

Whether you are a racer or just wanting to support the RHD Charity Regatta fundraising efforts ... You can help raise donations for this year's regatta beneficiary, the Dana Point 5<sup>th</sup> Marine Regiment Support Group. **Organize a fundraising team or simply become a sponsor yourself!**

**Racers @ \$1,000+**

Your Entry Fee Refunded & Saturday Party Tickets for Your Boat!  
(up to 8 people)

**One simple step** in creating your fundraising team will help us reach our goals.

You and your crew send out an email (*see sample email letter*) to all your friends, family, co-workers and businesses you know asking them to sponsor you in the Richard Henry Dana Charity Regatta® with donations of \$50 or more. Donations can be made [online](#) or by check payable to the Dana Point 5<sup>th</sup> Marine Regiment Support Group. **Your donation pledge sheet and all donations must be submitted no later than Saturday, September 10, 2022.** If donations are made online please have them indicate your team name when making the donation.

**It's that easy!** You will be surprised by the response and how quickly you can raise \$1,000 or more in support and earn your bonus of **Refunded Entry Fee & Party Tickets for your boat.**

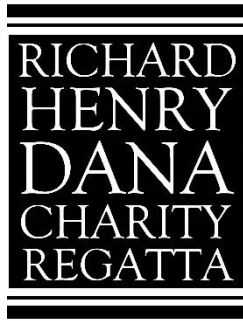
**The top fundraiser will be recognized and receive an award.**

You do NOT have to participate in the regatta to organize a fundraising team and receive the sponsorship benefits.

Thank you for your support and good luck!

*All Proceeds Benefit*





Benefiting



## [Donation Pledge Sheet](#)

Sign up businesses and individuals for your fundraising team! **Raise a \$1,000\* or more and your Race or Fishing Entry Fee will be waived and you will get bonus tickets for your boat to the Saturday Party & Auction.** Your team members can make their [Pledge Payment Online](#).

SKIPPER / DONOR NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ YACHT CLUB: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

BOAT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

| DONOR'S NAME | PHONE / EMAIL | DONATION AMOUNT | PAID ONLINE<br><input type="checkbox"/> |
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\* Entry fees do not count as part of your total pledges.  
 Donations are tax deductible.  
[Pay Online](#) or make checks payable to Dana Point 5<sup>th</sup> Marine Regiment Support Group  
 Federal Tax ID# 26-1476188

**All funds must be turned in to DPYC by 9:00AM on Saturday, September 10, 2022.**  
***A special thanks to all for your generous support!***

## Sample Letter / E-Mail

Dear **(name)**:

On September 10 & 11, 2022 I will be joining other **(sailors, individuals )** as we hoist our sails, or just have fun while raising money for a great cause, Dana Point Yacht Club's 24th Annual Richard Henry Dana Charity Regatta® benefiting the Dana Point 5<sup>th</sup> Marine Regiment Support Group. The regatta is a terrific event featuring challenging racing between numerous Southern California sailors. The RHD Charity Regatta events also include Marine Corps Appreciation Fishing, Junior One Design Regatta, Open Fishing Tournament, Party & Auction and more. Saturday provides for some great sailboat racing and continues in the evening with post-race festivities, including a live & silent auction, open to all.

I'm inviting you to help me raise funds for this special event. Over the next few weeks, my crew and I are asking our friends, family members and business associates to help us reach our goal of raising \$2,500. Please help all of us aboard **(your name or boat's name here)** by making a tax-deductible contribution to our campaign in support of the Richard Henry Dana Charity Regatta®. Please forward this **(email, letter)** to all your family and friends to see if they can also help. If you are able to join us at the Regatta Party on Saturday evening we can celebrate our fundraising success together.

Your donation for me can be made by sending me your tax-deductible check payable to the Dana Point 5th Marine Regiment Support Group. Don't forget to indicate our team name, **(team name)** with your donation.

Thank you in advance for your generosity and support.

**(Your name here)**