



South Bay Yacht Racing Club

2010 Champagne Series

Saturday January 23 and February 6

Marina del Rey, CA

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

1.1. This race series will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012 and the prescriptions of US Sailing (the "rules"; available for download at www.ussailing.org/rules/).

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1. This regatta is open to current members of PHRF and One-Design classes.

2.2. Each entrant must be a member of a yacht club or sailing association belonging to SCYA or US Sailing.

2.3. Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form or one available at www.sbyrc.org and depositing in the SBYRC drop box, located at The California Sailing Academy (CSA), 14025 Panay Way, Marina del Rey (2nd floor, East end).

2.4. Completed entry forms and fees (payable to "SBYRC") will be accepted at the SBYRC drop box until 1900 hours Friday January 22, 2010.

2.5. The entry fee for both days is \$45 for members of US Sailing with proof of membership, and \$50 for non-members.

2.6. Late entries will be accepted with prior approval of the PRO and a late fee of \$15.

3. SCHEDULE OF RACES

3.1. Dates of Racing:

January 23rd - three races

February 6th - two races

3.2. The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race each day is 1155 hours.

4. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1. The sailing instructions will be available at the SBYRC drop box and at www.sbyrc.org, by 1700 hours January 22nd, 2010.

5. COURSES

5.1. Courses will be selected from Marina Del Rey Course Chart 16.

6. PENALTIES

6.1. The two turn's penalty is modified to one turn including one tack and one gybe. This changes **RRS 44.2**.

7. SCORING

7.1. RACE SCORING

7.1.1. The Low Point System of **RRS A** will apply except that all scores will count. This changes **RRS A2**.

7.2. PERPETUAL TROPHIES SCORING

7.2.1. No race score will be excluded. This changes **RRS A2**.

7.2.2. The Series shall be scored as provided in **RRS Appendix A** modified as follows:

7.2.3. Each boat's race scores shall be totaled to make her series score. For each race, a boat shall receive a score calculated as follows (rounded to three decimal places):

$$1 + \left(\left(\frac{\text{class_competitors_placing_after_her} + 0.5}{\text{class_competitors}} \right) \times 9 \right)$$

7.2.4. "Class competitors" is the number of boats that actually start the race. A boat that qualifies as a "class competitor" but did not start, did not finish, retired after finishing or was disqualified shall receive one (1) point. A boat that did not enter or did not come out to the starting area (i.e., did not qualify as a "class competitor") shall receive zero (0) points. A boat in a class for which the race has been abandoned for any reason, such as bad weather or missing mark, shall be scored the same as DNF.

7.2.5. For a boat to be eligible to either Perpetual Trophy, all races must be completed.

7.2.6. For a class to be eligible to either Perpetual Trophy, it shall have at least four starters in race one and at least three starters in any race sailed thereafter.

8. One-Design fleets with fewer than four starters in race one will race in and be scored in PHRF. The required membership in PHRF will be waived.

9. PRIZES

9.1. Prizes will be given as follows: Individual race trophies will be awarded each day after racing. The series overall trophies will be awarded on February 6th 2010.

4 entries	- 1 trophy	7-10 entries-	3 trophies
5-6 entries	- 2 trophies	11+ entries	- 4 trophies

9.2. The **SBYRC CHAMPAGNE PERPETUAL TROPHY** will be awarded to the boat with the highest point total. In the event of a tie, the winner of the largest fleet shall be declared the winner.

9.3. The **KLEVE PERPETUAL TROPHY** will be awarded to the one-design boat with the highest point total that did not win the SBYRC Champagne Perpetual Trophy. If a one-design boat wins that trophy, the **KLEVE PERPETUAL TROPHY** shall be awarded to the next highest scoring one-design boat. In the event of a tie, the winner of the largest one-design fleet shall be declared the winner.

10. HOSPITALITY

10.1. After race hospitality will be held at Marina Venice Yacht Club **4333 Admiralty Way Marina Del Rey, CA 90292** Tel: (310) 822-9082 [Map](#)

11.DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

11.1.Competitors participate in the Regatta entirely at their own risk. See **RRS 4**. 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.

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SBYRC ENTRY FORM & AGREEMENT

Event:	2010 CHAMPAGNE SERIES		
Area B Buoy Rating			
Sail number			
Boat Name			
Boat Type and Size			
Class (circle one)	One-Design	PHRF	
Skipper Name			
Yacht Club			
Address			
City, Zip Code			
Cell Phone		Home Phone	
Email address			
	US Sailing Member		Non-Member
Fees (circle one)	US Sailing Number : _____ \$45.00		50.00

RACE ENTRY AGREEMENT with South Bay Yacht Racing Club:

I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and by all other rules that govern this event, including USCG requirements, class rules and fleet rules whose rating system will be used for the races in which I compete. By listing a Handicap rating, I certify that I hold a valid certificate for that rating for this season; or by entering a one-design class, I certify that I qualify under the class rules. Any contestant or any member of the race or protest committee may inspect my boat before or after the race. I hereby release SBYRC, together with their officers, agents, employees and committees from any and all liability for any injury to myself, my crew or my boat arising out of their conduct of the race or use of the facilities, provided that such release does not discharge my insurance carrier under the provisions of insurance policies on my boat. This waiver shall not be deemed as any indemnity on my part. I assume any risk of injury arising out of my participation in the race, failure or breakage of my boat or any of my equipment, or weather conditions. I acknowledge that the safety and seaworthiness of my boat, and the decision to race or keep racing, is my sole responsibility and SBYRC in accepting my entry, assumes no responsibility therefore. I will notify the Race Committee promptly upon withdrawal from the race. I certify that my crew and I are able to swim. I own or have chartered the boat entered, and I am a member of a Yacht Club or sailing association belonging to SCYA or US Sailing.

Signature (parent or guardian if minor) _____ **Date:** _____

Incomplete entries will not be accepted.