

DRUMSTICK RACE

November 23, 2025

Presented by Del Rey Yacht Club (DRYC)

NOTICE of RACE & SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1 RULES

- **1.1** The event is governed by the rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) and PHRF of Southern California (PHRF SoCal) Class Rules, which are available at phrfsocal.org.
- **1.2** Marina del Rey Course Chart 18 applies

2. COMMUNICATION

- **2.1** The official notice board is located online at dryc.org.
- **2.2** All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on domestic channels.
- **2.3** On the water the Race Committee (RC) intends to communicate with competitors on VHF radio channel **68**.

3. ELIGIBILITY, ENTRY, and FEES

- **3.1** This intra-club race is open to all DRYC members. The entry fee is \$10.00.
- **3.2** The event is open to monohull sailboats. Boats with a current PHRF SoCal rating shall use it. The Race Committee will assign ratings to noncertified boats.
- 3.3 There will be two divisions: Performance and Cruiser.
- **3.4** Eligible boats shall enter by filling out the online entry form available at dryc.org/racing.

4. CLASSES

- **4.1** Classes will be based on the number of entries and ratings.
- **4.2** The RC reserves the right to reassign a boat from a Cruiser class to a Performance class.

5. SCORING

- **5.1** Boats will be scored using their Area B PHRF Random Leg (RLC) Ratings.
- **5.2** Performance Division boat's ratings shall not include any of the Configuration Adjustments in Appendix F of the PHRF SoCal Class Rules.
- **5.3** Performance boats may not use a Non-Spinnaker Offset, and only qualifying Cruiser Division boats may use a Non-Spinnaker Offset (PHRF SoCal Appendix C5.0).

6. SCHEDULE

Day	Time	Event		
Friday Nov 21	1800	Entry deadline		
Saturday Nov 22	1900	Classes posted		
Sunday Nov 23	1000	Competitors meeting at DRYC		
Sunday Nov 23	1225	Scheduled first warning		
Sunday Nov 23	1700	Awards ceremony & hospitality at the clubhouse		

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7. COURSES & MARKS: See Addendum 1

8. THE START : See Addendum 19. THE FINISH: See Addendum 1

- **10. TIME LIMIT:** The absolute time limit (ATL) for finishing is 1630. Boats failing to finish before the ATL and not subsequently retiring, penalized or given redress will be scored Time Limit Expired (TLE) without a hearing
- 11. **HEARING REQUESTS:** The protest time limit is 30 minutes after the last boat finishes. Hearing Requests shall be submitted by emailing to racers@dryc.org. The subject line shall be the protesting boat's sail number followed by the appropriate word 'protest' or 'redress'. The time the email was sent will be the submittal time
- **12. SAFETY REGULATONS:** A boat that retires shall notify the RC at the first reasonable opportunity on VHF radio and, no more than 30 minutes after retiring, an email must be sent to racers@dryc.org with the subject line to include the boat's sail number, "retired", and time of retirement.
- 13. RISK STATEMENT: RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.
- **14. HOSPITALITY**: After the race competitors are invited to the clubhouse to enjoy refreshments and the awards.

15. CONTACT INFORMATION

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2025 DRUMSTICK RACE Addendum 1

Class		Flag	Warning	Start
Performance A	1		1225	1230
Performance B	2		1230	1235
Cruiser A	3		1235	1240
Cruiser B	4		1240	1245

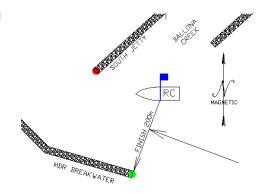
THE START: The Starting line will be between SS mark and the staff of an orange flag on the RC Signal boat. After starting sail the course signaled by the RC.

COURSE: For each class the RC will signal one of the 5 courses below

Course	D	Е	F	G	J				
LEAVE ALL MARKS TO PORT									
Flag									
1 st Mark	Н	S	V	D	DD				
2 nd Mark	2ES	2ES	2ES	2ES	2ES				
Distance	6.0	6.5	7.1	7.8	8.6				

After rounding the marks of the course proceed to the finish line..

THE FINISH: The finishing line is between a blue flag on the RC boat and the green light on the south end of the MdR detached breakwater. The RC intends to be on station until 1600. If the RC is absent when a boat finishes, she shall take her own finish time when the green light on the detached breakwater bears 200°m



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