



JESSICA CUP

St. Francis Yacht Club

October 16-17, 2010

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), as modified by this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2 RRS 40 is changed as follows: All competitors are required to wear a life jacket or other adequate personal floatation device while racing.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 Yachts of traditional design and construction with a minimum of 30 ft. on deck are eligible to compete in this regatta.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the online entry form located at www.stfyc.com. Forms must be submitted by October 13th to take advantage of discounted entry fee.
- 2.3 Yachts will be handicapped for Time-On-Distance by the Jessica Cup Committee based on available measurement data. If you have not previously raced in this regatta, please email any Certificates, Measurement, or Rating Information to tgklaus@aol.com.
- 2.4 Fleet divisions will be determined by the Jessica Cup Committee based on number of entries. Divisions will consist of a boats of similar design (Gaff, Marconi, One-Design, etc.) One Design classes with six (6) or more entries will qualify for their start. Fleet divisions will be posted no later than 1800 hours on Friday, October 15th.

3. FEES

The Entry fee is \$80 **if received by October 13, 2010** . A late fee of \$25 will be assessed to all entries received after October 13, 2010.

4. SCHEDULE

SATURDAY: Competitors Meeting 1030 hrs
Race 1, 1st Warning 1200 hrs – Race 2 immediately following
Dinner Social 1830 hrs

SUNDAY: Race 3, 1st Warning 1300 hrs
Awards Presentation After Racing

5. RACING AREA

The intended race area will be the City Front utilizing fixed marks.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Copies of the Sailing Instructions will be available at the StFYC Official Notice Board by Friday, October 16th. An unofficial copy of the Sailing Instructions may be found on the StFYC web site (www.stfyc.com) prior to Friday.

7. SCORING

7.1 Three races are scheduled; one race will constitute a series.

7.2 Each boat's score will be the sum of her scores for all races. This changes RRS Appendix A2.

8. DINNER SOCIAL

Competitors and their guests are welcome to attend a banquet dinner buffet held on Saturday night at 1830 hours. Please make advance reservations through the Front Desk by Thursday, October 14th.

Buffet tickets will be \$20 per person.

9. BERTHING

All yachts competing in the event may be moored free of charge at the StFYC Guest Docks one night prior to the beginning of racing and one night after racing concludes.

10. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors shall participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk (see RRS 4, DECISION TO RACE). The organizing authority does not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the regatta.

11. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact the StFYC Race Office at 415.563.6363, email raceoffice@stfyc.com or visit www.stfyc.com.