



NOTICE OF RACE

2017-2018 MIDWINTER SERIES ON THE OLYMPIC CIRCLE SPONSORED BY BERKELEY YACHT CLUB

RACE DATES: NOV. 11/12, '17 DEC. 9/10, '17 JAN. 13/14, '18 FEB. 10/11, '18
CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS-WINNERS RACE: FEB. 25, 2018

1.0 RULES AND SERIES:

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing, the prescriptions of USSailing, the Rules or decisions of each class concerned, and by the Sailing Instructions and any amendments thereto.
- 1.2 There will be two, independent series – Saturday's and Sunday's. There will be no throw-outs.

2.0 ELIGIBILITY AND DIVISIONS:

- 2.1 All monohulls that meet NCPHRF minimum requirements are invited to participate.
- 2.2 For each series, a minimum of 5 yachts and a consensus among them regarding applicable One-design class rules are needed to form a One-design division.
- 2.3 Short-handed divisions (single or double handed) will be available in the Sunday series.
- 2.4 Non one-design yachts will be assigned to an appropriate PHRF division. In order to be scored under PHRF, each yacht must have a current Northern California PHRF certificate on file in the YRA office. PHRF applications are available from YRA – www.yra.org or (415) 771-9500.
- 2.5 ***The fleets will be divided into divisions based on entrees received by November 6, 2017.***

3.0 ENTRIES:

- 3.1 To enter, go to www.berkeleyyc.org and enter on line. Or, fill in the entry form below and send with a check to the address indicated.
- 3.2 Entry fees are: Saturday series, \$ 110, Sunday series, \$ 110 or both series \$ 200. Single race only, \$ 35.

4.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:

The Sailing Instructions will be available on line by late Thursday, November 9, 2017 (See www.berkeleyyc.org).

5.0 START LOCATION AND TIME:

The Warning each day will be at **1155** at Olympic Circle buoy "XOC".

6.0 RACING AREA AND COURSES:

- 6.1 Courses will be on the Olympic Circle, using both permanent and temporary buoys.
- 6.2 It is the intention to provide predominantly windward/leeward courses.

7.0 HOSPITALITY:

The BYC guest dock will be available to all entrants. Race results will be posted and free appetizers will be available after each race.

2017-2018 MIDWINTER ENTRY FORM

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Entry due date is **ON or BEFORE** November 6, 2017



CIRCLE YOUR CHOICE: Saturday (\$110) Sunday (\$110) Both (\$200)
Single race (\$35) _____ insert date chosen

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BOAT NAME _____ SAIL NO. _____

BOAT TYPE _____ PHRF _____

PREFERRED CLASS/DIVISION _____

SHORT HANDED? Single _____ or Double _____ (Available only on Sunday)

The undersigned certifies that the above yacht meets the USCG minimum requirements and agrees to hold the Berkeley Yacht Club and its agents harmless from any claims for damage or injury to boat or crew as a result of participation in this regatta.

SKIPPER'S NAME (please print AND sign) _____

ADDRESS (street) _____

(city AND zip) _____

PHONES(S) _____ YACHT CLUB _____

EMAIL: _____

Make checks payable to BYC RACE and mail to:
The MIDWINTERS c/o Bobbi Tosse, 817 Hawthorne Dr., Walnut Creek, CA 94596

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