



Richmond - South Beach Race

Saturday, August 22, 2009

Additional Sailing Instructions

VHF Radio Channel 69

CLASSES

There will be Singlehanded and Doublehanded divisions in this race. Each skipper must indicate on the entry form the division and class in which he or she is sailing.

SKIPPER'S MEETING

There will be a skippers' meeting on Wednesday, August 19, at 7:30 pm at Oakland Yacht Club.

POST-RACE ACTIVITIES

Competitors are invited to anchor in McCovey Cove or to berth at South Beach Harbor after the race, and to gather at South Beach Yacht Club. Contact the harbormaster's office (415-495-4911 or VHF channel 9) for berthing arrangements and fees. It is expected that a hamburger dinner will be available at SBYC; when entering, please indicate the estimated number of dinners for your party. There are also several nearby restaurants.

TROPHY PRESENTATION

There will be a trophy presentation on Wednesday, September 2, at 7:30 pm at Oakland YC.

STARTING TIMES AND SIGNALS

The first Warning signal will be at 10:00 am. Thereafter, classes will start at 5-minute intervals.

Flag	Class	Start Time
C	Class 5 - Non-Spinnaker	10:05
D	Class 4 - PHRF 161 & over	10:10
E	Class 3 - PHRF 100 to 160	10:15
F	Class 2 - PHRF 99 & under	10:20
G	Class SPORTBOAT	10:25
J	Class 1 - Multihulls	10:30

STARTING LINE

A line between a red or orange marker on the Richmond Yacht Club race platform and daymark R "8" in Pt. Potrero Reach, leaving the daymark to port.

COURSE

From the Start,
to R "10" FI R 4s BELL (1 nm NE of Pt. Chauncey) leaving it to port,
then to Little Harding buoy (G "1" FI G 4s) leaving it to port,
then to YRA 32 (Y "A" FI Y 4s, 2.5 nm E of Army St. Terminal) leaving it to starboard,
then to the Finish.

FINISH

The finish line is the mouth of McCovey Cove, between the northeast corner of Pier 48 and the marker FI G 2.5s "1" at the southern entrance to South Beach Harbor.

CHECK IN

Check-in via VHF radio channel 69, prior to the initial Warning signal, is mandatory.

REPORTING RETIREMENT

Any boat that retires from the race for any reason or does not finish within the time limit **must** contact the Race Committee as soon as possible via VHF radio channel 69, or by leaving a message at the telephone number below.

RACE DISTANCE

Approx. 18 nm

TIME LIMIT

6:30 pm on the day of the race

RACE COMMITTEE VOICEMAIL

(866) SAIL SSS