

ALAMITOS BAY YACHT CLUB



TURKEY DAY REGATTA AND SCYYRA HAMLIN AND ULLMAN/FROST SERIES AND 29ER PACIFIC COAST CHAMPIONSHIP

NOVEMBER 20-21, 2021

NOTICE OF RACE

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.

The Organizing Authority will be the Alamitos Bay Yacht Club, 7201 East Ocean Blvd, Long Beach, CA.

1. RULES

- 1.1. This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2. The following prescription of US Sailing will apply: Appendix V, rule V1 Penalty at the Time of Incident.
- 1.3. RRS 26 will be changed as follows: The timing sequence of rule 26 will be changed. The changes will appear in full in the sailing instructions. The sailing instructions may also change other racing rules.

2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1. Sailing instructions will be available at registration and posted on abyc.org

3. COMMUNICATIONS

- 3.1. The online official notice board is located at www.abyc.org.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1. The regatta is open to all boats of the classes listed below. Additional One-Design classes will be accepted at the discretion of the Regatta Chair based on the number of entries and the classes that are established.
 - a) **Ocean Course Classes:** 29er, 5-0-5, A-Cat, C420, Cal 20, Etchells, Finn, Formula 18, Hobie 16, I420, ILCA 7 (Laser), ILCA 6 (Radial), ILCA 4 (4.7), Open Skiff (Ocean), Optimist, Portsmouth (monohull and multihull), Tempest, Thistle and Viper 640.
 - b) **Bay Course Classes:** Lido 14 (A, B), Naples Sabot (Senior, Junior A, B, C1, C2, C3), Optimist (Green), Open Skiff (Bay) and RS Tera (Bay).
- 4.2. This regatta is open to members' "in good standing" of US SAILING Association-affiliated yacht clubs and to foreign sailors who are members of their respective National Governing Authorities.
- 4.3. Join US Sailing at a discounted rate through Alamitos Bay Yacht Club/US Sailing Member Partner Program <http://www1.ussailing.org/membership/MPP/Default.aspx?ycid=102736L>
- 4.4. Eligible boats may enter online by completing the [on-line registration at Regatta Network](#) or in person.
- 4.5. Online entries will be accepted until 1600 on the Friday immediately preceding the regatta, thereafter entries may only be made in person. In person entries will be accepted until 0930 on regatta morning.
- 4.6. Five (5) PAID entries are required to establish a class. Classes may be started together but scored separately. Boats that do not establish a class may be placed in PHRF or Portsmouth.
- 4.7. RELATED EVENT: This regatta is part of the Southern California Youth Yacht Racing Association (SCYYRA) 2021-2022 Hamlin Series for the 29er and Ullman/Frost Series for the ILCA 6 and ILCA 7. Information, including a separate Notice of Race is available at the SCYYRA website, <http://www.scyyra.org>

5. FEES

Entry fees are as follows:

	Early Entry <i>On or Before Nov 7th</i>	Standard Entry
Bay Classes – Single Handed	\$60	\$75
Bay Classes – All Others	\$80	\$95
Ocean Classes – Single Handed	\$70	\$85
Ocean Classes – All Others	\$90	\$105
SCYYRA Fee for Hamlin, Ullman, Frost Competitors	\$10	\$10
Discounts from Fees Above		
US Sailing Members	\$3	
Juniors under 18	\$5	
Coach and Support Boat Fee	\$10	\$10
Refunds will include an administrative fee of \$5		

- 5.1. The Regatta fee includes ABYC's Traditional Turkey Day dinner Saturday night (See NOR 14.4), launching, recovery, and storage for visiting competing boats from the day prior to the event until the day following the event. If the event ends on a Sunday, this period is extended to the next day the club is open, as ABYC is closed on Monday and Tuesday.
- 5.2. Visiting competing boats may request extended storage IN ADVANCE by contacting the ABYC office. The cost is \$10.00 per day paid in advance.
- 5.3. Any boat or trailer found on ABYC property without prior written authorization from ABYC is subject to impound and associated fees.

6. SCHEDULE

- 6.1. Registration will be open at 0800 on the first day of the regatta.
- 6.2. A competitors' meetings will be held on the ABYC patio on Saturday at 1030 for all classes.
- 6.3. Number of Races: Bay Classes and Optimist Gold: Nine (9) races are scheduled, with no more than five (5) races on any one day. Ocean Classes: Six (6) races are scheduled, with no more than three (3) races on any one day.
- 6.4. The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race each day is 1157.
- 6.5. On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after 1500.

7. VENUE

Bay class races will be held in Alamos Bay. Ocean classes will be held in Long Beach Outer Harbor.

8. COMPETITORS' MEETINGS

Competitors' meetings will be held on the ABYC patio on Saturday at 1000 for Ocean Classes, 1030 for Bay Classes.

9. SCORING

- 9.1. One (1) race is required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 9.2. When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

10. SUPPORT VESSELS

- 10.1. Support Vessels are allowed for this regatta. The skipper of each support vessel must register with the Organizing Authority and pay the applicable fee. [DP]
- 10.2. All support personnel are required to attend a meeting which will be held immediately following the Competitors' Briefing [DP].
- 10.3. All coach/support boats shall display an identification flag while on the water as directed by the Race Committee and return the flag at the conclusion of the regatta. No flag, banner, pennant, signal or shape other than that supplied by the Organizing Authority shall be displayed. [DP]
- 10.4. Coach/ support boats must be prepared to render assistance to any boat in need and perform any other function requested of them by the Race Committee. [DP]
- 10.5. Unless otherwise directed by the Race Committee, no coach/support boat may be within one hundred (100) yards of the course boundaries nor have any communication with a competitor between the first warning signal for a race and the time that race is abandoned or the competitor has finished and is 100 yards outside the finishing line and course boundaries. This changes Rule 41. [DP]
- 10.6. All coach/support boats must be equipped with their own VHF radios and be prepared to monitor a designated VHF channel if requested to do so by the Race Committee. [DP]

10.7. The penalty for failing to comply with these requirements will be applied to the appropriate competitors' boats associated with the coach/support boat personnel at the discretion of the protest committee. Additionally, upon receiving a report, the organizing authority may take other disciplinary action against the registered coach and/or support personnel. [DP]

11. PRIZES

11.1. Prizes will be awarded to the following schedule:

- a) Five (5) boats – One (1) trophy;
- b) Six (6) to eight (8) – Two (2) trophies;
- c) Nine (9) to 11 – Three (3) trophies;
- d) 12 to 14 – Four (4) trophies;
- e) 15 or more – Five (5) trophies.

12. RISK STATEMENT

12.1. RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or continue racing 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 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.

13. SAFETY

13.1. For Ullman-Frost competitors, while on the water, each competitor shall wear a US Coast Guard-approved personal flotation device (PFD), except for brief periods while changing or removing clothing. The PFD shall be the appropriate size for the sailor. [DP]

14. DEPICTION RELEASE

Competitors, by competing in this regatta, grant to the Host, perpetually and irrevocably, the unconditional and exclusive right, title and interest throughout the world to use, simulate and portray Participant's name, likeness, voice, personality, personal identification and personal experiences, incidents, situations and events, whether visual and/or audio, including without limitation photographs, videotape, film and other recordings, electronic or optical-based media, or any other form or medium whatsoever, whether now or hereafter existing, and of every kind and character (collectively "The Images"), which may be taken or taken of Participant while participating in any aspect of the Regatta.

15. LAUNCHING

Two hoists (maximum capacity 5,000 lbs.) and a dinghy ramp are available. Every boat using a hoist must have its own INTERNAL sling.

16. PARKING AND STORAGE [DP]

- 16.1. Due to space limitations, vehicle parking on ABYC grounds is restricted. Off-street parking is available across the street in municipal lots.
- 16.2. The Regatta fee includes launching, recovery, and storage for visiting competing boats from the day prior to the event until the day following the event. If the event ends on a Sunday, this period is extended to the next day the club is open, as ABYC is closed on Monday and Tuesday.
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17. HOSPITALITY [DP]

- 17.1. The hospitality of ABYC is extended to all participants.
- 17.2. The Galley will be open each day. Regatta breakfast menu and bag lunches will be available.
- 17.3. The club bar will be open after racing.
- 17.4. ABYC will serve the Traditional Turkey Day dinner Saturday night beginning at 1700. One dinner ticket is included in the entry for single-handed boats; two dinner tickets for all other boats. The price for additional tickets will be \$25 per adult (\$30 after November 12th) and \$10 for children 10 and under. **Please make reservations online at www.abyc.org** or by calling the ABYC office.