



ISLAND YACHT CLUB

2008-2009 Midwinter Estuary Tour

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES: This series shall be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), except as any of these are altered by the Sailing Instructions.
2. ELIGIBILITY: Monohull displacement sailboats with an overall length of 18 feet or more. Membership in a yacht club is not a requirement to race. Entries will be accepted until the first warning signal is made.
3. FEES: Series Entry Fee is \$50.00, less \$5.00 with current USSA membership. Single race fee \$15.00 per race entered. Entry forms and fees may be mailed to Island Yacht Club, 1853 Clement Ave, Alameda, CA 94501.
4. SCHEDULE: 11/9 12/14, 1/11, 2/8, 3/15. First warning signal is 1255 hours.
5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS: Courses, Divisions and Sailing Instructions will be posted November 1 online at IYC.ORG. Printed copies will also be available in the wooden MAIL box at Island Yacht Club Sunday prior to the start of each race.
6. SCORING SYSTEM: The Low Point Scoring System, Appendix A of the Racing Rules will apply. One Design boats with five or more entries will be scored as a division. There is one throw out if five races are raced.
7. RACING AREA: The Oakland Estuary between the Park Street Bridge and the Alameda Ferry Terminal.
8. SOCIAL: Refreshments will be available and daily trophies will be presented after each race at Island Yacht Club. Overall trophies will be awarded after the last race.
9. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY: Competitors participate in the race series 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 series.
10. FURTHER INFORMATION: Contact Race Chair John New at IYCRacing@Yahoo.com or (510) 521-7442.

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