



NOTICE of RACE

2026 Beer Can – Ale Series

March 11, March 18, March 25,
April 1, April 8, April 15, April 22, April 29
6:00 pm, Pacific Time

1. RULES

1.1 The Beer Can – Ale Series will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2025-2028.

1.2 Certain rules may be changed and these changes will appear in full in the Sailing Instructions.

2. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

This is an open racing series in which all members of recognized yacht clubs, or sailing organizations are eligible to compete.

2.1 GREEN REGATTA

This regatta is a Sailors for the Sea "Clean Regatta." As such, all competitors are encouraged to use non-single-use water bottles and recycle all appropriate items. Competitors are reminded of rule 55 which states that competitors "shall not intentionally put trash in the water."

3. BOATS/MEASUREMENT

3.1 Each competitor will be responsible for their boats being in compliance with the class rules.

4. FEES

Free for CCYC members. \$30.00 fee for Non-CCYC members. Need to register before 0900 on the day of the race

5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Ale Beer Can is an 8 race series. First start at 6pm. Race dates are as follows:
March 11, March 18, March 25,
April 1, April 8, April 15, April 22, April 29.

6. ADVANCE REGISTRATION

Competitors enter by completing the entry form through Regatta Network. This can be accessed by logging on to ccyc.org Sail Fleet, Racing Information, register.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions (SIs) will be available at CCYC Sail fleet bulletin board or online at ccyc.org Sail Fleet, Racing Information.

8. PENALTY SYSTEM

Appendix P, Immediate Penalties for Breaking Rule 42, Propulsion, will apply.

9. SCORING

Ale Beer Can is an 8 race series. A maximum of eight races are scheduled, if three or more races are sailed, a boat's worst score shall be discarded. This changes rule A2.

10. SAFETY

A boat retiring from a race shall notify a Race Committee on VHF 69 or sailing past but not through the finish line.

11. MEDIA RIGHTS

By participating in this regatta, a competitor (or parent/guardian if under age 18) grants to the OA and its sponsors the right in perpetuity to make, use and show, from time to time at their discretion, any photographs, motion pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproductions of him or her during the period of the competition without compensation.

12. DISCIPLINE

12.1 All competitors are expected to maintain the highest level of conduct throughout the entire event. When the Protest Committee, from its own observation or a report received from any source believes that a competitor may have committed a breach of a rule, good manners, or sportsmanship, or may have brought the sport into disrepute, it may call a hearing. After a proper hearing the penalty may range from a reprimand to dismissal from the regatta and additional action may be taken under RRS 69.

12.2 Hearings will be held generally in accordance with the recommendations of Appendix M5 of the RRS. The officers for hearing a violation will consist of the Chief Judge, acting as chairman of the hearing, the Protest Committee and the event chair.

13. PRIZES

Awards to competitors placing first through third in all divisions will be presented at the Sail Fleet Awards Dinner in November 2026.

14. FURTHER INFORMATION

Contact: CCYC Sail Captain: Maureen (Mo) Orey 619-847-4748 and check the web site for further information.

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