



YRA CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS/YANKEE CUP

NOTICE OF RACE

Saturday, October 16, 2010

RULES: The regatta will be governed by the "Rules" as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing, 2009-2012 (RRS), the Prescriptions of US Sailing, the Sailing Instructions and this Notice of Race.

PARTICIPATION: For 2010 is by invitation only to the yachts which are season champions of their respective qualified (5 boats or more) Classes or Divisions of the PC, HDA, ODCA. The Reserve Champion yachts are also invited, provided that at least 50% of the fleet raced in a minimum of 3 races. There is no entry fee. Each Charter Association's yachts shall race against each other, on a handicap basis, based on their Northern California PHRF rating. PC and HDA boats shall race as one fleet. Only regular crew (50%+ participation in regular season races) may steer.

NOTICES AND AMENDMENTS: Notices and Amendments will be posted on the official notice board at Golden Gate Yacht Club no later than 0930 Hrs. There will be a skippers meeting at GGYC at 9:00 AM to announce changes, collect entry forms etc.

ODCA /HDA/PC: THE Regatta will consist of three races Saturday, October 16, 2010. First Warning will be at 0955 Hrs. Code Flag "H" "Hotel" will be hoisted as the "Class/Warning" signal flag for HDA/PC. Code Flag "O" "Oscar" will be hoisted as the "Class/Warning" signal flag for ODCA. ODCA and HDA/PC will race the same course, as selected by the Race Committee from the courses described in the attached Sailing Instructions.

STARTS AND FINISHES: All starts and finishes are between YRA Buoy X off Golden Gate Yacht Club and an orange panel on the Club's race deck as noted in the Sailing Instructions.

SCORING: The low-point scoring system, Appendix A4 of RRS will apply, as amended by the Standing Sailing Instructions of YRA. Each Yacht's total score will be the sum of its places for all completed races. The lowest total score will win.

AWARDS: ODCA yachts will be competing for the Champion of Champions Perpetual Trophy; HDA/PC yachts will be competing for the Yankee Cup Perpetual Trophy. Trophies will be presented during the awards reception after the racing. Temporary berthing will be available at the GGYC Club docks from the Friday before the race, through Sunday.

ENTRY FORMS: Entries may be faxed or emailed to the YRA Office (415-276-2378 or info@yra.org) prior to 1700 Thursday OCTOBER 14, 2010, but must be presented to the Race Committee at least 30 minutes prior to the first warning gun. The First warning gun is at 0955 hours, Saturday October 16, 2010. Sailing instructions will be available on the YRA website. Sailing instructions will be available from the Race Committee at the Skipper's meeting as well. Please notify your Charter Association President or Fleet Captains if you are unable to attend.

Questions relating to the race activities should be directed to the YRA office. Please do not call the Golden Gate Yacht Club.