



# 2014 Catalina Island Series

May 17 to October 26, 2014  
Long Beach Yacht Club  
Long Beach, CA

## Notice of Race

The Catalina Island Series (CIS) will be hosted by Long Beach Yacht Club (LBYC). Long Beach Yacht Club is the Organizing Authority (OA). LBYC is located at 6201 Appian Way, Long Beach CA 90803. Phone number is (562) 598-9401. Club and Event information are available at [www.lbyc.org](http://www.lbyc.org).

### 1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the "rules" as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016, the PHRF of Southern California Class Rules, the One Design Class Rules of any one design class racing as a class, except as amended by this Notice of Race (NOR) and the Sailing Instructions (SI).
- 1.2 The PHRF Area C (Long Beach and Los Angeles Harbors) RLC and OWC Ratings shall be used. Specific rating System (RLC or OWC) shall be noted in the SI or individual race Course Annex (CA).
- 1.3 Motoring while racing is permitted for the Cruising Division only. The Cruising Division class shall be governed by Appendix D of the PHRF Class Rules and By-Laws, with the exception of all Policies listed in Paragraph 2.0, which shall not apply.
- 1.4 Compliance with the current Offshore Racing Council Special Regulations Governing Minimum Equipment and Accommodations Standards and the PHRF Class Rules Appendix B, Standard Equipment, as they are applicable to your class, is recommended.
- 1.5 In the event of a conflict between the NOR and the SI, the SI shall prevail. **This changes RRS 63.7.**
- 1.6 OA reserves the right to amend this NOR. Any amendments to the NOR shall be posted on the CIS web page at <http://www.lbyc.org>

### 2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The CIS is open to any boat with a valid 2014 PHRF of Southern California rating certificate ([www.phrfsocal.org](http://www.phrfsocal.org)), ORCA and XS Racing rated boats having valid certificates. Double-Handed teams meeting all other requirements of NOR 2 shall be eligible to race in the PHRF Double-Handed class.
- 2.2 Each boat must be entered by an individual who is a member of a yacht club or sailing association that is a member of US Sailing (or National Authority).
- 2.3 PHRF Cruising Division boats shall have a rating no lower than 78 sec/mile and have a PHRF ULBD factor below 2.06.
- 2.4 Eligible boats may enter through Regatta Network at [www.regattanetwork.com](http://www.regattanetwork.com) or by printing an online entry form at [www.lbyc.org](http://www.lbyc.org) and mailing to:

Long Beach Yacht Club  
Attn: Race Office/Catalina Island Series  
6201 Appian Way  
Long Beach CA 90803  
(562) 598-9401

- 2.5 The ENTRY DEADLINE shall be May 16, 2014 at 1600 Hours for the entire series and Races 1 & 2. The ENTRY DEADLINE to enter individual races or the remaining races in the series shall be on the FRIDAY immediately preceding the race at 1600 HOURS. The OA will NOT accept entries on the water.

### 3. FEES

\$150.00 for the series  
\$35.00 to enter only two consecutive races  
\$125.00 if first entering at race number 3 or 4  
\$95.00 if first entering at race number 5 or 6  
\$65.00 if first entering at race number 7 or 8  
\$35.00 CAL 25's, Pebbly Beach Race only (7 & 8)

#### 4. SCHEDULE

RACE	DESTINATION	DATE	WARNING SIGNAL
1	Long Point	SAT May 17	1100
2	Return	SUN May 18	1200
3	Emerald Bay	SAT June 7	1100
4	Return	SUN June 8	1200
5	Ship Rock	SAT July 19	1100
6	Return	SUN July 20	1200
7	Two Harbors	SAT September 6	1100
8	Return	SUN September 7	1200
9	Oily to Avalon	SAT October 25	1100
10	Return	SUN October 26	1200

#### 5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions (SI) will be available at [www.lbyc.org](http://www.lbyc.org) approximately one (1) week prior to Race 1 of the series. Copies will also be available at LBYC. Individual race Course Annexes (CA) will be available at [www.lbyc.org](http://www.lbyc.org) no later than the Wednesday preceding that race at 1800 hours. CA copies will also be available at LBYC.

#### 6. RACING AREA

The racing area will be in Long Beach Harbor, the San Pedro Channel and near Catalina Island.

#### 7. COURSES

The courses will be point-to-point races of varying lengths. Specific details will be described in the SI and/or CA for each race.

#### 8. SCORING

8.1 The Low Point System of RRS Appendix A will apply, except that a boat may exclude her two (2) worst scores. **This changes Rule A2.**

8.2 Ten (10) races are scheduled. Eight (8) races must be completed to constitute a regatta.

8.3 Boats that "Did Not Finish" (DNF), "Did Not Start" (DNS), "Retired After Finishing" (RAF), were "On Course Side" (OCS) or were "Disqualified" (DSQ) shall be scored points for the finishing place one more than the number of boats that came to the starting area. A boat that "Did Not Compete" (DNC) shall be scored points for the finishing place one more than the number of boats entered in the race.

8.4 To be eligible for the final class and overall series awards, a boat must compete in at least seven (7) races.

#### 9. RADIO COMMUNICATION

The RC shall make every effort to broadcast course and OCS information to boats on the water on VHF channel 68. RC will also make every effort to announce GPS location to boats when on station at finish line in Catalina.

#### 10. PRIZES

Take home trophies will be awarded for individual races and series for each class and overall, based on number of entries. Individual Class and Overall Winners will have their names engraved on the CIS perpetual trophies located and kept at LBYC. All prizes will be awarded at the LBYC CIS Trophy Presentation Night on November 12, 2014.

#### 11. BERTHING

Temporary berthing will be permitted on the LBYC Long Dock as space is available. Please contact [raceoffice@lbyc.org](mailto:raceoffice@lbyc.org) , (562) 493-5173, for more information.

#### 12. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. By participating in this event, each competitor agrees to release the OA and any related parties from any and all liability associated with participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

#### 13. FURTHER INFORMATION

**Waterfront Director** Rick Roberts [raceoffice@lbyc.org](mailto:raceoffice@lbyc.org) (562) 493-5173  
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