



## Albert T Simpson Sportboat Regatta

St Francis Yacht Club

July 21-22, 2007

### NOTICE OF RACE

#### 1.0 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), and by the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2 Racing rule 40.1 will be changed as follows: All competitors are required to wear a life jacket or other adequate personal floatation device while racing.

#### 2.0 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The following classes are invited to participate: Express 27, Express 37, Melges 24, Etchells, J24 and J/105.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the online entry form located at [www.stfyc.com](http://www.stfyc.com). Entries must be received by July 18, 2007 to avoid late fee.
- 2.3 Fleets must have six boats registered by the entry deadline (July 18) to qualify for a class start.

#### 3.0 FEES

- 3.1 Entry fee is \$85, less \$5 with proof of current USSA membership, if **received by July 18, 2007**.
- 3.2 Entry fee is \$95, less \$5 with proof of current USSA membership, if received **after July 18, 2007**.

#### 4.0 SCHEDULE

- 4.1 Late Registration: Saturday, July 21, 2007 from 930 hours to 1000 hours.
- 4.2 Racing will be held on Saturday, July 21 & Sunday, July 22, 2007.
- 4.3 The scheduled time of the Warning Signal for the first race each day is 1100 hours.

#### 5.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available at the club on Saturday morning, while an unofficial copy may be found on the StFYC web site by Thursday, July 19.

#### 6.0 RACING AREA

The intended race area will be set on the City Front utilizing inflatable marks.

#### 7.0 SCORING

- 7.1 One race will constitute a series.
- 7.2 Five races are scheduled in the series, with three on Saturday and two on Sunday, all of which will count towards a boats final score.

- 8.0 **SOCIAL and BENEFIT** Participants and their guests are invited to attend a social on Saturday evening, and a trophy ceremony following the conclusion of racing on Sunday.

#### 9.0 TROPHIES

- 9.1 Trophies will be awarded for each class.

#### 10.0 BERTHING

All yachts competing in the event may be moored free of charge at the StFYC guest docks one night prior to the beginning of racing and one night after racing concludes. All trailers should be stored at the direction of the StFYC Dockmaster. If you plan on leaving a trailer in the City parking lot prior to Saturday morning or overnight on Sunday, please contact the Harbormaster's Office 415.292.2013 for an overnight parking permit. All trailers without a City permit will be towed.

#### 11.0 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, decision to race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

#### 12.0 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact the St Francis Yacht Club race office at 415.563.6363, email [raceoffice@stfyc.com](mailto:raceoffice@stfyc.com), or visit [www.stfyc.com](http://www.stfyc.com).