2021

## NOTICE OF RACE

Dana Point Yacht Club  
24399 Dana Drive, Dana Point, CA 92629

The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the NOR means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

### ORGANIZING AUTHORITY AND RACE MANAGEMENT

The Organizing Authority (OA) for this regatta is the Dana Point Yacht Club (DPYC). The Dana Point Yacht Club Race Committee (RC) will manage this regatta and shall appoint a Protest Committee.

#### 1. RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in [The Racing Rules of Sailing](#).
- 1.2 [US Sailing Prescriptions](#) to the following Rules do not apply:  
RRS 63.1 and RRS 63.2. This changes RRS 63.
- 1.3 The [US Safety Equipment Requirements](#) (SER) Near Shore Category will apply, except as modified by this Notice of Race or the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.4 The rules of [PHRF of Southern California](#) (PHRF) will apply.
- 1.5 The [Deed of Gift](#) for the Howard Trueba Memorial Trophy will apply.
- 1.6 Changes to Rules
  - 1.6.1 **[DP]** RRS 64.2, Penalties is modified by adding: (c) When the protest committee decides a boat that is a party to a protest hearing has broken a rule, it may assign a time penalty to be added to the boat's corrected time.

#### 2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 This is an invitational regatta.
- 2.2 To be eligible a skipper must have had a first place finish in an unrestricted class, in a race or regatta since the prior year's Harbor Championships, where the race starts and finishes in Dana Point Harbor and is sponsored by a Dana Point Harbor yacht club. Additionally, the skipper must be a member of a yacht club recognized by US Sailing or SCYA.
- 2.3 There is NO entry fee.
- 2.4 To become an entrant in the regatta, invited skippers must complete an [Online Entry Form](#) submitted to the Dana Point Yacht Club Race Committee by the **entry deadline of 1800 hours, Friday, October 22, 2021**.
- 2.5 If a skipper is eligible in more than one boat, they must elect one and submit their chosen entry by the entry deadline.

- 2.6 If there are qualifying co-skippers, they may enter the regatta as co-skippers, but one of them shall be designated as the primary helmsman on the entry form.
- 2.7 All entrants must have a valid current PHRF rating certificate. If the Race Committee cannot verify the boat's current valid status, a copy of the boat's current PHRF Certificate will be required prior to the entry deadline.

### **3. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

- 3.1 Sailing Instructions will be posted on the [Official Regatta Notice Board](#) on the [Regatta Network website](#) no later than October 21, 2021.
- 3.2 A race packet including the Sailing Instructions and additional information will be issued to each boat at the Skipper's Meeting on Saturday, October 23, 2021 at 0930 hours.
- 3.3 Any changes to the Sailing Instructions after Friday, October 22, 2021 will be posted on the Secondary Official Regatta Notice Board located in the Horizon Bar area upstairs at DPYC by 1030 hours of the day they are to take effect.

### **4. COMPETITOR'S MEETING**

- 4.1 A competitor's meeting is scheduled for 0930 Saturday, October 23, 2021 but may be modified due to any COVID-19 guideline changes.

### **5. CLASSES**

- 5.1 There will be only one class. All boats will start together.

### **6. SCHEDULE**

- 6.1 Dana Point Yacht Club  
24399 Dana Drive, Dana Point, CA 92629 ([Map](#))

#### **Saturday, October 23, 2021**

0930 - Skipper's meeting  
1055 – 1<sup>st</sup> Warning Signal  
Daily results following racing

#### **Sunday, October 24, 2021**

1155 – 1<sup>st</sup> Warning Signal  
Trophy Presentations following racing

- 6.2 Five (5) races are scheduled:  
Saturday, October 23, 2021 – Four (4) windward-leeward races are scheduled.  
Sunday, October 24, 2021 – One (1) random leg race is scheduled.
- 6.3 Depending upon Saturday's wind conditions, it is possible that some windward-leeward races may be run on Sunday.
- 6.4 The first Warning Signal for Saturday will be at 1055 hours.
- 6.5 The first Warning Signal for Sunday will be at 1155 hours.
- 6.6 Three (3) races must be completed to complete the regatta.

### **7. HELMSMAN**

- 7.1 The invited qualifying skipper shall be the primary helmsman in all races.
- 7.2 If multiple skippers qualify by winning a race in which they were entered as co-skippers, they may enter the Regatta as co-skippers but one of them shall be designated as the primary helmsman.

## **8. COMMUNICATION**

- 8.1 The [Official Regatta Notice Board](#) is located on the [Regatta Network website](#).
- 8.2 On the water, the RC may make courtesy broadcasts to competitors by VHF radio. The channel will be stated in the SIs.
- 8.3 **[DP]** From the first warning signal until the end of each race, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

## **9. VENUE**

- 9.1 [NOR Addendum A](#) shows the location of the event venue and the racing area.

## **10. COURSES AND RACE AREA**

- 10.1 The race area for this regatta will be as generally shown on [NOR Addendum A](#) and Dana Point Race Chart v.8.0 which will be included in the Sailing Instructions.
- 10.2 For windward-leeward courses the course will be selected from the Buoy Race Chart Supplement which will be included in the Sailing Instructions.
- 10.3 For random leg courses the course will be selected from the Dana Point Race Chart v.8.0 which will be included in the Sailing Instructions.

## **11. SCORING**

- 11.1 The Low-Point Scoring System, RRS Appendix A will apply. A boat's total score will be the sum of her scores for all races. This changes RRS A2.
- 11.2 Buoy ratings shall be used for the windward-leeward races. Random leg races shall be scored using Random Leg ratings.
- 11.3 Boats shall be scored using PHRF Area E ratings.
- 11.4 Any boat from outside Area E where there is no like Area E rated boat will be scored using their PHRF Base ratings.

## **12. PENALTY SYSTEM**

- 12.1 US Sailing Prescriptions Appendix V will apply.

## **13. RISK STATEMENT**

- 13.1 Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage, injury and death. Competitors in this race participate entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race.

## **14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

- 14.1 The race organizers (OA, Race Committee, Protest Committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or the injury to any competitor, including death, sustained as a result of participation in this race. By participating in this race, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

## **15. PRIZES & AWARDS**

- 15.1 The Howard Trueba Memorial Trophy, a perpetual trophy, will be awarded to the overall winner of the Regatta. The winning skipper will be designated as this year's Dana Point Harbor Champion.
- 15.2 Take home trophies are normally awarded through 5th place. However, due to budgetary constraints this may be changed.
- 15.3 Participation awards will be presented to all entrants.

### **FURTHER INFORMATION:**

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# NOTICE OF RACE – ADDENDUM A

