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# SAUSALITO YACHT CLUB



## 2023 Women Skippers Regatta NOTICE OF RACE & ENTRY INSTRUCTIONS

**Saturday, August 19th, 2023**

“No man’s hand shall touch the helm”

The Sausalito Yacht Club invites Bay Sailors to come out for the SYC Auxiliary Women Skippers Regatta. There will be a single race of less than 10 nm starting and finishing in the Knox/Harding area. All boats are to be helmed while racing by a woman.

There will be multiple (non-spinnaker and spinnaker) PHRF divisions, based on the number of entries. A minimum of four entries is required to constitute a division.

There will be a Skippers meeting and a light breakfast at 0930 on the day of the race, hosted by the SYC Auxiliary.

The first warning signal will be sounded at 1200.

There will be post-race festivities at the club following the race, including BBQ and music on the deck from 3:00-5:00 pm.

**RULES:** The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) shall govern this Series, designated Advertising Category A. A woman must be at the helm of a competing boat at all times after the warning signal for her division. Contact with the helm by any man onboard after such time will result in disqualification.

**SCORING:** The low point scoring system RRS A4 shall be used. Time-on-time corrections shall be used.

**PRIZES:** Prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place finishers in each division. The SYC Woman Skipper’s Trophy will be awarded to an SYC skipper in each Division. The Women Skippers Trophy (Bay Area wide) will be awarded for overall winners in each Division. The All-Women Team trophy will be awarded to every all woman team in each Division.

**ELIGIBILITY/ENTRY:** Entry is open to all yachts with a current PHRF certificate. A copy of your PHRF certificate must be received by the race committee or be listed on the current YRA web site ([www.yra.org](http://www.yra.org)) to complete your registration. Yachts without a current certificate or YRA listing may have a PHRF number assigned at the discretion of the race committee.

**The Entry fee is \$40.**

Online entry is encouraged at <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/26783> .Competitors may also request a mail-in entry form from [race@sausalitoyachtclub.org](mailto:race@sausalitoyachtclub.org), return with a copy of their current PHRF certificate together with a check made payable to SYC Auxiliary to:

**SYCA Treasurer, Sausalito Yacht Club, 100 Humboldt St, Sausalito, CA 94965.**

**SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Sailing Instructions will be posted on the event website and available at the club no later than 2000, Thursday August 17th.

Results will be posted to the club’s race notice board and on the club website the evening following the race.

For information, <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/26783> or email: [race@sausalitoyachtclub.org](mailto:race@sausalitoyachtclub.org)