



*SANTA BARBARA YACHT CLUB*  
**SWEETHEARTS' RACE**

February 11, 2023

**Amendments to the  
Notice of Race & Sailing Instructions**

The Organizing Authority for the 2023 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 3.5 is deleted and replaced with:**

3.5 One Design boats in SBYC recognized classes may enter this regatta without a PHRF certificate using the class ratings listed below, and at the discretion of the race committee.

**Standard Ratings:**

Harbor 20 = 216; J/70 = 114 J/105 = 90; Melges 24 = 90

**Non-Spinnaker Ratings:**

Harbor 20 = 236; J/70 = 158; J/105 = 110; Melges 24 = 112

**Sailing Instruction 7.2 is changed as follows:**

Awards and post-race hors d'oeuvres will take place at Anchor Rose (113 Harbor Way above the SB Maritime Museum)

**Sailing Instruction of 12.3 is deleted and replaced with:**

**12 CREW**

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 8 male crew, unlimited female crew

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