

Ultimate 20 Pacific Coast Championship

April 14 - April 16, 2023

Monterey Peninsula Yacht Club
Monterey, CA USA



NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta shall be governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- 1.2. All boats shall comply with the Ultimate 20 Class Rules.
- 1.3. RRS Appendix V1 shall apply.
- 1.4. Competitors shall wear adequate personal flotation devices while racing.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. The regatta is open to boats of the Ultimate 20 Class, the helmsperson must be an active member of the Class Association
- 2.2. Entry may be made online, using Regatta Manager at this URL:
<https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/25835>
- 2.3. Entries must be submitted by 1700 on April 7, 2023

3. FEES

Entry fee is \$175

This fee includes all hoist and berthing fees during the regatta. It also includes three dinners at MPYC on Saturday evening.

4. SCHEDULE

4.1.	Friday, April 14	Competitors Meeting	1000
		First Warning	1200
4.2.	Saturday, April 15	First Warning	1200
4.3.	Sunday, April 16	First Warning	1200
		No Warning Signal After	1500

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be published online by 1700 on April 12, 2023 at
<https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/25835>

6. VENUE

Racing shall occur in southern Monterey Bay, near Monterey, CA, USA.

7. COURSES

- 7.1. The courses to be sailed will be windward-leeward and further described in the Sailing Instructions
- 7.2. An offset mark adjacent to the windward mark will be used.

8. SCORING

- 8.1. The regatta shall have a maximum of eight races. A minimum of three races are required to constitute a series
- 8.2. No scores will be excluded until five races have been completed. This changes RRS A2. If five or more races are completed, a competitor's worst score will be deducted in accordance with the RRS.
- 8.3. A DSQ may never be used as a throw out.

9. BERTHING

Dock space will be provided for at MPYC or on specified nearby docks.

10. HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

All boats shall remain in the water from 1100 on Friday, April 14 until the last race has been completed unless special permission has been obtained from the race committee.

11. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS

- 11.1. Each boat shall carry a VHF radio capable of receiving and transmitting on VHF channel 68.
- 11.2. The Race Committee will attempt to announce the sail numbers of OCS boats. Failure to hear these announcements shall not be grounds for redress.
- 11.3. Except in an emergency, a competitor shall neither make radio transmissions nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

12. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to the top finishers. The number of prizes will depend on the number of entrants. One prize for three boats, two for five boats, and three prizes for a minimum of seven competitors.

13. DISCLAIMER AND LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta at their own risk. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

14. SOCIAL

The entry fee covers three dinners at the MPYC clubhouse after racing on Saturday, April 15. Additional meals may be purchased at \$25 per person. More details on this dinner will be published as they are available.

15. LODGING

We will attempt to provide housing upon request, however availability is quite limited. To secure a spot, please send your request to Donna Womble (contact details below) at your earliest convenience.

16. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact Donna Womble
donna.womble@gmail.com or 831-915-9719