



The 2023 Edition of BBQ Race Series

Saturday June 17, Sunday July 16 and Sunday August 13

Santa Monica Windjammer Yacht Club, 13589 Mindanao Way,
Marina del Rey California

NOTICE OF SERIES

1 RULES

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 The regatta is open to all boats whose owner belongs to an organization or club recognized by US Sailing with a valid PHRF Rating.

3.2 Eligible boats shall enter at Regatta Network <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/26595> and pay \$40.00 for the series. Registration for individual races are at <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/26596> for Race #1, at <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/26597> for Race #2 and at <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/26599> for Race #3. Payment to be made at regatta network links not later than 0900 hours on the day of the race.

7 SCHEDULE

7.3 Dates of racing: Saturday June 17, Sunday July 16 and Sunday August 13, 2023

7.4 There is one race scheduled each day.

7.5 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first class racing each day is 1255 hours.

9 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available after 900 on the Friday prior to each race on the Regatta Network link and at the SMWYC Race Page at smwyc.org.

10 VENUE

10.1 The venue will be the Santa Monica Bay.

10.2 The Starting Mark is in the area of Buoy SS on the Marina del Rey Course Chart 17
http://www.calyachtclub.com/files/Course_Chart_17.0.pdf.

11 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be random course legs posted on the Sailing Instructions for each race. Marks to be used will be on the Marina del Rey Course Chart 17
http://www.calyachtclub.com/files/Course_Chart_17.0.pdf.

12 PENALTY SYSTEM

12.2 RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

13 SCORING

13.1 There will be three classes: Class A will be boats rated 120 and under; Class B 121-199; and Class C 200 and over. Scoring and division of classes will be based on the PHRF Area B RLC base rating. The Race Committee at its discretion may adjust a competitor's rating not to exceed 15 second per mile per race based scoring on the previous race. [This shall not be subject to redress.]

13.2 One race is required to be completed to constitute the series.

13.3 A boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. No score will be excluded.

19 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows: Overall winners of all classes shall be recognized on the SMWYC Barbeque Series perpetual trophy at the SMWYC award night in the fall and daily trophy to the first three places of each class shall be awarded on the outside deck of SMWYC club house following each race. Sailors who run a barbeque during a race will receive special award.

20 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. 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.

21 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.

22. For further information, contact SMWYC Race Committee Chair, Stephen McDonough at racechair@smwyc.org.