



NOTICE OF RACE PICYA 2013 LIPTON SERIES REGATTA



PICYA invites all member clubs to participate in the PICYA Lipton Perpetual Series Regatta. The Regatta, which consists of four (4) divisions, will take place on Saturday, July 13, 2013, as described below. The host yacht club is the Sausalito Yacht Club (SYC).

RULES:

All races will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the Declarations of Trust for the respective Perpetual Cups (see 2012 PICYA Yachting Yearbook or the PICYA website), except as any of these are modified by the Sailing Instructions.

TROPHY DIVISIONS & ALTERATION OF CLASS RULES:

The BIG LIPTON Perpetual Trophy Series (for "The Sir Thomas J. Lipton Challenge Trophy" and "The Edward E. Peck Memorial Trophy") will be sailed with J105 boats under Fleet One Rule.

The LARRY KNIGHT Perpetual Trophy Series (for "The Larry Knight Perpetual Trophy" and "The Treasurer's Cup") will be sailed with SF30 Fleet boats as defined by HDA Fleet Rules (28-33' LOA, PHRF 117-141).

The LITTLE LIPTON Perpetual Trophy Series (for "The Sir Thomas Lipton Pacific Coast Perpetual Challenge" 1st and 2nd place trophies) will be sailed with Islander 36 boats under I 36 Association rules. Islander 36's shall race Non Spinnaker.

The ADMIRAL Perpetual Trophy Series (for "The Admiral's Cup" and "The Valhalla Cup") will be sailed with Cal 20's.

ADVERTISING:

This invitational Regatta is classified as a Category A Event in accordance with ISAF Regulations.

ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY:

To be eligible to compete in the BIG LIPTON, LARRY KNIGHT, LITTLE LIPTON or ADMIRAL division, a boat must have a Northern California 2013 PHRF Certificate, a copy of which must be submitted with the Entry Form.

The helmsperson and tactician of each yacht shall be properly enrolled members of the sponsoring club.

An Entry Form must be completed and filed with SYC for each yacht club as well as each team



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entered in each series. Deadline for entries is Jun 30, 2013. If not received by that date, a late entry may be accepted no later than midnight, July 10, 2013, and a late entry fee of \$25.00 will be charged. The fee for each club to compete is \$100.00, all-inclusive, whether one boat or four boats are entered from that club. Entry Forms may be found on the SYC website as below or the PICYA website.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Three races are scheduled for this one day, Saturday, July 13, 2013. The four divisions will start in the above sequence, described in the Sailing Instructions. The first WARNING signal is scheduled for 1055 hours. Race results shall be posted at SYC's notice board after the last race. Hors d'oeuvres shall be provided by PICYA and SYC at the no-host gathering at SYC at the end of racing.

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:

Sailing Instructions will be available outside the office of SYC at 9:00 a.m. on July 1, 2013 for the LIPTON SERIES REGATTA. They will also be found on the regatta website, <http://www.sausalitoyachtclub.org/racing/lipton-series-2013/>

RACING VENUE:

The intended racing area will be the Knox area, using dropped and/or permanent marks.

SCORING:

The Low Point Scoring System, Appendix A4 of the rules, will apply. Three races are scheduled, of which one shall be completed to constitute a series. All scores count; no race shall be excluded.

When using PHRF handicaps to score, competitors will be scored time-on-time.

TROPHIES:

Perpetual trophies will be awarded for the First and Second Place participants in each series and entrusted to the winning clubs. Awards for the Lipton Series will be presented at the September 2013 PICYA Delegates Meeting.

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