

2022 DANA POINT SERIES

March 5 thru July 23, 2022

NOTICE OF RACE

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

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 (PC).

1. RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 <u>US Sailing Prescriptions</u> to Rule 63.2 will not apply.
- 1.3 The <u>US Safety Equipment Requirements</u> (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 **[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 regatta is open to boats in PHRF Spinnaker, Non-Spinnaker & ORCA classes.
- 2.2 PHRF fleet entries must have a valid current PHRF rating certificate.
- 2.3 One-Design classes may be established with five or more entries. Entrants wishing to establish a One-Design class should contact the OA at race@dpyc.org.
- 2.4 Where the OA receives fewer than 5 entries for a class, the RC reserves the right to reassign those boats to another class.
- 2.5 Any boat entered without a rating will be assigned a rating by the OA whose decision is final and binding and shall not be grounds for a request for redress. This Changes RRS 78.
- 2.6 To become an entrant in the regatta skippers must complete an Online Entry Form and pay all fees by the entry deadline.
- 2.7 The entry deadline for the Series is 1800 hours, Friday, March 4, 2022.
- 2.8 The entry deadline for Individual Races in the Series is 1800 hours on the Friday preceding the race date.

3. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Sailing Instructions will be posted on the Official Regatta Notice Board on the Regatta Network website no later than March 3, 2022.

- 3.2 A race packet including the Sailing Instructions and additional information will be issued to each competitor at the Skipper's Meeting on Saturday, March 5, 2022 at 0900 hours.
- 3.3 Any changes to the Sailing Instructions will be posted on the Official Regatta Notice Board by 1000 hours of the day they are to take effect.

4. FEES

4.1 The entry fee for the Series is \$175. Individual Series Race entry fee is \$35.

5. COMPETITOR'S MEETING

5.1 A competitor's meeting is scheduled for 0900 Saturday, March 5, 2022.

6. CLASSES

- 6.1 Classes will be based upon the type and number of entries received using PHRF Area E ratings. Any boat from outside Area E where there is no like Area E rated boat will be based upon their PHRF Regional ratings.
- 6.2 Any boat assigned a rating by the OA will be based on that assigned rating.
- 6.3 Anticipated classes are PHRF A, PHRF B, PHRF C, Non-spinnaker and ORCA.

7. SCHEDULE

7.1 Dana Point Yacht Club24399 Dana Drive, Dana Point, CA 92629 (Map)

Seven races are scheduled (5 for Non-Spin and ORCA classes).

| Date | Race | Classes | Course Type |
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| March 5 | Race #1 | All | Random Leg |
| March 26 | Race #2 | All | Buoy PHRF / RLC Non-Spin & ORCA |
| March 26 | Race #3 | PHRF | Buoy |
| May 7 | Race #4 | All | Random Leg |
| June 18 | Race #5 | All | Buoy PHRF / RLC Non-Spin & ORCA |
| June 18 | Race #6 | PHRF | Buoy |
| July 23 | Race #7 | All | Random Leg |
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7.2 The first Warning Signal will be at 1155 hours on each series race date.

8. COMMUNICATION

- 8.1 The Official Regatta Notice Board is located on the Regatta Network website.
- 8.2 The Secondary Regatta Notice Board located in the Horizon Bar area upstairs at DPYC.
- 8.3 On the water, the RC may make courtesy broadcasts to competitors by VHF radio. The channel will be stated in the SIs.
- 8.4 **[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 The Random Leg courses will be selected from the <u>Dana Point Race Chart v.8.0</u> and the W/L courses will be selected from one of the <u>W/L Race Charts v3.0</u> which will be included in the Sailing Instructions.

11. SCORING

- 11.1 The Low-Point Scoring System, RRS Appendix A will apply.
- 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 Regional ratings.
- 11.5 Non-Spinnaker offsets will be used for all non-spinnaker classes.

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, RC, PC, 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.

FURTHER INFORMATION

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NOTICE OF RACE - ADDENDUM A



