2023 Moore24 Nationals

June 30, July 1, 2 2023

Host: SANTA CRUZ YACHT CLUB Venue: HUNTINGTON LAKE



Sailing Instructions With Amendments in red

1. RULES

- 1.1. RRS 40 is changed per SI 2.2.
- 1.2. Class Rule XI. Is changed per SI 14.2.

2. SAFETY

- 2.1. Each participant is solely responsible for his/her personal safety. However, in circumstances it considers hazardous the Race Committee (RC) and SCYC Race Officials may exercise authority to require a boat to accept help.
- 2.2. US Coast Guard Approved Personal Flotation is required by the U.S. Forest Service and MUST be worn at all times while racing.
- 2.3. Competitors are reminded that it is their responsibility to render assistance to another competitor in distress if you can safely do so.

3. NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

- 3.1. Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located at the registration tent, adjacent to the launch ramp, prior to 0900 on the day they will take effect.
- 3.2. Race results will be posted on the notice board.

4. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS AND SCHEDULE

- 4.1. Any change to the Sailing Instructions shall be posted prior to 0900 each scheduled race day.
- 4.2. Any change to the schedule shall be posted by 1800 hours the day prior to the change taking effect.
- 4.3. On the water changes are allowed per RRS 90.2 (c).

5. COMMUNICATION

- 5.1. The race committee will broadcast on VHF channel 68.
- 5.2. The Race Committee may hail, on VHF, the sail number or other identifying feature of any boat that was on course side of the starting line (OCS) at her start signal. The failure of a hail, the failure of a boat to hear a hail, or the order of the hail(s) shall not be grounds for a boat to request redress. This changes RRS 62.1.
- 5.3. The Race Committee may provide a series of short sound signals 30 seconds before the first warning.
- 5.4. Boats that withdraw or do not finish shall notify the race committee as soon as possible. In the event the race committee has left their station, please notify the staff at the registration tent.

6. SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

6.1. Signals made ashore will be displayed by the Race Committee ashore.

7. COURSES

- 7.1. The courses to be sailed are described in Attachment A.
- 7.2. The course to be sailed will be represented by a number. The number will be displayed upon a board located adjacent to the signal flag mast on shore. The course number board is approximately 4 feet high with a florescent yellow numeral.

8. MARKS

8.1. Marks 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8 are Yellow buoys. S & X are Red buoys. 8.2. Mark 8 is a gate.

9. CLASS FLAG

9.1. The class flag will be a red flag bearing a black Moore24 Logo.

10. THE START

- 10.1. The Race Committee will be on shore (west of the beach area).
- 10.2. Races will be started using RRS 26 with the warning signal given five (5) minutes before the starting signal.
- 10.3. The START LINE will be between an inner red buoy "S" approximately 125 feet off shore and an outer red buoy "X" approximately 500 feet from the inner buoy. Boats not racing shall keep clear of the Starting Line and its extensions.

11. THE FINISH

11.1. The FINISH LINE will be between an inner red buoy "S" approximately 125 feet off shore and an outer red buoy "X" approximately 500 feet from the inner buoy.

12. TIME LIMITS

- 12.1. The time limit to finish Buoy courses zero (0) through eight (8) is 60 minutes. Boats failing to finish within 15 minutes after the first boat sails the course and finishes will be scored DNF. This changes rules 35 and A4 and A5.
- 12.2. The time limit to finish Long courses nine (9) through fourteen (14) is 120 minutes. Boats failing to finish within 30 minutes after the first boat sails the course and finishes will be scored DNF. This changes rules 35 and A4 and A5.

13. PENALTY SYSTEM & PROTESTS:

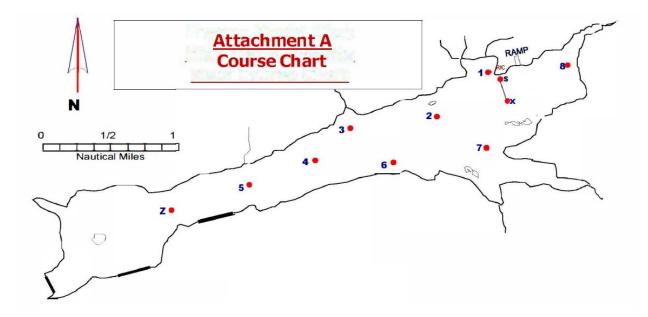
- 13.1. Competitors are encouraged to settle rules infractions on the water and avoid protests.
- 13.2. The protest time limit will be 60 minutes after the last boat finishes the last race of the day as determined by the PRO. The time limit will be posted on the regatta notice board.
- 13.3. Hearing times and locations will be posted on the regatta notice board immediately after the protest time limit.
- 13.4. US Sailing Prescription to Rules 63.1 and 63.2 shall not apply.

14. EQUIPMENT:

14.1. Class Rule XI. – Minimum Equipment: To facilitate boats mooring in the coves the "Anchor, Chain and Line weighing at least 14 pounds" need not be aboard the boat.

15. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY:

Competitors participate in this regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4 – Decision to Race – "*The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone.* The race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, or any other organization or official) are not 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 event. By participating in this event, 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.



Courses

All Mark rounding are to Port unless marked 's' for Starboard except 8 (8 is a gate).

#	Marks	Length
0	S , 4 , F	3.1
1	S,4,8,F	4.0
2	S, 4, 2, 4, F	5.0
3	S , 5 , 8 , F	5.0
4	S , 4 , 2s , 6 , 1s , 7 , 8 , F	5.8
5	S, 4, 2, 4, 8, F	6.0
6	S,4,8,2,8,F	6.1
7	S,4,8,4,8,F	6.3
8	S , 5 , 2 , 5 , F	6.8
	Long Courses	
9	S, 5, 2, 5, 8, F	7.8
10	S,4,8,4,7,8,F	8.1
11	S, 5, 8, 5, 8, F	9.9
12	S, 5, 8, 5, 7, 8, F	10.0
13	S, 4, 8, 4, 2, 4, 7, 8, F	10.0
14	S, 5, 8, 5, 2, 5, 7, 8, F	12.8