

2019 Ed Sprague Regatta

NOTICE OF RACE

Organizing Authority is ISCYRA District 5 & SDYC

November 16 - 17, 2019



1. RULES

- 1.1. The Regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2. The US Sailing Prescriptions to RRS 63.2 and 63.4 will not apply.
- 1.3. The below listed Racing Rules will be changed as follows:
 - a. Per ISCYRA rule 34.7 a boat that does not start within ten (10) minutes after her Starting Signal will be, without a hearing, scored equal to a boat not finishing. This changes RRS 63.1, A4 and A5.
 - b. Boats failing to finish within twenty (20) minutes after the first boat sails the course and finishes will be scored Did Not Finish ("DNF") without a hearing. This changes rules 35, A4 and A5.
 - c. RRS 44.1 is changed so that the "Two-Turns Penalty" is replaced by the "One-Turn Penalty" per ISCYRA rule 35.5.
 - d. RRS 61 is modified to add the following additional requirement: "A boat intending to protest or request redress based on an incident in the racing area that she is involved in or sees shall, at the first reasonable opportunity after she *finishes*, inform the race committee at the finishing line of her intent to protest or request redress and, when applicable, the identity of the protestee and obtain race committee acknowledgment."
 - e. On the last day of racing a request for redress based on a protest committee decision shall be delivered no later than 30 minutes after the decision was posted. This changes RRS 62.2.
 - f. On the last day of racing a request for reopening a hearing shall be delivered within the protest time limit if the requesting party was informed of the decision on the previous day, or no later than 30 minutes after the requesting party was informed of the decision on that day. This changes RRS 66.

2. ADVERTISING

- 2.1. Advertising shall be in accordance with RRS as prescribed by World Sailing for Olympic Class Boats, and per ISCYRA rule 40.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1. The **Ed Sprague Octoberfest Regatta** will be run in conjunction with the One Design Weekend classes.
- 3.2. The **Ed Sprague Octoberfest Regatta** is open to all Star class boats.
- 3.3. To be eligible to enter the **Ed Sprague Regatta** the skipper must submit an online entry form at www.sdy.org/calendar/event/star-ed-sprague-regatta19 and pay the \$70 entry fee on the SDYC website prior to **1630 on Friday, November 15, 2019**. After the close of online registration, late registration is available in the SDYC Sailing Office from **0830 to 0900 on Saturday, November 16, 2019**.
- 3.4. Boats are entered for the **Ed Sprague Regatta** upon the completion of online or in person registration, and payment of the entry fee.

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4. SCHEDULE OF RACES

- 4.1. A total of six (6) races are scheduled for both regattas. Three (3) races are scheduled for Saturday, and three (3) races are scheduled for Sunday. There shall be no more than three (3) races per day.
- 4.2. The scheduled time for the warning signal for the first race on Saturday will be **1130**, and the scheduled time for the first race on Sunday will be **1130**. Subsequent races will be started as soon as possible after completion of the prior race.

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 5.1. Sailing Instructions will be available by 1200 on Friday, November 15, 2019.
- 5.2. Provisional SIs may be posted on the event website earlier.

6. VENUE AND COURSES

- 6.1. The intended racing venue is located in the Pacific Ocean southeast of Zuniga Jetty ("Near Roads").
- 6.2. The courses to be sailed will be windward/leeward courses as set forth in the Sailing Instructions.

7. PENALTY SYSTEM

Rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by a One-Turn Penalty per ISCYRA rule 35.5.

8. SCORING

- 8.1. One (1) race is required to be completed to constitute a series for the Ed Sprague Regatta.
- 8.2. If six (6) races are completed then a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score. If fewer than six (6) races are completed then a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores and no scores will be excluded.

9. HAUL OUT RESTRICTIONS

Boats may be hauled Saturday night. Please do not leave your trailers in the fire lane!

10. TOWING AND BERTHING

- 10.1. An attempt will be made to provide towing for competitors to the starting area if the morning breeze is too light (less than 8 kts). If available, tow space will be limited and will be available on a first come, first served basis. Pick up will be at the Star Hoist at approximately **0930** on Saturday, and at approximately **0930** on Sunday.
- 10.2. Overnight trailer parking for the Regatta is available. Competitors requiring storage before or after the Regatta may call SDYC Dockmaster at (619) 758-6308.

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11. SAFETY

VHF radios are allowed per ISCYRA rule 34.3.1. A competitor may carry a VHF radio for safety purposes and race committee communication. Use of the VHF radio is not permitted while racing except for emergencies, and for listening to the race committee on the channel set forth in the sailing instructions for such purpose.

12. PRIZES AND SOCIAL

- 12.1. Prizes will be awarded up to the first three (3) skippers and crew depending on number of entries for the Ed Sprague Regatta.
- 12.2. Dinner will be held after racing on Saturday, November 16, 2019. Location is TBD.
- 12.3. A trophy presentation will be held after racing on Sunday, November 11, 2018 at San Diego Yacht Club.

13. FURTHER INFORMATION

Contact SDYC Sailing Office at (619) 758-6310 or visit the SDYC website at www.sdyc.org/race, or Regatta Chair, Isao Toyama, isao@cafedelsol.com.