



Notice Of Race

VO70

SCYA 2024

Midwinter Regatta

Saturday • February 24, 2024
Orange County Model Sailing Club
Mason Park • Irvine, California

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1. **ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY:** The regatta is open to all class legal boats of the VO70 class.
2. **RULES AND GOVERNANCE:** This Regatta will be governed by: The Racing Rules of Sailing (current edition) as changed by RRS Appendix E.
 - 1.2.1 If the fleet is subject to a general recall, the second start will automatically be done under the penalty of the "I" flag (RRS 30.1).
 - 1.3 Permitted frequency bands are FCC-approved surface bands. For transmitters on 75 MHz, no frequency conflicts will be allowed. 2.4 GHz radios are permitted and are exempt from rule E2.4 in the RRS. 2.
3. **VENUE:** William R. Mason Regional Park, Irvine, CA. Note there is a park entry fee.
4. **NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS:** The regatta will be limited to 20 skippers/boats.
5. **REGISTRATION AND \$20 FEE:** The \$20 Fee and registration is direct to SCYA online [CLICK HERE to register and pay](#). This is paid to SCYA that does not offer refunds if after paying you decide not to attend.
6. **FOOD AND BEVERAGES:** Please bring your own food and beverages.
7. **AWARDS:** Awards will be provided to finishing places by the Southern California Yachting Association (SCYA)
8. **BOAT WEIGH-IN and MEASURING:** Prior to the beginning of the regatta, boats ***may be*** required to be weighed and sails measured for conformity to the class rules.

9. SCHEDULE:

Date	Saturday, February 24, 2023
Check-in	10:15 am
Skippers Meeting	11:00 am
First Race	Immediately after the skippers meeting
Final Race	No race will be started after 3 pm without PRO approval
Awards	After the final race is completed and scores tallied.

10. SKIPPER REGISTRATION, WAIVER OF LIABILITY, CONDUCT:

You will be asked to sign a copy of the Waiver of Liability and Conduct form prior to participating in the regatta. For your information, here is an advance copy.

WAIVER OF LIABILITY: *In consideration of accepting this entry, I hereby for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators, waive and release any and all rights to claim damages that I may have or acquire against the Host, Sponsor Club, or its members, the sailing site owners, employees, agents, representatives, or assigns, SCYA, OCMSC and the American Model Yachting Association, or its members, from any claim for injury or other damages to me or my family during this regatta's events.*

CONDUCT: *All competitors are advised that their actions will be under scrutiny by race officials. In the event race officials witness any behavior, which they deem to be a breach of good manners or sportsmanship, or which may bring the sport into disrepute, the Principal Race Officer assisted by race officials will protest the party (or parties) in accordance with RRS 2 or 69.1. Penalties available to PRO and the Protest Committee include exclusion from the race in question or subsequent races, exclusion from the regatta, or other action within the PRO and Committee's jurisdiction*