



Hawaii Yacht Club

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Notice of Race

Re-scheduled Po'kai Bay Race

Saturday & Sunday, September 13 & 14, 2014

Organizing Authority: Hawaii Yacht Club (HYC)

1. RULES

- 1.1. The race will be conducted according to *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016*, including the US Sailing Prescriptions, excluding the prescriptions to rules 60, 63.2, 63.4; and Hawaii Yacht Racing Association [HYRA] Prescriptions unless otherwise amended in the Notice of Race or Sailing Instructions and HYC Standing Sailing Instructions for Offshore Races.
- 1.2. RRS 52 is modified to allow the use of winches operated using stored power.
- 1.3. RRS 55 is modified to add the following: "However, material used for banding sails may be discarded while setting sails".

2. **ADVERTISING** shall comply with ISAF Regulation 20. Competitor advertising will not be restricted.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1. The regatta is open to all yachts that meet requirements for ISAF Offshore Special Regulations Category 4 and are members of HYRA member clubs, and other yachts that may be invited by the organizing authority.
- 3.2. Eligible yachts may enter via the US Sailing RegattaNetwork website. Entries will only be accepted using the RegattaNetwork website.
<http://www.regattanetwork.com/html/calendar.html>
- 3.3 All Yachts shall enter race according to the HYRA Spring Meeting 2014 class breaks. They are as follows:

X Fleet will be 30 spm and below;
A Fleet will be 31-110 spm;
B Fleet will be 111 and above;
C Fleet/Aloha Fleet will be non-spinnaker;
M Multi-hull.
- 3.4 The organizing authority reserves the right to refuse entry to any yacht.

4. FEES

- 4.1. The entry fee is \$45.
- 4.2. US Sailing members will receive a \$5 discount.
- 4.3. Late entries will be assessed an additional fee of \$10.
- 4.4. Boats can raft together at Po’kai Bay/Waianae Boat Harbor or if desired, can moor at Ko’Olina Marina. Please contact Ko’Olina Marina at 808.679.1050 to reserve your slip.

5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Date	Day	Time	Event
9/10/14	Wednesday	1800	Skipper’s Meeting at HYC Lower Deck.
9/11/14	Thursday	2200	Last day to Register for Race
9/13/14	Saturday	0955	First Warning for the Honolulu – Pokai Race
9/14/14	Sunday	0955	First Warning for the Pokai – Honolulu Race
9/14/14	Sunday	1700	Awards Presentation at HYC

6. MEASUREMENTS & HANDICAPS

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

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available at the skippers’ meeting, Regatta Network, and on the HYC downstairs Sailor board shortly after the Skipper’s Meeting.

8. VENUE

The race will be held in the waters between Diamond Head and Nanakuli, Oahu.

9. SCORING

- 9.1. Corrected times will be calculated using the PHRF Time-on-Time scoring system, as adopted by HYRA.
- 9.2. The low point system of RRS Appendix A shall apply without modification.

10. PRIZES

For each class, first place prize will be awarded if at least three boats enter, second place prize will be awarded if at least five boats enter, and third place prize will be awarded if at least seven boats enter.

11. 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.

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 can be obtained from the Rear Commodore for Sail, Lyn Silva at 258-8199, or by emailing hyc-rcsail@hawaii.rr.com.