

SANTA BARBARA YACHT CLUB SWEETHEARTS' RACE

February 12, 2022



Amendments to the Notice of Race / Sailing Instructions

The Organizing Authority for the 2022 Sweetheart Race will be: The Santa Barbara Yacht Club (SBYC), 130 Harbor Way, Santa Barbara, CA 93109

The notation [NP] in a *rule* means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that *rule*. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

The notation [DP] in a *rule* means that the penalty for a breach of a *rule* may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

Sailing Instruction 12 is deleted and replaced with:

- 12 CREW
- 12.1 A boat's crew shall consist of at least half female crewmembers. [DP]
- 12.2 Children under 11 years of age as of the date of the regatta are not counted towards crew count. [DP]
- 12.3 Short-Handed Division: A boat's crew shall be limited to a maximum number of male crewmembers (including skipper) which is indicated below, and unlimited female crewmembers. Boats may race with less than the number of male crewmembers prescribed below, however, boats that race with more than the prescribed number of male crew shall receive a penalty up to disqualification. [DP]
 - Boats 23 to 29.9 feet 2 male crew, unlimited female crew
 - Boats 30 to 38 feet 3 male crew, unlimited female crew
 - Boats 38.1 to 50 feet 4 male crew, unlimited female crew
 - Boats 50.1 to 65 feet 5 male crew, unlimited female crew
 - Boats 65.1 and over 6 male crew, unlimited female crew
- 12.4 Double-Handed Division: Crewmembers are limited to 2 persons per boat with at least 1 being female. [DP]
- 12.5 Boats sailing with two persons total shall be scored in the double-handed division.

Sailing Instruction 24 is deleted and replaced with:

24 PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to the top finishers in the double-handed and short-handed division.

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-SBYC RC