

THE SAN FRANCISCO YACHT CLUB



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2007 San Francisco Bay Area Leukemia Cup

Saturday, September 29, 2007

NOTICE OF RACE

Organizing Authority: The San Francisco Yacht Club, Belvedere, California

1. RULES:

- 1.1 This regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS.)
- 1.2 Attention is directed to the fact that the racing rules do not govern the navigation of non-participating vessels, which may be met during the course of the race. Contestants should exercise due caution that there be no violation of the applicable international or inland rules of the road.
- 1.3 RRS 40.1 is deleted and replaced with: "All competitors shall wear life jackets or adequate personal buoyancy while racing." Note that flag Y will not be displayed.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY:

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats.
- 2.2 PHRF divisions, both spinnaker and non-spinnaker, will be assigned based on entries received by September 26th, 2007.
- 2.3 One design classes will be assigned for six or more boats entered by September 26th, 2007.
- 2.4 To enter, you may go to www.leukemicup.org/sf. If you are interested in fund raising suggestions for this event, you may contact Erin Reeser with The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society at erin.reeser@lls.org or (415) 625-1133.
- 2.5 Any skipper that does not enter through www.leukemicup.org/sf must complete the attached entry form and deliver it the SFYC Race Office by mail, fax, or in person. Entries will be accepted until 1000 hours on September 29th, 2007.

3. **NOTICES TO COMPETITORS:** Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located outside on the SFYC deck and will be available at www.sfyc.org.

4. **CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Any changes to the Sailing Instructions or race schedule will be posted before 0900 on the day of the race. Changes to the Sailing Instructions will also be available at www.sfyc.org.
5. **FEES:** The entry fee of \$50 will be donated to the Greater San Francisco Bay Area Chapter of The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.
6. **RACE SCHEDULE:** There will be one race on Saturday, September 29, 2007. The first warning signal will be 1200 noon.
7. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Sailing instructions, including PHRF division and one-design class assignments, will be available after 1400 hours on September 28th, 2007 at the SFYC and at www.sfyc.org. Copies of the Sailing Instructions may also be obtained from the stern of the Committee Boat after it has anchored and until 1145 hours on race day.
8. **RACING AREA AND COURSES:** Racing will start and finish in the vicinity of Knox Buoy (R"2" Fl 4s). The courses will be described in the Sailing Instructions.
9. **COMMUNICATIONS:** The Race Committee may use VHF channel 65 to communicate information about the race including boats that are OCS.
10. **GUEST BERTHS:** For information regarding guest berths, contact Evelyne Swinscoe-Byer at sfycoffice@pacbell.net or (415) 435-9133, extension 10.
11. **AWARDS:** Prizes will be awarded to the top three boats in each division and in each class. The trophy presentation will be held on the SFYC deck after racing.
12. **BARBECUE:** The cost of the barbecue dinner on the deck Saturday night will be \$17 and \$8 for children under 12. Please provide an estimate of the number of people that will attend the barbecue on your entry form.
13. **PARKING:** Parking in the SFYC lot will be restricted on September 29, 2007. We will issue two parking passes per boat, which can be used for personal vehicles. These passes may be picked up at the Leukemia Cup Answer Desk at the SFYC between 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Friday, September 28, 2007 and between 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. on September 29, 2007.

Suzie Moore, Regatta Chair
Bartz Schneider, Principal Race Officer

SFYC Race Office: 415-789-5647 (Phone), 415-789-5648 (Fax), race@sfyc.org (email)

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ENTRY FORM

September 29, 2007

The San Francisco Yacht Club, Belvedere, CA

Skipper's Name

Email Address

Mailing Address

Home Phone

Work Phone

Yacht Club

Sail Number

PHRF Rating

Boat Type

Boat Name

For PHRF, circle one: Spinnaker or Non-Spinnaker

ENTRY FEE: \$50.00

Please make checks payable to The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society

Please estimate the number of people that will attend the BBQ: _____

RELEASE:

For and in consideration of the acceptance by The San Francisco Yacht Club of my entry in this regatta, I hereby accept all the risks and responsibilities of my boat's participation in said regatta and waive to the fullest extent permitted by law any and all claims I may have against The San Francisco Yacht Club, its members, officers, committees, agents and/or employees arising out of or in any way connected to such participation. I agree to abide by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and all other rules that govern this event.

I further expressly agree that the foregoing release and waiver is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by law and that if any portion, clause or sub clause hereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full force and effect.

I have carefully read this agreement and fully understand its contents. I am aware that this is a release of liability and waiver of claims and sign it of my free will.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please mail, fax, or deliver this entry form to:

**The San Francisco Yacht Club Race Office
P.O. Box 379, Belvedere, CA 94920
415-789-5648 (Fax)**

SFYC Race Office: 415-789-5647 (Phone) or race@sfyc.org (email)