



Hawaii Yacht Club

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Notice of Race *Molokai Race*

Friday, August 31, 2012

Organizing Authority: *Hawaii Yacht Club (HYC)*

1. RULES

- 1.1. The race will be conducted according to *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012*, including the 2010 updates, US Sailing Prescriptions and Hawaii Yacht Racing Association [HYRA] Prescriptions unless otherwise amended in this Notice of Race or the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2. The Racing Rules of Sailing [RRS] Rules 51 and 52 are modified to allow the use of integrally designed CBTF and water ballast technology.
- 1.3. RRS Rule 52 is modified to allow the use of winches operated using stored power.

2. ADVERTISING

Advertising will be restricted to Category C as per ISAF Regulation 20.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. The regatta is open to all yachts that meet requirements for ISAF Offshore Special Regulations Category 3 (no liferaft required) and are members of HYRA member clubs, and other yachts that may be invited by the organizing authority.
- 2.2. Eligible yachts may enter via the US Sailing RegattaNetwork website between August 16, 2012 and August 30, 1800 hrs. Entries will only be accepted using the RegattaNetwork website. <http://www.regattanetwork.com/html/calendar.html>
- 2.3. Yachts may be denied entry by the organizing authority.

3. FEES

3.1. Required fees are as follows:

<u>Class</u>	<u>Fee</u>
PHRF (required)	\$35

3.2. US Sailing members will receive a \$5 discount.

3.3. Late entries will be assessed an additional fee of \$10.

4. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
8/29/12	Wednesday	1800	Skipper's Meeting at HYC Lower Deck.
8/30/12	Thursday	1800	Late Entry Deadline.
8/31/12	Friday	0955	First Warning for Molokai Race.
9/ 3/12	Monday	1800	Awards Presentation at HYC Upper Deck.

5. MEASUREMENTS

4.1. Each boat shall have a valid Performance Handicap Racing Fleet [PHRF] handicap certificate or be assigned a temporary handicap.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be offered at the skipper's meeting, by email & on the HYC website.

7. COURSE

The course will be along south Oahu, through the Kaiwi Channel and waters south of Molokai.

8. SCORING

9.1. Corrected times will be calculated using the PHRF Time-on-Time scoring system, as adopted by the Hawaii Yacht Racing Association [HYRA].

9.2. The low point system of RRS Appendix A shall apply without modification.

9. PRIZES

For each class, 1st prize will be awarded if at least 3 boats enter, 2nd prize will be awarded if at least 5 boats enter, and 3rd prize will be awarded if at least 7 boats enter.

10. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

11. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$300,000 per event or the equivalent.

12. FURTHER INFORMATION can be obtained from Principle Race Officer Marty Loo at 838-9629, or by emailing hyc-rcsail.hawaii.rr.com