



COMMODORES CHALLENGE RACE

Notice of Race

July 9, 2017

The organizing authority is Newport Ocean Sailing Association.

1. RULES

The Regatta will be governed by the 2017-2020 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the rules of the Harbor 20 class, and the Sailing Instructions. The OA reserves the right to amend this NOR.

2. COMPETITORS

- 2.1 Current Commodores of Southern California yacht clubs, which must be members of SCYA, are invited to race. If the Commodore is unable to race, the Commodore may nominate another Flag Officer to be Skipper. The Skipper will have one other member of the club as crew.
- 2.2 The race will be sailed in Harbor 20s which will be provided. The owner of the yacht, or representative, will be on board as the third crew.
- 2.3 The number of competing teams will be limited to the first 16 that enter.

3. SCHEDULE

- 3.1 The races will be held at Bahia Corinthian Yacht Club (BCYC).
- 3.2 First warning is scheduled for 1300 hrs.
- 3.3 Depending on the number of entries, there will be three (3) races scheduled. If there are fewer boats than the number of entries, the fleet will be divided into two flights, and the first three finishers from each flight will sail a third race for the Challenge Cup trophy.
- 3.4 The first place team will also be awarded the perpetual trophy, which must be returned to NOSA within 11 months of the race.

4. ENTRIES

Entries will be accepted up to 1200 on July 9.

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available on the NOSA website before 1700 hours on the day before the race.

6. COURSES, RACING AREA

- 6.1 The races will be sailed according to the Sailing Instructions.
- 6.2 Starting area will be at "M" racing mark of the Newport Harbor inside racing mark system.
- 6.3 The start line will be marked by an orange flag on the Race Committee boat and "M" mark.
- 6.4 The course to be sailed will be signaled from the Race Committee boat.
- 6.5 The finish line will be between an orange flag on the BCYC dock and an orange mark in the channel.

7. SCORING

- 7.1 Scoring will be according to RRS A4.1 Low Point System.
- 7.2 There are no throw-outs. This changes RRS A2.

8. PRIZES

Awards will be presented following the races.

9. INFORMATION

For more information, please visit NOSA website: www.nosa.org/Contact