



SPRING KEELBOAT REGATTA

Saturday and Sunday, April 10–11, 2010
Marina del Rey, California USA

NOTICE OF RACE

The Spring Keelboat Regatta will be hosted by California Yacht Club (CYC) on Saturday and Sunday, April 10–11, 2010. CYC is located at 4469 Admiralty Way, Marina del Rey, CA 90292 USA, phone 310.823.4567. Information about CYC and this regatta is available at www.calyachtclub.com.

1. RULES

- 1.1 This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the *2009-2012 Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- 1.2 The Organizing Authority (OA) is CYC.
- 1.3 RRS 62.2 and 66 will be changed to shorten the time limit, on the last day of racing, for filing requests for redress and requests to reopen a hearing. The changes will appear in full in the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.4 RRS 63.7 will be replaced with: "If there is any conflict between the Sailing Instructions and this Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions shall apply."
- 1.5 RRS 82 will not apply.
- 1.6 The PHRF of Southern California (SoCal PHRF) "Marine Industry Racer" rule will not apply to this event.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 This regatta is open to one-design keelboats and boats rated 180 or lower under SoCal PHRF. Boats with ratings outside this range may petition the Regatta Chairman for a class.
- 2.2 Each boat must (1) be entered by an individual who is a member of a yacht club or sailing association that is a member of US SAILING (or their own National Authority) and (2) fulfill the eligibility requirements of the class in which she will compete. Information about joining SoCal PHRF is available at www.phrfsocal.org or at 562.438.6712.
- 2.3 Each entrant must submit a completed [CYC Entry Form](#) and entry fee by 1900 hours on Friday, April 9, 2010. Star class only: On the entry form please include the names of both skipper and crew.
- 2.4 Late entries, with a \$15 late fee, will be accepted only with the prior approval of the Regatta Chairman.

3. CLASSES

- 3.1 Classes will be established based on entries received as of 1900 hours on Friday, April 9 with a minimum of five (5) paid entries necessary to establish a class. One-Design boats that have not established a class will race in the PHRF fleet and must comply with PHRF requirements.
- 3.2 Classes, class flags and order of starts will be posted no later than 2000 hours on Friday, April 9.

4. FEES

- 4.1 The entry fee is \$40 for members of US SAILING with proof of membership, \$45 for non-members, when received by 1900 hours on Friday, April 9. Information about joining US SAILING is available at www.ussailing.org or at 800.877.2451. There will be a \$15 late fee for entries accepted after that time (see NOR 2.4).

5. SCHEDULE

Friday, April 9	1900 hrs	Entry deadline; classes established
	2000 hrs	Classes, class flags and order of starts posted
Saturday, April 10	1155 hrs	Warning Signal for the first race of the day - subsequent race(s) to start ASAP
	After Racing	Complimentary refreshments
Sunday, April 11	1155 hrs	Warning Signal for the first race of the day - subsequent race(s) to start ASAP
	After Racing	Awards presentation and complimentary refreshments

Five (5) races are scheduled: three (3) on Saturday and two (2) on Sunday. Without posting a change to the schedule of races, the Race Committee (RC) reserves the right to run one more race on Sunday if fewer than the scheduled number of races are completed on Saturday. The RC, at its discretion, may run fewer total races.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be posted at www.calyachtclub.com by Wednesday, April 7 and will be available at the CYC front desk by 1800 hours on Friday, April 9.

7. VENUE

The race area will be on Santa Monica Bay and use the Marina del Rey Racing Marks located southwest of the Marina del Rey breakwater.

8. COURSES

Courses will be primarily windward / leeward. [Marina del Rey Course Chart 16](#) will be used.

9. SCORING

9.1 The Low Point Scoring System of RRS Appendix A will apply except that all scores will count.

9.2 PHRF classes will be scored using Area B Buoy Ratings. Boats from outside of Area B will have Area B adjustments applied as available.

9.3 One (1) race must be completed to constitute a regatta.

10. RADIO COMMUNICATION

While on the water, the RC may communicate with competing boats via VHF radio, including starting penalties.

11. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded after racing on Sunday based on the number of entries received.

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 race organizers (organizing authority, host yacht club, race committee, protest committee, sponsors, and any others acting in an official capacity for this event) from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

13. FURTHER INFORMATION

Regatta Chairman. For additional information, contact Joan Chandler at jradical24@hotmail.com or at 310.528.1451.

Hospitality. Competitors and their guests are invited to use the club facilities during the regatta. Complimentary refreshments will be provided after racing on both days.

Boat Storage. For information and arrangements regarding boat storage immediately preceding and following the regatta contact CYC Dockmaster, Ty Olsen at ty.olsen@calyachtclub.net or at 310.823.4567.