





American Legion Yacht Club Mondays, May 2 thru August 29, 2022

#### 1. ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

American Legion Yacht Club (ALYC), 215 15th St. Newport Beach CA 92663 is the organizing authority for the 2022 Sundowner Series. <a href="https://www.alyc.com">www.alyc.com</a>

## 2. RULES

- 2.1. The series will be governed by the 2021-2024 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and the rules of the fleet in which a boat is racing.
- 2.2. Symmetrical or asymmetrical spinnakers are NOT allowed.
- 2.3. While racing, PHRF boats shall not enter the mooring areas or designated anchorages. Moorings and anchorages are defined as obstructions for the PHRF Fleet.

# 3. CLASSES

- 3.1 PHRF rated boats are invited to race.
- 3.2 Harbor 20's are invited to race.
- 3.3 J-22's are invited to race.
- 3.3 Boats without a current PHRF Certificate are invited to race and will be assigned to a class by the Race Committee, with the requirement that at least one week prior the their first race they will submit a completed Rating Form (Appendix A) to the Race Committee Chair via email <a href="mailto:race@alyc.com">race@alyc.com</a>.
- 3.4 Race Committee may assign a boat to a class that is deemed appropriate by the Race Committee.

### 4. ENTRIES AND FEES

- 4.1 Online entry is available at <a href="https://www.alyc.com">www.alyc.com</a> through Regatta Network.
- 4.2 The entry fee for the series is \$50.00 and you may enter at anytime during the series.

### 5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1 Sailing Instructions will be available no later than 5:00pm the day prior to the first race of the series and will be posted to the ALYC's website <a href="www.alyc.com">www.alyc.com</a> through Regatta Network.

### 6. SCHEDULE

6.1 The first warning signal is scheduled for 6:00pm.

- 6.2 Races are scheduled for each Monday, May 2nd thru August 29th except May 30th and July 4th.
- 6.3 The sixteen week Series will be divided into two eight week halves with separate awards for first-half, second-half and overall series.
- 6.4 Any changes to the schedule of races will be posted by 7:00pm on the day before the race on the ALYC website through Regatta Network.

### 7. PRIZES

- 7.1 Daily prizes will be awarded after each race.
- 7.2 The 1st-half prizes will be awarded after Race #8.
- 7.3 The 2nd-half prizes will be awarded after Race #16.
- 7.4 Trophies for the Overall Series will be presented at the Sundowners Award's Dinner on Sep 25th.

### 8. COURSES TO BE SAILED

- 8.1 Courses will be posted on the race committee boat.
- 8.2 The Start and Finish line will be in Newport Harbor in the "Five-Points" area.

### 9. SCORING

Scoring will be as follows, this modifies RRS A2.1.

- 9.1 A boat's first-half score will be the total of her daily race scores minus her worst score for races #1 through #8.
- 9.2 A boat's second-half score will be the total of her daily race scores minus her worst score for races #9 through #16.
- 9.3 A boat's series score will be the total of her first and second half scores.
- 9.4 A boat that did not start, compete, finish, is disqualified or retires shall be scored points for the finishing place **one more** than the number of **starters**. This modifies *RRS* A5.2.
- 9.5 PHRF boats shall be scored using their Area D RLC rating plus her Non-Spin Offset.
- 9.6 Boats assigned a rating will be scored using that rating.
- 9.7 Harbor 20's shall be scored based on their finish place in their class.
- 9.8 If four or more J22's register for the event they will be assigned to a separate class and scored against each other. If fewer than four boats register for the series the Race Committee will assign them to an appropriate class and score them in that class.

For additional information please contact ALYC, 215 15" St, Newport Beach, CA 92663 Phone (949) 673-5002 or online at www.alyc.com.

## APPENDIX A - RACE RATING WORKSHEET

For boats without a current PHRF Rating, please complete this form by **circling** each choice that applies and submit the form to the ALYC Race Chair as noted in NOR 3.3.

# **PROPELLER**

Feathering Prop Fixed 3-Blade Prop Fixed 2-Blade Prop

## **ANCHOR CHAIN**

Less than 100 ft. 100-200 ft. More than 200 ft.

## **SAILS**

Dacron Main Sail
Dacron Head Sail
Mylar/Kevlar Main Sail
Mylar/Kevlar Head Sail
Roller-Furling Head Sail
In-Mast Roller-Furling Main Sail – no battens
In-Mast Roller-Furling Main Sail – with battens
Largest Genoa 155% of J
Largest Genoa greater than 155% of J
Largest Genoa LP 135% of J
Largest Genoa LP 110% of J

### **SPINNAKERS**

No spinnaker carried Symmetrical spinnaker Asymmetrical spinnaker/Gennaker