

PACIFIC MARINERS YACHT CLUB



2025 CHUCK STEIN SERIES & HEATHER PERKOFF SERIES

October 11

Marina del Rey, California

NOTICE OF RACE

<https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/29249#>

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Organizing Authority for the Chuck Stein Series & Heather Perkoff Series is Pacific Mariners Yacht Club, Marina del Rey, CA (www.pmyc.org).

1. RULES

- 1.1 This event is governed by the *rules* as defined in the “*The Racing Rules of Sailing*” (RRS).
- 1.2 RRS A5.3 shall apply.
- 1.3 The races of both series will be random leg races consisting of approximate distances between 10-25 miles with options for shortened courses.

2. ELIGIBILITY, ENTRY, and FEES

- 2.1 The regatta is open to Performance and Cruising Class boats possessing a valid PHRF certificate.
- 2.2 When registering for the regatta, racers shall enter their Area B RLC rating.
- 2.3 Boats outside of Area B will have Area B adjustments applied as available.
- 2.4 Eligible boats shall enter each race by filling out the Regatta Network (RN) online entry form available at <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/29249#>. Entries must be received no later than 1800 on the Thursday before the race. Entry fees must be paid at time of registration.
- 2.5 The entry fee is \$30 for each race.
- 2.6 Boats competing for the overall place in the Stein or Perkoff Series must compete in that division for the duration of either series.

3. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS AND CLASSES

- 3.1 The Sailing Instructions (SIs) will be posted on www.Regattanetwork.com <https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/29249#> by 1800 on Thursday before the race.
- 3.2 There will be two divisions: one division for Stein/Performance and one division for Perkoff/Cruising. Classes within each division will be based on ratings and the number of entries. The classes established by the Race Committee (RC) for Race 1 will apply to both races in the series.
- 3.3 Classes, flags and the order of starts will be specified in NoR Addendum A, and will be posted no later than 1800 on Thursday, October 9, 2025.

3.4 The RC reserves the right to reassign a boat from one class or division to another.

4. SCHEDULE

4.1 One random-leg race is scheduled each race day for each class in each division.

4.2 On each race day, the scheduled first warning is 1155.

5. VENUE/COURSES

5.1 The racing area will be on Santa Monica Bay.

5.2 Courses for both divisions will use the fixed marks of Marina del Rey as described in the ASMBYC Marina Del Rey Course Chart 17, and/or inflatable orange or yellow marks as RC deems appropriate for the conditions. The starting area will be in the vicinity of SS Mark.

6. COMMUNICATION

6.1 The official notice board is located online at Regatta Network website

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6.2 While on the water, the RC may make courtesy broadcasts to competing boats via VHF, including starting penalties. The channel will be stated in the SIs.

6.3 [DP] All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on domestic channels.

6.4 [DP] All boats shall carry a smart phone with email and texting capabilities.

6.5 When racing, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

7. SCORING

7.1 Scoring will be based on Time on Distance ratings using the RLC rating. If any boat whose ratings on its entry form does not match PHRF SoCal's records, the RC may, without notice, change the rating to match PHRF SoCal's records (also see NoR2.1).

7.2 If a series-score tie remains between two or more boats after ranking them in order of their scores in the last race, any remaining ties shall be broken using the tied boats' combined corrected TOD. This modifies A8.2.

7.3 Performance Division boats' ratings shall not include any of the Configuration Adjustments in Appendix F of the PHRF SoCal Class Rules.

7.3 Non-Spinnaker offsets are authorized for use in the Perkoff Series only. To have this applied, a boat must declare to be "non-spinnaker" with its entry in the event. The PHRF Area B RLC rating for the boat so declaring will be adjusted and must sail in both races of the Perkoff Series with the same rating.

7.4 One race is required to constitute a Series. No score will be excluded. This modifies A2.1.

7.5 For the overall Chuck Stein Series, all Performance classes will be combined and scored as a single class. The scoring methodology for the overall Perkoff Series is the same as for the overall Stein Series.

8. BERTHING & MOORING

Limited docking will be available at PMYC. Advance reservations are required.

9. HOSPITALITY

Post-race hospitality and trophy presentation will be held at Pacific Mariners Yacht Club, 13915 Panay Way, Marina Del Rey, CA.

10. TROPHIES

Trophies will be presented to the winners of their respective classes. Chuck Stein Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the Performance Division winner of combined score of Chuck Stein Races 1 and 2, 2025. Heather Perkoff Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the Cruising Division winner of combined score of Heather Perkoff Races 1 and 2, 2025.

11. INSURANCE

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

12. RISK STATEMENT

Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. The race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not be 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.

13. OFFICIALS

Event Chair: Pam Eubanks – racechair@pmyc.org (310) 729-7482
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