

Coronado Yacht Club
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NOTICE OF RACE

Wellington Series

March 29th, May 10th & June 14th, 2014

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016 (RRS) including the prescriptions of US Sailing: US Coast Guard “Navigational Rules, International Inland” 050-012-001922-8 (Inland Rules): the rules of Performance Handicap Racing Fleet (PHRF) San Diego and by subsequently issued Sailing Instructions. Racing boats encountering other racing boats are governed by RRS. Racing boats encountering non-racing boats shall conform to the Inland Rules. Interference with deep draft vessels will be grounds for disqualification by the Race Committee.
- 1.2 **NAVAL PROTECTION ZONE: The Naval Protection Zone is a 500 yard regulated area of water surrounding all US Naval Vessels of 100 feet or more. All vessels within 500 yards of a US Naval Vessel shall operate at the minimum speed necessary to maintain safe course and speed, and shall proceed as directed by any official patrol. NO VESSEL IS ALLOWED WITHING 100 YARDS OF A US NAVAL VESSEL. These zones are permanently in effect.**
- 1.3 This is a three race series in three classes with pursuit handicap starts. The course is Random Leg as defined by San Diego PHRF.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats of members of all yacht clubs and sailing associations recognized by US Sailing.
- 2.2 The skippers of eligible boats may enter ONLY online at <http://coronadoyc.org>. Entries must be made no later than 0930 on each race day. Changes to racing class or handicap after original sign up must be made with the Principal Race Officer (PRO) Glenn Welch. **No adjustments to spinnaker offsets after first race of the series.**
- 2.3 Class 1.....SD PHRF RLC rating of 113 or less
Class 2.....SD PHRF RLC rating of 114 or higher
Class 3.....CYC Handicap Rating or SD PHRF RLC rating
Class 4.....SD PHRF RLC rating of 200 or higher
- 2.4 CYC Handicap Rating may be obtained online at <http://coronadoyc.org>.
- 2.5 There is no spinnaker offset to the CYC Handicap Rating.

3 NOTICES TO COMPETITOR

Notices to competitors will be posted on the regatta page at <http://coronadoyc.org> and the Race Committee Notice Board located on the CYC clubhouse porch.

4 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 4.1 Sailing Instructions will be promulgated at <http://coronadoyc.org>.
- 4.2 Changes to Sailing Instructions will be posted at <http://coronadoyc.org> and the Race Committee Notice Board no later than 0930 on each race day.

5 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 Registration: Due by March 29, 2014 at 0930 to compete for the overall regatta. Skippers may register for races individually as late as 0930 on each race day.
- 5.2 Dates of racing: March 29, May 10, June 14, 2014
- 5.3 Race day Schedule-
 - 1045 each race day: Pursuit start times will be available at the CYC front desk.
 - 1200 each race day: Approximate start time for the first starter.
 - 1630 each race day: Deadline to complete course.

6 VENUE

The race course will be in Glorietta Bay and South San Diego Bay.

7 SCORING

- 7.1 The Low Point System of Appendix A of RRS will apply.
- 7.2 Three races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 7.3 There will be no throw outs.

8 BERTHING

Boats should be kept in their assigned places at CYC. Visiting yachtsman with reciprocal rights may use the visitor's dock on a first come, first serve basis no earlier than sunrise on each race day. Visiting yachtsmen who wish earlier accommodations must contact CYC for more information at (619) 435-1848.

9 HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

Keelboats shall not be hauled in or out by non-CYC members during the regatta except with, and according to the terms of, prior written permission of the CYC Port Captain.

10 PRIZES

Prizes will be given at the annual CYC Trophy Dinner for each class as follows:

- 9 or more entrants: 3 prizes
- 5 or more entrants: 2 prizes
- 3 or more entrants: 1 prize

11 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will no accept any liability for material damager or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

12 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.

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact Glenn Welch (619) 841-5096 or acewelch@sbcglobal.net.