



# Santa Cruz Yacht Club

## Notice of Race Winter Laser Regatta January 8, 2012

### 1. Rules

- 1.1. The races will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012*, and the class rules of the International Laser Association. Competitors in all classes are required to carry a bowline of at least fifteen feet attached to a towing point while racing.
- 1.2. RRS 40 will be changed to require competitors wear a personal flotation device while racing.
- 1.3. RRS 41.1 will be changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by a One-Turn Penalty.
- 1.4. Changes to RRS will appear in full in the Sailing Instructions.

### 2. Eligibility, Entry and Fees

- 2.1. These races are open to Laser and Laser Radial classes.
- 2.2. Eligible boats must register [online](#) at Regatta Network or [www.scyc.org](http://www.scyc.org) before 1000 hours on January 8, 2012.
- 2.3. The entry fee is \$30.00. Competitors age 35 and under will receive a \$20 discount when they register on Regatta Network or [scyc.org](http://scyc.org).
- 2.4. Registration closes at 1100 hours on January 8, 2012.
- 2.5. Sailors under 18 must complete the Parental Release and Medical Waiver form and give to race committee prior to being on the water.
- 2.6. All entry fees are non refundable.

### 3. Schedule

- 3.1. There will be a Competitors Briefing January 8, 2012 at 1000 hours at the SCYC boat hoist.
- 3.2. The scheduled time of the warning signal each day is 1200 hours. No races will be started after 1500 hours each race day. As many races as possible will be sailed before 1500 hours.
- 3.3. There will be an awards presentation in the SCYC clubhouse following the races.

### 4. Sailing Instructions

- 4.1. The Sailing Instructions will be available at registration at the SCYC boat hoist and may be posted earlier on the club website ([scyc.org](http://scyc.org)).

### 5. Venue

- 5.1. Racing will be within half a mile of the Santa Cruz Small Craft Harbor

### 6. The Course

- 6.1. Courses will be windward-leeward courses around temporary inflatable marks.

### 7. Scoring

- 7.1. One race will constitute a series.
- 7.2. There will be one throw-out for every six (6) races.

### 8. Prizes

- 8.1. Prizes will be awarded at the discretion of the organizing authority.

### 9. Further Information

- 9.1. For further information, contact Robert Schuyler at [robschuyler@cruzio.com](mailto:robschuyler@cruzio.com).