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THE YRA WELCOMES YOU TO THE 2016 RACING SEASON

Welcome to the YRA's 2016 Racing Season! We've got lots of racing opportunities planned for everyone, and the best racing value on the Bay. Whether you sail a multihull, a classic woody or a one-design boat, sail on the ocean or under PHRF in the Bay, we've got races waiting for you.

This publication serves as your reminder that it's time to renew your PHRF certificate and time to sign up to race! You can renew your PHRF certificate online at www.yra.org. No form is needed for a straightforward renewal. If you have changes to make, contact the YRA office for more information. An application for a new certificate is included in this publication, along with guidelines on how to complete our application.

For 2016, the YRA Racing Season offers four different racing options:

- **YRA Spring & Summer Series:** Each is a three-day series, generally with two races scheduled each race day. Divisions for one-design boats, sportboats and PHRF boats available.
- **OYRA:** Nine ocean races are scheduled again this year, with divisions for fully crewed and shorthanded boats.
- **Wooden Boat Series:** A full schedule of in-the-Bay racing for Bears, Birds, IODs, Folkboats and Knarrs.
- **Weekend Regattas:** The Great Vallejo Race, the Westpoint Regatta, the 2nd Half Opener and the Season Closer. YRA's four marquee events with divisions for all types of racers.

You can find information on the different racing opportunities in this publication and on the YRA website. When you're ready to sign up, visit www.yra.org to enter electronically.

We encourage everyone to get a YRA membership and sign up to race. Your membership, support and participation in the YRA goes to help us do everything we do. And we do a lot:

- Administer the local PHRF database; more than 600 certificates were issued in 2015. YRA members receive discounts on PHRF fees and complimentary changes throughout the year!
- Coordinate with the U.S. Coast Guard to process event permits - more than 800 permits in 2015.
- Maintain racing buoys on the Bay.
- Host the US Sailing Area G Appeals Committee.
- Advocate for sailing and racing in the Bay Area.
- Offer great racing.

As always, we want to thank the YRA member yacht clubs and their race committees who are sponsoring this year's YRA races. We couldn't do it without you and your support. We know each YRA skipper and crew thanks you as well.

Be sure to follow us on Twitter and Facebook to keep up with all the latest YRA news. You can find us on Twitter at YRAofSFBay and on Facebook at the YRA of SF Bay page.

Get those certificates renewed and get your entries in soon! We look forward to seeing you out on the starting line for every race you're scheduled to sail.



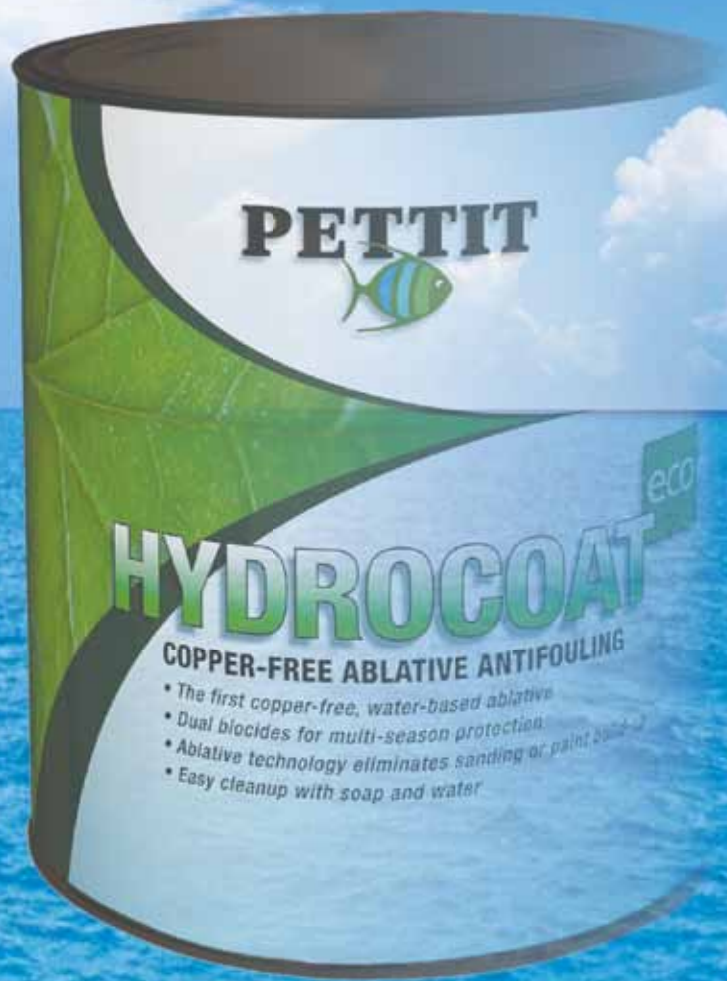
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Santana 22: *Byte Size*, Anna Alderkamp, SSS

YRA Summer Series

PHRF: *Azure*, Cal 40, Rodney Pimentel, EYC

Santana 22: *Meliki*, Deb Fehr, SSS

OYRA Series

PHRO 1: *Rufless*, Melges 32, Rufus Sjoberg, RYC

PHRO 2: *Elan*, Express 37, Jack Peurach, SSS

PHRO 3: *Green Buffalo*, Cal 40, Jim Quanci, RYC

SHS: *Nancy*, Wyliecat 30, Pat Broderick, SSS

Multihulls: *Raven*, F-27, Truls Myklebust, BAMA

YRA-WBRA

Bear: *Magic*, Tim Maloney, MMBA

Bird: *Cuckoo*, Bill Claussen, RYC

Folkboat: *Polperro*, Peter Jeal, BVBC

IOD: *Bolero*, Richard & Mark Pearce, SFYC

Knarr: *Fifty/Fifty*, Brent Crawford, SFYC

SSS

Singlehanded Monohull: *Lightspeed*, Wylie 39, Rick Elkins, RYC

Singlehanded Multihull: *Tri N Fly*, F-27, David Morris, HMBYC

Doublehanded Monohull: *Outsider*, Azzura 310, Greg Nelsen, SSS

Doublehanded Multihull: *Roshambo*, Corsair 31R, Darren Doud, SSS

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Mercury: *Fast Break*, Randy Smith, SFYC

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Laser: *Seaweed Magnet*, Emilio Castelli, SRSC

Laser Radial: *My Little Wife/Happy*, Stephen Aguilar, FLYC

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Express 27 Long Distance Series: *El Raton*, Ray Lotto, StFYC

Express 37: *Golden Moon*, Express 37, Kame Richards/Mike Mannix, EYC

Islander 36: *Windwalker*, Richard Shoenhair, SSS

J/24: *Downtown Uproar*, Darren Cumming

J/105: *Blackhawk*, Ryan Simmons, SFYC

J/111: *MadMen*, Dorian McKelvy, StFYC

J/120: *Peregrine*, David Halliwill, StFYC

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ESTUARY CUP

April 10

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SUMMER SAILSTICE

June 18

BAYS REGATTA

July 9-10

GRACIE & GEORGE REGATTA

August 21

MILLIMETER NATIONALS

September 10-11

COMMODORE'S CUP

September 11

BART'S BASH

September 18

JUNIOR SAILING REGATTA

October 1-2



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- June 4

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- June 26

Friday Night "Beer Can" Series:

- April 15-August 26

Singlehanded Transpac Start:

- July 2 – Organizer: SSS

CYC One-Design Invitational:

J/105, Express 27, Moore 24, plus...

- July 23-24

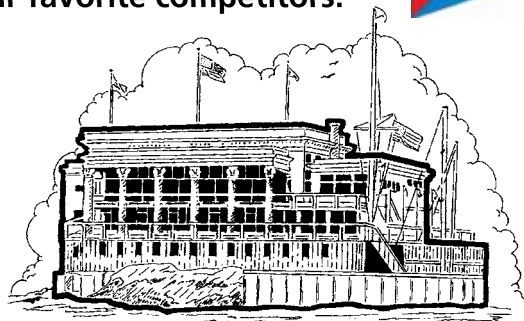
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- August 27-28

YRA Season Closer:

- September 24-25

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MXL10	14mm - 9/16"	55mm - 2 5/32"	2.89	3,968

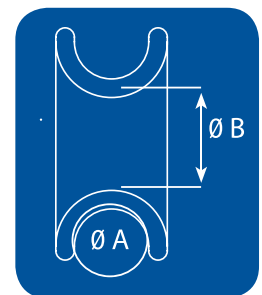
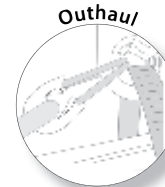


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RULES

Latitude 38's Basic Racing Guidelines

Since sailboat racing is a recreational sport, we think the number one rule should be to have fun. Beyond that, some basic guidelines help prevent collisions and ensure that racing is both fun and fair. Below is an outline of the ten basic rules which cover most racing situations. For completeness and total accuracy, refer to *Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016*, published by US Sailing. See www.ussailing.org/rules for details.

1. **Port tack keep clear** of starboard tack.



2. If boats are on the *same tack*, and overlapped, **the windward boat must keep clear** of the boat to leeward.
3. If boats are on the *same tack*, a boat clear astern **must keep clear** of a boat clear ahead.
4. **When tacking or jibing, keep clear** of boats on a tack.
5. **Avoid collisions.** If you have the right of way and hit the other boat, causing damage or injury, you both will be penalized.
6. **Don't obstruct.** Don't make it hard for the 'keep clear' boat to do so. (No hunting allowed.)
7. **Sail the course** prescribed. You have to round the marks in the directions specified in the Sailing Instructions and can't touch a mark.
8. **Proper Course** (same tack, within two hull lengths). If the leeward boat came from astern, leeward boat shall not sail above its own proper course during the overlap. (Remember that the windward boat still has to keep clear, even if windward is forced above what it believes is windward's proper course. Leeward still has right of way.)
9. **Give room at marks and obstructions** to yachts overlapped on the inside, except:
 - a. When the overlap did not exist before the lead boat reaches the **three-boatlength zone**.
 - b. When approaching a windward mark on opposite tack.
 - c. At a starting mark surrounded by navigable water. That is, you don't have to let a barger in at the start except to avoid collision (then protest).
10. **Acknowledge your fouls and protest those who don't.**

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- 1.1 These Minimum Equipment Requirements establish uniform minimum equipment and training standards for a variety of boats racing in San Francisco Bay under YRA. These regulations do not replace, but rather supplement the requirements of the U.S. Coast Guard, the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the rules of Class Associations, and all applicable rating rules.
- 1.2 The safety of a boat and her crew is the sole and inescapable responsibility of the “person in charge,” as per RRS 46, who shall ensure that the boat is seaworthy and manned by an experienced crew with sufficient ability and experience to face bad weather. S/he shall be satisfied as to the soundness of hull, spars, rigging, sails and all gear. S/he shall ensure that all safety equipment is at all times properly maintained and safely stowed and that the crew knows where it is kept and how it is to be used.
- 1.3 A boat may be inspected at any time by an inspector or measurer of the Organizing Authority. If she does not comply with these regulations her entry may be rejected, or will be liable to disqualification, or such other penalty as may be prescribed by the race protest committee.
- 1.4 All equipment required shall function properly, be regularly checked, cleaned and serviced, and be of a type, size and capacity suitable for the intended use and size of the boat and the size of the crew. This equipment shall be readily accessible while underway and, when not in use, stored in such a way that deterioration is minimized.
- 1.5 A boat’s heavy items such as batteries, stoves, toolboxes, anchors, chain and internal ballast shall be secured.
- 2.1 A boat shall have a manual bilge pump of at least a 10 GPM capacity.
- 2.2 A boat shall carry a sturdy bucket of at least two gallons (8 liters) capacity with lanyards attached.
- 3.1 Each crewmember shall have a U.S. Coast Guard-approved Type III or Type V life jacket intended for small boat sailing or other active boating.
- 3.2 A boat racing between sunset and sunrise shall carry navigation lights that meet U.S. Coast Guard requirements mounted so that they will not be obscured by the sails nor be located below deck level.
- 3.3 A boat shall carry fire extinguisher(s) that meet U.S. Coast Guard requirements, when applicable.
- 3.4 A boat shall carry a sound-making device that meets U.S. Coast Guard requirements, when applicable.
- 3.6 A boat shall carry U.S. Coast Guard flares meeting day/night requirements not older than the expiration date. Alternately, non-pyrotechnic distress signals (distress flag for day, SOS light for night) which meet USCG requirements may be substituted.
- 3.7 Beginning January 1, 2015, it was required for a boat to have a throwing sock-type heaving line of 50-ft (15m) or greater of floating polypropylene line readily accessible to the cockpit.
- 3.8 A boat shall carry a U.S. Coast Guard-approved Type IV throwable device.
- 3.9 A boat shall have a VHF radio which may be handheld or fixed mount.
- 3.10 A boat shall have a magnetic compass independent of the boat’s electrical system suitable for steering at sea.
- 3.11 A boat shall have at least one means to navigate (charts, GPS) which is appropriate for the race area and the characteristics of the boat.
- 3.12 A boat shall carry one anchor, meeting the anchor manufacturer’s recommendations based on the yacht’s size, with a suitable combination of chain and line.
- 3.13 A boat shall carry a first aid kit and first aid manual suitable for the likely conditions of the passage and the number of crew aboard.
- 4.1 Annually, two-thirds of the boat’s racing crew shall practice man-overboard procedures appropriate for the boat’s size and speed. The practice shall consist of marking and returning to a position on the water, and demonstrating a method of hoisting a crewmember back on deck, or other consistent means of reboarding the crewmember.

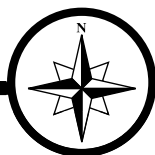


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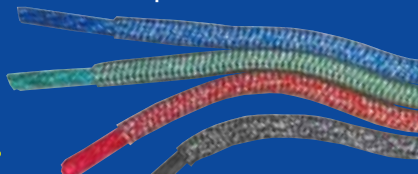
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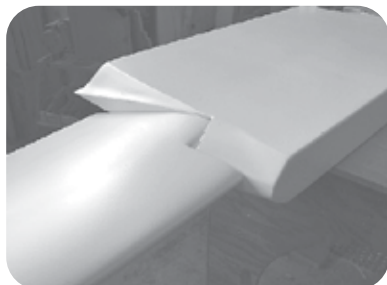
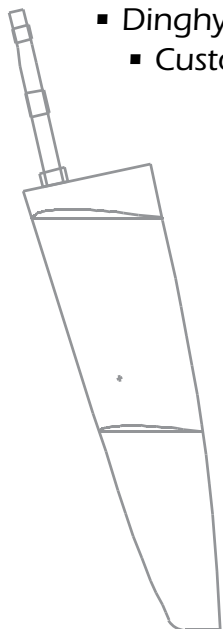
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Midwinters, remaining 2015-2016 season: 1/9, 1/10, 2/13, 2/14.
Fall 2016 dates: 11/12, 11/13, 12/10, 12/11.
Bobbi Tosse, (925) 939-9885, bobbi_john@jfcbat.com
Chowder Series, remaining 2015-16 season: 1/3, 1/17, 1/24,
1/31, 2/7, 2/21, 2/28, 3/6, 3/13, 3/20, 3/27.
Fall 2016 dates: 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30, 11/6, 11/20,
11/27, 12/4, 12/18, 12/25. Paul Kamen, (510) 540-7968,
pk@well.com, www.berkeleyyc.org

CORINTHIAN YACHT CLUB

Midwinters: 1/16-17, 2/20 (Rob Moore Memorial Regatta), 2/21.
Don Wieneke, (415) 435-4771, racing@cyc.org, www.cyc.org

ELKHORN YACHT CLUB

Frostbite Series: 2/27, 3/12, 3/26, 4/9, 4/23.
Chowder Cup Series: 10/8, 10/22, 11/5, 11/19, 12/3.
(831) 724-3875, eyc@elkhornyc.com, www.elkhornyc.com

ENCINAL YACHT CLUB

Jack Frost Midwinters, remaining 2015-2016 season:
1/23, 2/27, 3/19. Fall 2016: 11/12.
Doug Perry, (510) 867-8064, svchoices@att.net,
www.encinal.org

GOLDEN GATE YACHT CLUB

Midwinters, remaining 2015-2016 season: 1/2, 2/6, 3/5.
Fall 2016: 11/5, 12/3.
Dennis Bush, (510) 703-5779, bush.sailing@gmail.com,
www.ggyc.org

ISLAND YACHT CLUB

Midwinters, remaining 2015-2016 season: 1/10, 2/14, 3/13.
Fall 2016: 11/13, 12/11. John New, (510) 521-2980,
iycracing@yahoo.com, www.iyc.org

MONTEREY PENINSULA YACHT CLUB

Perry Cup Midwinters; remaining 2015-2016 season: 1/2, 2/6.
race@mpyc.org, www.mpyc.org

OAKLAND YACHT CLUB

Sunday Brunch Series: 1/3, 1/17, 1/31, 2/7, 2/21, 3/6, 3/20.
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info@regattapro.com, www.regattapro.com

RICHMOND YACHT CLUB

Opti Midwinters, remaining 2015-2016 season: 1/2, 2/6.
Fall 2016: 12/3. Dan Brandt, dan.higherfastervmg@gmail.com
Small Boat Midwinters, remaining 2015-2016 season: 1/3, 2/7,
3/6. Fall 2016: 12/4.
Nancy Pettengill, nancyepettengill@comcast.net,
www.richmondyc.org

SANTA CRUZ YACHT CLUB

Midwinters, remaining 2015-2016 season: 1/16, 2/20, 3/19.
Fall 2016: 11/19, 12/17.
scyc@scyc.org, www.scyc.org

SANTA ROSA SAILING CLUB

Spring Lake Winter Series, remaining 2015-2016 dates: 1/16,
2/13, 3/19, 4/16.
www.santarosasailingclub.org

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Midwinters, remaining 2015-2016 season: 1/3, 2/7, 3/6.
Fall 2016: 11/6, 12/4.
Chuck Cihak, race@sausalitoyachtclub.org,
www.sausalitoyc.org

SEQUOIA YACHT CLUB

Winter Series, remaining 2015-2016 season: 1/9, 2/6,
3/19 (St. Patrick's Day Race).
Fall 2016: 11/5, 12/3.
Redwood Cup, remaining 2015-2016 season: 1/23, 2/20, 3/12.
Fall 2016: 11/19, 12/17.
Rick Dalton, (650) 255-5766, sviowa@gmail.com,
www.sequoiayc.org

SOUTH BEACH YACHT CLUB

Island Fever Series, remaining 2015-2016 season:
1/23, 2/27, 3/19. Fall 2016: 11/19, 12/17.
Dan Courter, (925) 209-3081,
rearcommodore@southbeachyachtclub.org,
www.southbeachyachtclub.org

TIBURON YACHT CLUB

Midwinters: 1/9, 2/6, 3/5.
race@tyc.org, www.tyc.org

VALLEJO YACHT CLUB

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Jan. 30	Three Bridge Fiasco, SSS
Feb. 27	Single/Doublehanded #1, SeqYC
March 12	Rites of Spring Race, OYC
March 12	Doublehanded Long Distance, SSC
March 19	Corinthian Race, SSS
March 26	Doublehanded Farallones, BAMA
April 2	Doublehanded Lightship Race, IYC
April 16	YRA OYRA Lightship
April 23	Round the Rocks, SSS
Apr. 30-May 1	YRA Great Vallejo Race
May 7	Single/Doublehanded #2, SeqYC
May 14	Singlehanded Farallones Race, SSS
May 21	YRA OYRA Duxship
May 27	Spinnaker Cup to Monterey, SFYC/MPYC
June 11	YRA OYRA Farallones Race
June 24	Doublehanded Races, LTWYC
June 25	YRA OYRA Half Moon Bay Race
July 9	YRA Westpoint Regatta
July 16	YRA OYRA Jr. Waterhouse
July 16	Jack and Jill Race, SSC
July 23	Single/Doublehanded #3, SeqYC
July 30-31	YRA Second Half Opener
Aug. 6	YRA OYRA RC's Choice
Aug. 21	Singlehanded Race, LTWYC
Aug. 21	Gracie & George Race, EYC
Aug. 27-28	YRA OYRA / SSS Drake's Bay Race
Sept. TBD	Jack and Jill Regatta, SCYC
Sept. 10	Single/Doublehanded #4, SeqYC
Sept. 24	Half Moon Bay Race, SSS
Sept. 24-25	YRA Season Closer
Oct. 1	Shorthanded Races, TYC
Oct. 8	YRA OYRA RC's Choice
Oct. 15	Single/Doublehanded #5, SeqYC
Oct. 22-23	Vallejo 1-2, SSS
Nov. 6	Jack & Jill + 1 Race (Triplehanded), IYC

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2016 FLEET SCHEDULES

Sailing Instructions for all YRA regattas and races will be posted on www.yra.org, the YRA website. Sailing Instructions are available one week prior to the start of each race.

Racers entering an ocean race or an ocean series must comply with the specific OYRA Minimum Equipment Requirements, including the requirement for a 406 EPIRB or PLB. No later than the Thursday before EACH race, sailors must complete the online Boat and Crew Registration form through www.jibaset.net. Please refer to www.yra.org/OYRA/ocean_safety.html for more information on ocean racing requirements.

Single Race Entries are due by 5:00 p.m. the Monday prior to the race. Entries received after 5:00 p.m. Monday may incur a \$35 late fee. Entries are not accepted after 5:00 p.m. the Thursday prior to the race.

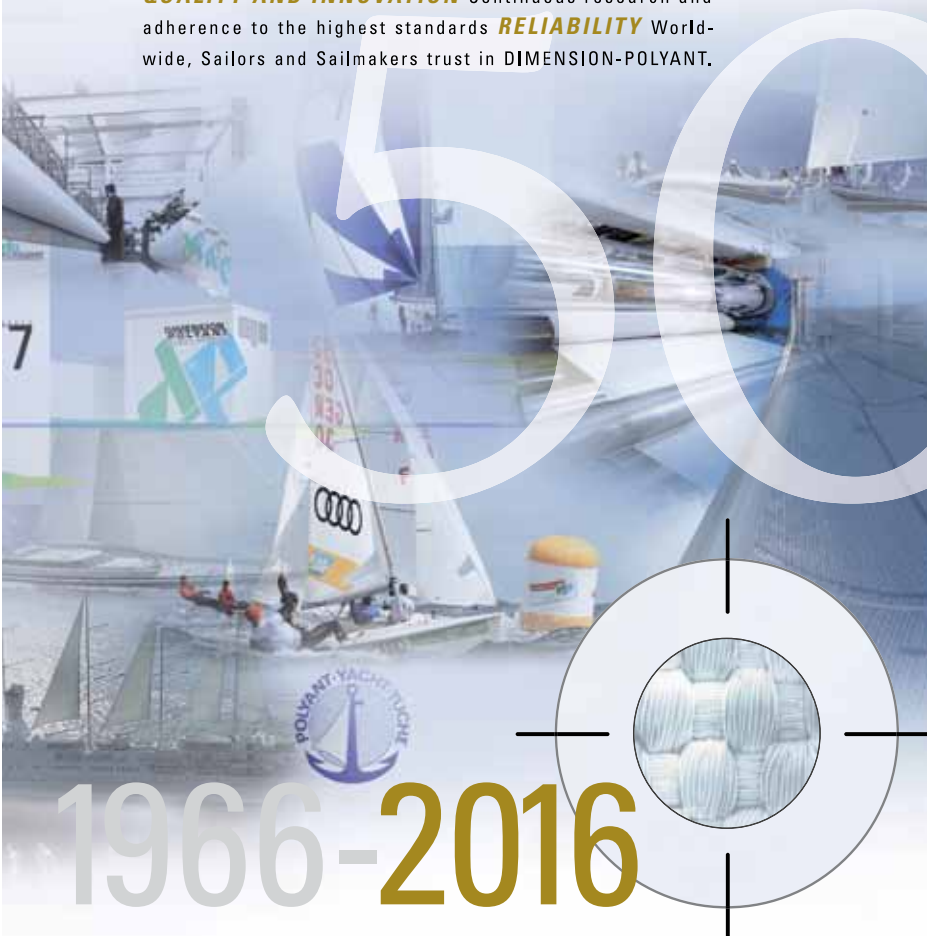
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| April 9: | YRA Spring Series #1 |
| May 14: | YRA Spring Series #2 |
| June 18: | YRA Spring Series #3 |

YRA Summer Series

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| July 23: | YRA Summer Series #1 |
| August 13: | YRA Summer Series #2 |
| September 17: | YRA Summer Series #3 |

OYRA Series

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| April 16: | OYRA Lightship |
| May 21: | OYRA Duxship |
| June 11: | OYRA Farallones |
| June 25: | OYRA One Way to Half Moon Bay |
| July 16: | OYRA Junior Waterhouse |
| August 6: | OYRA RC's Choice |

2016 FLEET SCHEDULES

OYRA Series (cont'd)

August 27-28: OYRA Drake's Bay
 September 10: OYRA RC's Choice

YRA-WBRA Series

April 23: WBRA #1
 May 7: WBRA #2
 June 4: WBRA #3
 August 6: WBRA #4
 September 24: WBRA #5
 October 8: WBRA #6

YRA WEEKEND REGATTAS

April 30-May 1: Season Opener:
 The Great Vallejo Race
 July 9: Westpoint Regatta
 July 30-31: Second Half Opener
 September 24-25: Season Closer

SSS

See ad on page 69.

January 30: Three Bridge Fiasco
 March 19: Corinthian Race
 April 23: Round the Rocks
 May 14: Singlehanded Farallones
 July 2: Singlehanded TransPac Start
 August 27-28: Drake's Bay Race
 September 24: Half Moon Bay Race
 October 22-23: Vallejo 1-2

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DESCRIPTION OF MARKS

Buoys of Berkeley Circle: BOC, COC, EOC, FOC, GOC, XOC

YRA Mark XOC has been designated the *Bob Klein Memorial Buoy* by the YRA Board of Directors. Maintenance of this buoy is funded by the Richmond Yacht Club Foundation.

A: Yellow sphere "A" Outer Buoy ~ St. Francis Yacht Club

D: G "3" Fl G 4s 15 ft on Olympic Circle

K: Temporary YC buoy .3 nm west of YRA 4 and in line with YRA 12

L: Temporary YC buoy .31 nm west of windmill in line with YRA 4

N: Daymark "2" Fl R on channel east of Sausalito

X: Yellow sphere "X" ~ Golden Gate Yacht Club

1: Red Rock Island

2: Alcatraz Island

3: Farallones Light (ocean)

4: Temporary YC buoy WSW of Pt. Knox

5: Temporary YC buoy approx. .6 nm SW of Alcatraz

6: Yellow Column "M" 200 yds. north of Ft. Mason Docks

7: R "2" Fl 6s 1 nm NW of Treasure Island

8: R "4" Fl 4s Horn 1 nm east of Pt. Blunt

9: Temp. YC buoy .5 nm ESE of west end of Berkeley Pier ruins 1 nm ENE of YRA 10

10: Temporary YC buoy approx. .6 nm ESE of west end of Berkeley Pier ruins

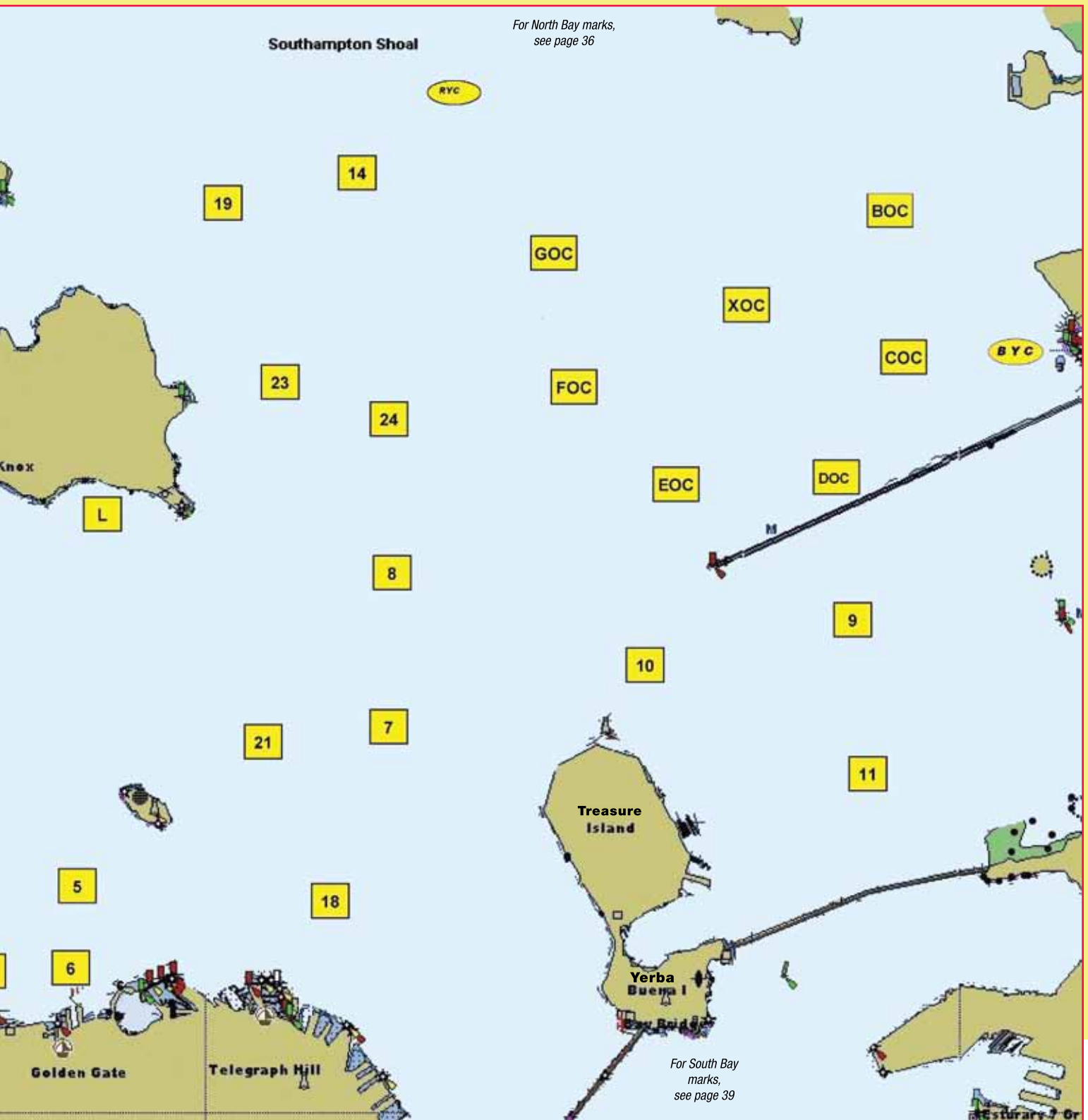
11: Temporary YC buoy 1.5 nm east of Treasure Island

12: G "1" Fl G 4s Little Harding Rock

13: Crissy Field Buoy

14: Southampton Shoals





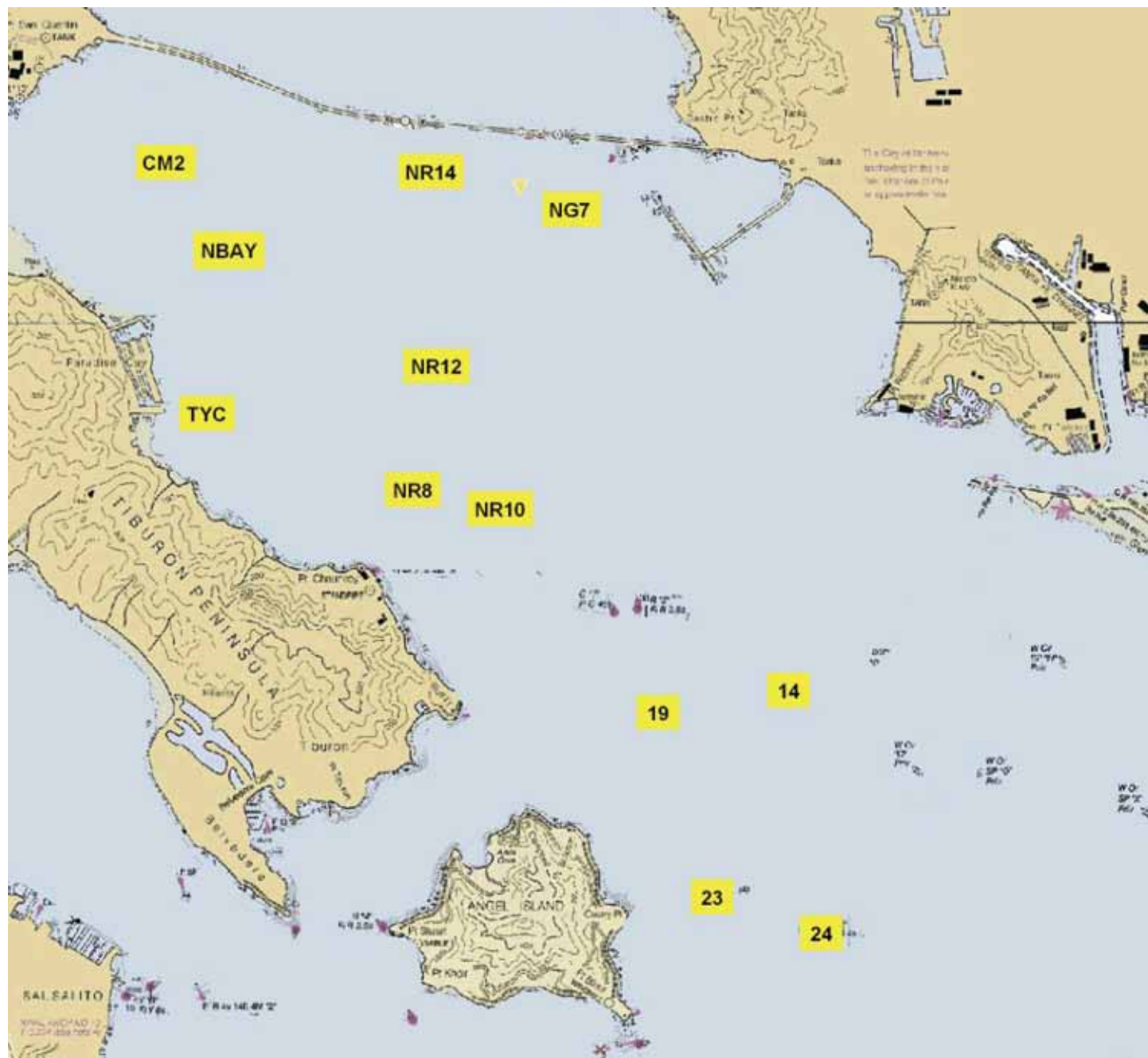
For North Bay marks,
see page 36

For South Bay
marks,
see page 39

- 15: Temporary YC buoy approx. .5 nm east of Yellow Bluff (Sausalito vicinity)
- 16: Yellow Column "C" .2 nm east of Fort Point "Blackaller"
YRA Mark 16 has been designated the *Thomas D. Blackaller Jr. Memorial Buoy* by the YRA Board of Directors. The maintenance of this buoy will be funded by the Thomas D. Blackaller Jr. Fund.
- 17: RG "HR" FI (2+1) R 6s, Harding Rock
- 18: RG "BR" FI (2+1) G 6s bell, Blossom Rock
- 19: R "8" FI R 2.5s approx. 1.5 nm east of Pt. Bluff
- 21: G "1" FI G 6s .65 nm NE of Alcatraz
- 23: RW "A" Mo (A) east of Angel Island
- 24: R "6" FI R 4s bell, 1.1 nm east of Quarry Pt.
- BYC: Yellow column "BYC" east of COC

- CM2: R "2" FI R 6s on outer end of Corte Madera Channel
- NO: North Approach Buoy FI Y 4s to San Francisco Channel (ocean)
- SO: South Approach Buoy FI Y 4s to San Francisco Channel (ocean)
- NBAY: Temporary YC buoy approx. .6 nm NE of Tiburon YC clubhouse
- NG7: G "7" FI G 2.5s approx. .45 nm SE of Red Rock
- NR12: R "12" FI R 4s approx. 1.3 nm south of Richmond-SR Bridge main channel
- NR14: R "14" FI R 4s approx. .28 nm south of Richmond-SR Bridge main channel
- PB: Point Bonita RG FI (2+1) R 6s bell (ocean)
- RYC: Yellow column "RYC" on southern edge of Southampton Shoals
- SF: Center Channel Buoy RW "SF", strobe FI 2.5s whistle on SF Channel (ocean)
- TYC: Privately-maintained white mark "TYC" off south entrance to Paradise Cay

NORTH BAY MARKS



DESCRIPTION OF MARKS

- 14: Southampton Shoals
- 19: R "8" FI R 2.5s approx. 1.5 nm east of Pt. Bluff
- 23: RW "A" Mo (A) east of Angel Island
- 24: R "6" FI R 4s Bell, 1.1 nm east of Quarry Pt.
- CM2: R "2" FI R 6s on outer end of Corte Madera Channel
- NO: North Approach Buoy FI Y 4s to San Francisco Channel (ocean)
- SO: South Approach Buoy FI Y 4s to San Francisco Channel (ocean)
- NBAY: Temp YC buoy approx. .6 nm NE of Tiburon YC clubhouse
- NG7: G "7" FI G 2.5s approx. .45 nm SE of Red Rock
- NR12: R "12" FI R 4s approx. 1.3 nm south of Richmond-San Rafael Bridge main channel
- NR14: R "14" FI R 4s approx. .28 nm south of Richmond-San Rafael Bridge main channel
- SF: Center Channel Buoy RW "SF", strobe FI 2.5s whistle, on San Francisco Channel (ocean)
- TYC: Privately maintained white mark "TYC" off south entrance to Paradise Cay

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DEFINITIONS FOR YRA RACING AREAS

The following racing areas have been defined by the YRA for the purposes of describing the general geographical location and the marks that may be used in a YRA race. Please refer to the individual Sailing Instructions for each YRA race for the exact courses. Temporary marks may be used instead of, or in conjunction with, the described marks in any of these YRA Racing Areas. Sailing Instructions will be available on the YRA website at www.yra.org approximately one week prior to the start of a YRA race.

BERKELEY CIRCLE (OC) RACING AREA

See pages 34-35.

Includes Marks BOC, COC, DOC, EOC, FOC, GOC, XOC, 8, 12, 15, 17.

CITYFRONT RACING AREA

See pages 34-35.

Includes Marks A, X, 6, 16, 17, 18, 21.

KNOX RACING AREA

See pages 34-35.

Includes Marks K, L, N, 4, 12, 15, 21, 23.

NORTH BAY (NB) RACING AREA

See page 36.

Includes Marks CM2, NG7, NR8, NR10, NR12, NR14, TYC, 14.

SOUTH BAY (SB) ALAMEDA SIDE RACING AREA

See page 39.

Races held in this sailing area will use temporary marks in the vicinity of NAS2.

SOUTH BAY (SB) SF SIDE RACING AREA

See page 39.

Includes Marks AS1, NAS2, W1, XS1, 31, 34, 37.

SOUTHAMPTON SHOALS (SH) RACING AREA

See pages 34-35.

Includes Marks N, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21.

TREASURE ISLAND (TI) RACING AREA

See pages 34-35.

Includes Marks EOC, 2, 7, 9, 10, 17, 18, 21.

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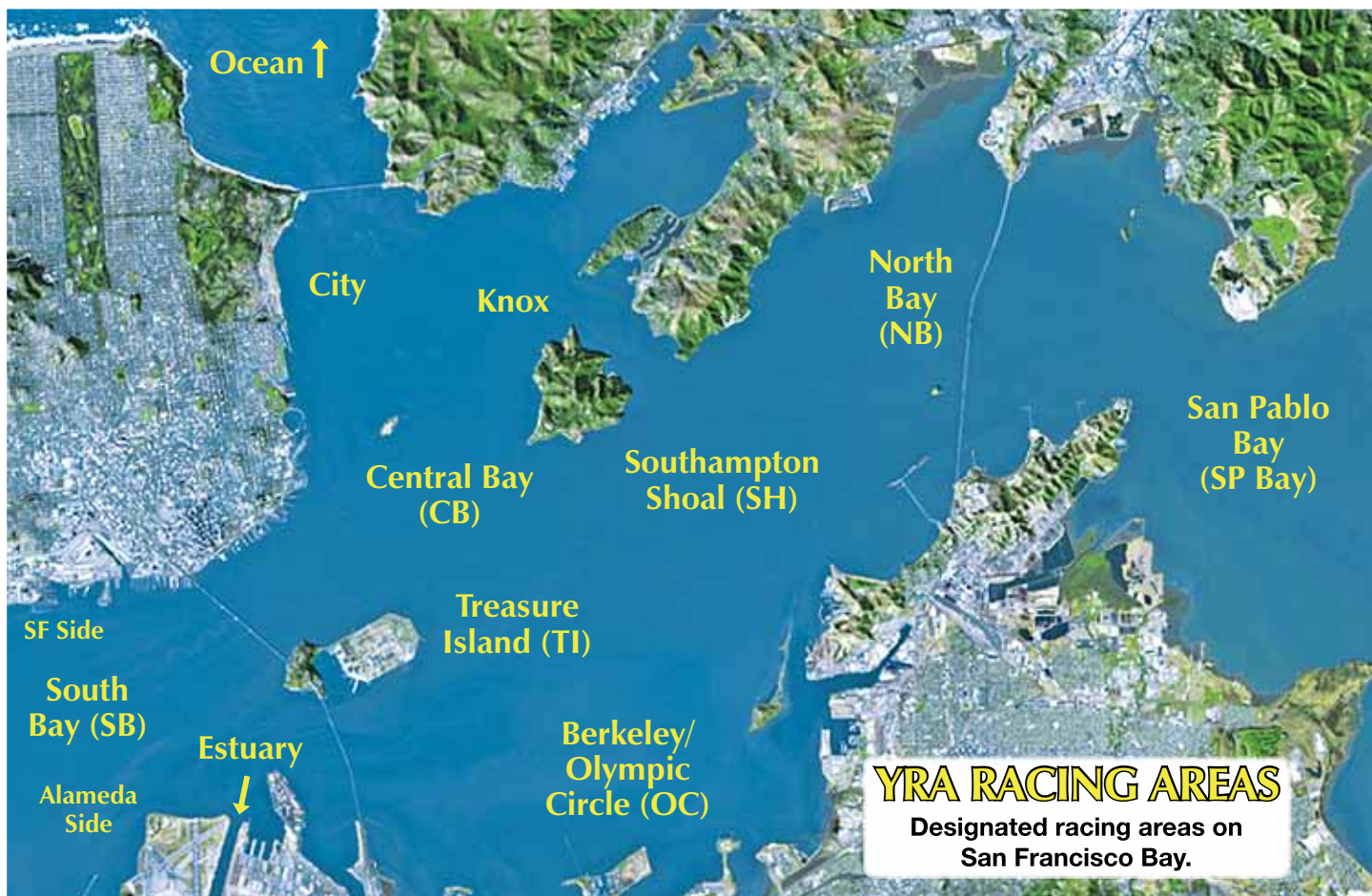
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- SYC Chili Midwinter Series: The first Sunday of the month – January 3, February 7, March 6, November 1, December 6.
- Jaws: March 26. A single pursuit race with the start and finish near Sausalito Yacht Club, recalling a club tradition of starts and finishes off the club deck, with the new "Jaws" trophy. A "Predicted Log" race for power boats will be running concurrently with this race for sailboats.
- Great Vallejo Race: April 30 - May 1, start and finish.
- Wooden Boat Invitational: TBA; April, June, August, September.
- Twin Island Series: Three races around Alcatraz and Angel Island on April 23, July 16 and October 15. (You choose your direction around the islands... Course B possibility of Angel Island and Red Rock Island.)
- Sunset Series: Ten spring and summer races on alternate Tuesday nights to set aside work pressures for mid-week competition. The Spring Series starts April 26 and the Summer Series starts July 26 and runs through September. The Sunset Champion of Champions Race is September 24.
- PICYA Lipton Cup Invitational: July 9.
- Women Skippers Race: A race on August 27 with a woman as skipper. "No man may touch the wheel!"
- Rear Commodore's Race: A 20-mile race/cruise to Vallejo Yacht Club on June 25. This is usually a great downwind race with an excellent party and dinner afterward.

SOUTH BAY MARKS



DESCRIPTION OF MARKS

- | | |
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| AS1: Yellow sphere approx. .25 nm east of BVBC | 31: Temporary YC buoy approx. 1.2 nm SE of Mission Rock Terminal |
| NAS2: NAS Alameda Channel Mark "R2" FI R 4s | 33: Red buoy "4" FI R 4s, Oakland Inner Harbor Entrance Channel |
| SC1: Red & green buoy "SC" FI G (2+1) approx. 1 nm ENE of Mission Rock Terminal | 34: Red buoy "2" FI R 2s approx. .5 nm east of Potrero Point |
| W1: Temporary YC buoy approx. 1 nm east of Army St. Terminal | 35: Green daymarker "3" FI G 2.5s, Alameda NAS Entrance Channel |
| XS1: Temporary YC buoy approx. halfway between 31 & AS1 | 36: Red daymarker "4" FI R 4s, Alameda NAS Entrance Channel |
| | 37: Green buoy "5" FI G 4s approx. 1 nm SSE of Army St. Terminal |

HELPFUL INFO FOR FILLING OUT AN NCPHRF APPLICATION

Getting a PHRF rating for your boat is one of the easiest ways to get involved in the myriad forms of Bay Area racing. If you have a well-known sailboat, it's likely the YRA already has a rating number on file for your boat type. However, many boats have been modified or may have different sail configurations affecting their speed. For this reason, all boats need their measurements submitted to the YRA in order to get a rating certificate. To make it easier, the YRA has prepared the following instructions to help you fill out the NCPHRF rating application on page 49.

For unmodified class boats, common measurements for items such as I, J, P, and E, as well as ballast and displacement, can be found online, in sales brochures, in class rules, or from your sailmaker. However, if you have a modified or non-class boat, or cannot find all the required information for your boat, the following guidelines can help walk you through the required measurements.

If you have a current or expired certificate and need to make changes to your boat's configuration, please contact the YRA office to discuss your changes and what forms may be necessary. Any other questions please contact the YRA office at (415) 771-9500 or via email at info@yra.org.

SAIL NUMBER

This should be a number that the YRA office has assigned to your boat. Please call the YRA office for more information. Sail Prefix is a country code. This space can be blank or it might say USA or IRL.

CLASS/TYPE

We are looking for the type of boat you have – like a Cal 20 or Islander 36. If your boat is custom-made or one of a kind, please indicate so. If it was designed under some rule, please tell us what rule; e.g., 6-meter, IOR 1/4-ton, etc. In this case, if you have any measurement certificate, no matter how old, please include a copy of it with your application for rating.

ONE DESIGN RATING

Refer to the NCPHRF Rules (www.yra.org) to find out if this applies to you. It is anticipated that other members in your class who know and understand your rules and limitations, as modified by Section V, will monitor the OD ratings.

RIG AND SAIL MEASUREMENTS

What is the source of the information provided? We are looking for where you obtained the information on your certificate. Please indicate by circling which sources apply.

FORETRIANGLE

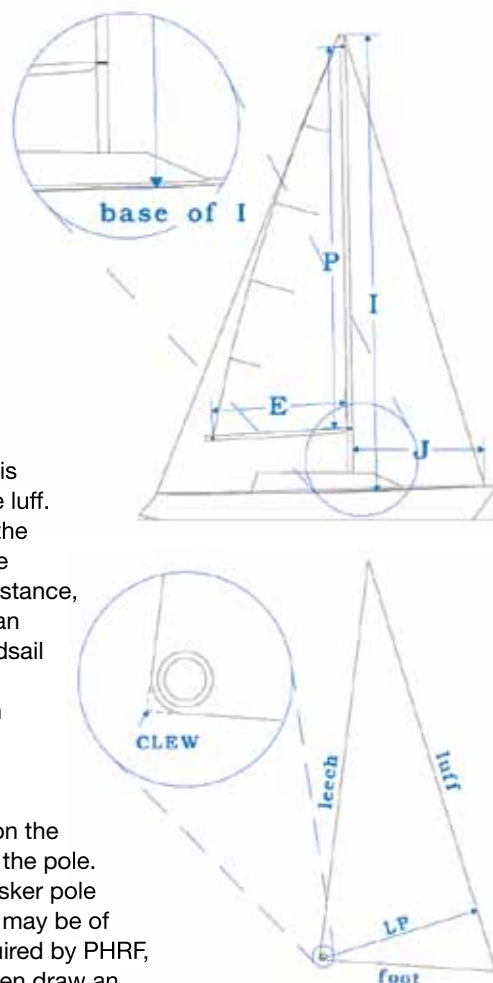
- I Vertical distance from upper point of 'I' to lower point of 'I'
Upper point of 'I' is the highest of:
 1. Intersection of mast and highest jibstay.
 2. Highest sheave for jib halyard drawn horizontal to mast.Lower point of 'I' is the sheerline abreast the mast (not the cabin top).
The sheerline is the intersection of the deck and the hull.
- J Horizontal distance from mast to where the forward-most jibstay intersects the deck, or jib tack. Note that 'JC' is no longer on this form.

LARGEST HEADSAIL

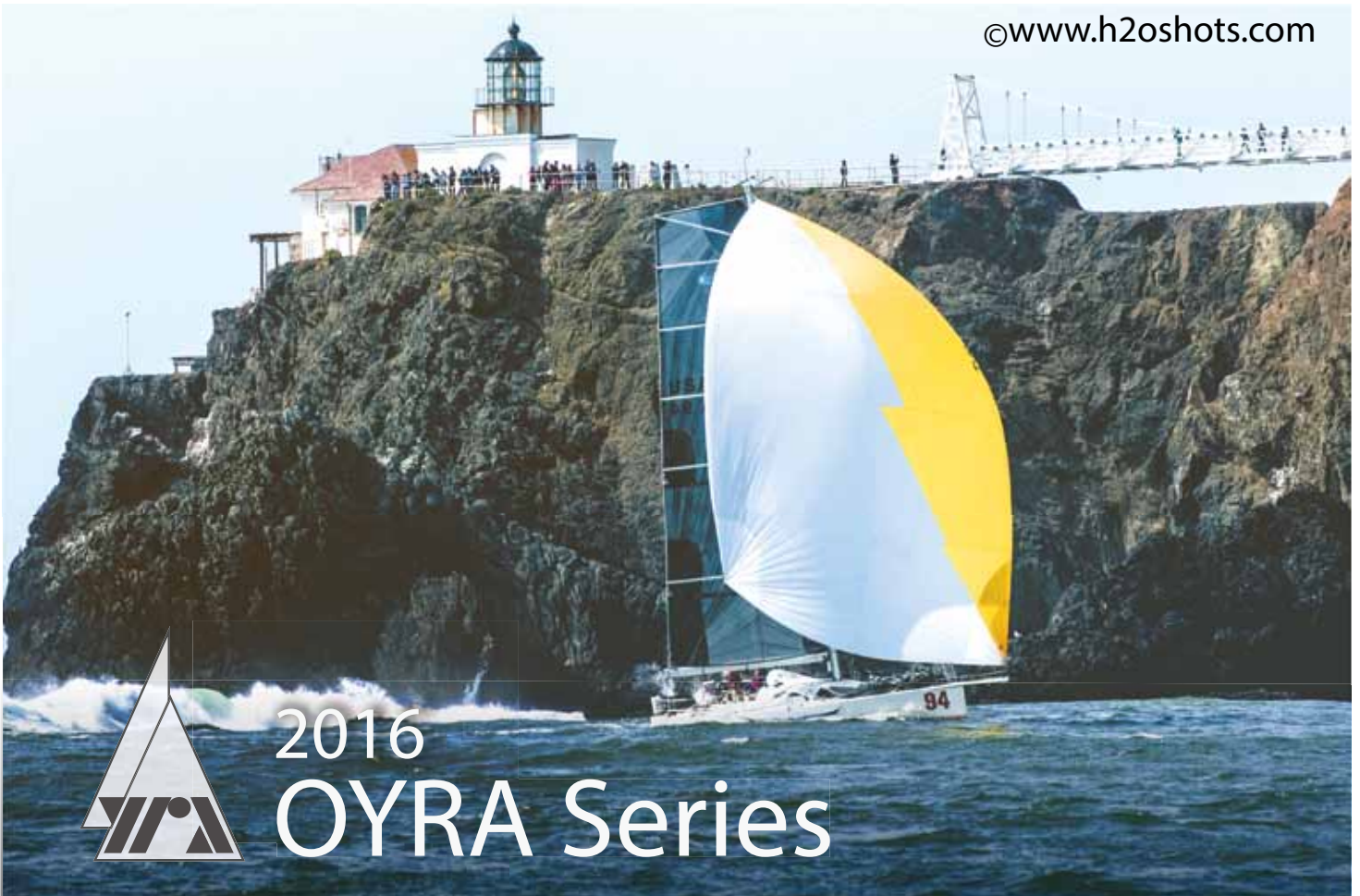
Largest Headsail percent is $LP/J \times 100$. The LP (Luff Perpendicular) of your jibs is determined by measuring the distance from the clew to the nearest point on the luff. This is done by holding the zero end of a tape measure at the clew (defined as the intersection of the leech and the foot), removing the wrinkles from the area to be measured, and swinging an arc up and down the luff, recording the minimum distance, then dividing by J and multiplying by 100. For example, suppose you measure an LP of 15.5 feet on your biggest headsail, and your J is 10 feet. Your largest headsail is $15.5/10 \times 100 = 155\%$, which happens to be the largest non-penalty headsail allowed under PHRF for a 10-ft J. Your sailmaker is also a source of information on sail dimensions.

SPL = Spinnaker Pole Length

Spinnaker Pole Length is the length of the spinnaker pole when set in position on the mast; measured from the front face of the mast to the extreme outboard end of the pole. Please note the distinction between a whisker pole and a spinnaker pole: A whisker pole may be used to pole out any jib (but may NOT attach to any type of spinnaker), may be of any length, and may be adjustable. Information on your whisker pole is not required by PHRF, and should not be used as an answer for the spinnaker pole length, as it will often draw an unnecessary penalty.



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2016 OYRA Series

April 16th

May 21st

June 11th

June 25th

July 16th

August 6th

August 27th & 28th

September 10th

Heed the call of the ocean and head out the Golden Gate with OYRA. 9 races are scheduled for 2016, including the popular Full Crew Farallones race and the season opening Full Crew Lightship Race. We offer Divisions for full crewed boats, single and double handed boats and multihulls. One-Design classes can be added to any race.

The Race Sign Up, Notice of Race, and Sailing Instructions for each regatta are available at www.yra.org.

Daily and Series Championship trophies will be passed out on Nov. 15th, 2016 at the Berkeley Yacht Club.

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ISP ('I' for the spinnaker)

ISP = spinnaker hoist. Measured from the underside of the spinnaker halyard, when drawn horizontally forward from mast, to the level of the sheerline abreast the mast. The sheerline is the intersection of the deck and the hull.

Note: In some cases, 'I' and 'ISP' are the same. If your spinnaker halyard exits the mast above the upper point of 'I' as described above, then your 'ISP' will be greater than 'I'.

JSP (for boats with sprits and asymmetric spinnakers only)

JSP = spinnaker 'J' horizontal distance from mast to the forward most attachment point for the spinnaker tack.

If this location is adjustable, as with an adjustable bow pole, then measure with the bow pole fully extended on centerline.

TYPE OF RIG

Sloops come in two varieties: 'masthead,' where the forestay goes to the top of the mast; and 'fractional,' where the forestay is anchored to the mast somewhere below the top of the mast. Other types of rigs include ketch, yawl, cutter or catboat.

MAST MATERIAL

What is your mast made of? Common materials are aluminum, wood, carbon, fiberglass, and 'other.'

STANDING RIGGING MATERIAL

What material are your shrouds made of? In part, we are looking for boats that have changed their standing rigging.

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2016

Spring/Summer Series

Spring Series

April 9th

May 14th

June 18th

Summer Series

July 23rd

August 13th

September 17th

The YRA Spring and Summer Series features short course racing in the Central and South Bays. The series is open to PHRF and Sport Boats and to One-Design fleets. 2 races are scheduled to be held on each race day.

Racers can sign up for either the Spring or Summer Series, or for both. The Race Sign Up, Notice of Race, and Sailing Instructions for each series are available at www.yra.org.

Series Championship trophies and Daily Awards will be passed out on Nov. 15th, 2016 at the Berkeley Yacht Club.

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MAINSAIL

P = Mainsail Hoist (distance between bands)

E = Mainsail Foot (distance from aft edge of mast to the inner edge of the band on the boom)

HB = The total width of the top of the sail from the front of the luff rope to the top aft corner.

MGU and MGM

MGU (Main Girth Upper) and MGM (Main Girth Middle) are girths measured on your mainsail.

These girths measure the width of mainsails one-quarter and one-half the distance down the leech from the head. Measure your girths by folding the head (front corner of headboard) to the clew, smoothing the leech and marking the fold at the leech (MGM starting point). Next, fold the head to the mid-leech point and mark this new fold on the leech (MGU starting point). Now lay the sail out flat. Hold the zero end of a tape measure at the MGM starting point on the leech. Swinging an arc up and down the luff, record the minimum distance measured as your MGM. Remove the wrinkles from the area to be measured. Repeat this process for measuring your MGU.



Py and Ey are similar to P and E dimensions for the aft sail on ketches, yawls and schooners.

SYMMETRIC SPINNAKER

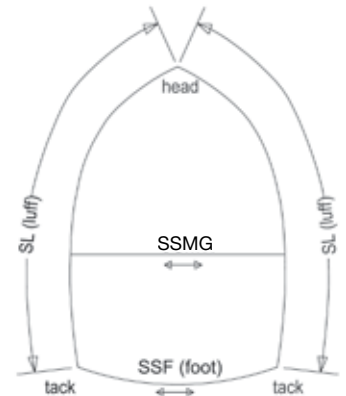
Symmetric spinnakers have the following characteristics: (a) luffs are of equal length; (b) the sail is symmetric about its vertical centerline.

SL = Spinnaker Luff (Refer to the NCPHRF Rules at www.yra.org for the non-penalty limit.)

SSMG (Symmetric Spinnaker Mid-Girth)

SSMG is determined by measuring the width of your sail at mid-luff to mid-luff

SSF = Spinnaker Foot Length



ASYMMETRIC/CRUISING SPINNAKERS

Non-Penalty Area Limits

Cruising/Asymmetric Spinnakers are limited in area not to exceed the area of I and J – or ISP and SPL – based 180% symmetric spinnakers for that boat. To calculate the actual area for the symmetric spinnaker, use the formula for “Area” below, substituting SL (symmetric spinnaker luff) for SLU and SLE.

The formula for determining the actual area of all types of spinnakers is as follows:

$$\text{Area} = (\text{SLU} + \text{SLE}) \times .25 \times \text{ASF} + (\text{ASMG} - .5\text{ASF}) \times (\text{SLU} + \text{SLE}) / 3$$

In the case of Symmetric Spinnakers, replace SLU and SLE with SL, ASMG with SSMG, and ASF with SSF.

SLU = Spinnaker Luff Length

SLE = Spinnaker Leech Length

ASMG = Spinnaker mid-girth measured between the mid-points of the spinnaker luff and spinnaker leech

ASF = Spinnaker foot length

Note on ASMG:

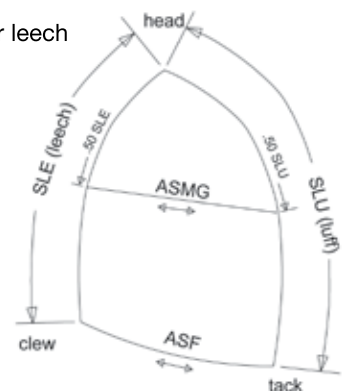
ASMG less than .75 x ASF is not allowed.

How far aft can you articulate your spinnaker tack?

0 degs (fixed)

___ degrees

We want to know if you plan on setting the tack of your cruising or asymmetric spinnaker on a pole that can be squared aft. Sails set from the bow of the boat, or from a non-rotating pole (bow sprit), are of the zero degree category. If the tack of the sail is set on a pole that can be rotated while sailing, we want to know the maximum angle of rotation, measured at the mast between the centerline of the yacht and the pole. If an asymmetric spinnaker is tacked to a spinnaker pole, articulation must be listed as 90 degrees.



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2016 WBRA Series

April 23rd

August 6th

May 7th

September 24th

June 4th

October 8th

Have a classic Bear Boat, Bird Boat, IOD, Folkboat or Knarr? Then The YRA WBRA series wants you to join the iconic WBRA. Most races are held in the Central Bay and have 2 races scheduled for each race day.

The Race Sign Up, Notice of Race, and Sailing Instructions for each regatta are available at www.yra.org.

Series Championship trophies will be passed out on Nov. 15th, 2016 at the Berkeley Yacht Club.

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Please fill out the following two fields in the “Foretriangle” box:

ISP = Spinnaker hoist, measured from the underside of the spinnaker halyard, when drawn horizontally forward from mast, to the level of the sheerline abreast the mast.

JSP = Farthest distance from front of mast to asymmetric spinnaker tack location. Note that this can be much greater than J on sprit boats.

Setting and Sheeting Limits: For asymmetric spinnakers:

TACK: Sail may be tacked to the deck or to a pole. PHRF Application must state if the pole can be articulated to move the tack off hull centerline and how many degrees it can move. JSP must be recorded if greater than J.

HEAD: Halyard location may be at any height on the mast. If the dimension ISP is greater than I, then ISP must be recorded on the application.

CLEW: Sail may be sheeted consistent with the RRS. Racing Rules of Sailing can be found on the US Sailing website at: www.ussailing.org/rules.

The performance of Cruising/Asymmetric Spinnakers is not yet completely defined. Boats with excessive JSPs or ISPs and boats with the ability to move the tack of the sail off centerline may incur some rating adjustment. The PHRF Committee will be studying the performance of these various arrangements, and, if considered necessary by this committee, this rule and/or its limits may change.

HULL MEASUREMENTS

Drawings and photos are not required for well-documented production boats. However, if the boat is relatively rare, or not common in the Bay Area, drawings and/or photos are a must. We cannot rate an unknown boat using only the information on the application form. Measurements below are for the boats in ‘measured trim,’ not ‘sailing trim,’ using IMS wording. Your boat is equipped as it would be for racing, but without crew, sea bags, or consumable supplies, and with all tanks empty.

HULL

LENGTH OVERALL

How long is your boat? If it has a bowsprit, please give the length of the hull and the bowsprit separately.

WATERLINE LENGTH

How long is the part of the boat in the water? Ignore the rudder.

MAXIMUM BEAM

What is the width of your hull at its widest point?

MAXIMUM DRAFT

What is the depth of the lowest point of the keel or board below the waterline? If the boat has a lifting board or keel of any type, draft is measured with this device fully lowered. Give the change in draft with the board raised separately.

DISPLACEMENT

TOTAL

This is the weight of your boat ready to race as described above.

BALLAST

We are looking for the weight of your keel. PHRF requires minimum ballast of 400 pounds. If your boat has ‘internal ballast’, it should be included. Internal ballast is typically in the form of lead ingots bolted to the hull, and is NOT in the form of usable equipment or supplies. If your boat has been measured under some rating rule, and you have subsequently removed the internal ballast, this change must be reported in writing to the PHRF Committee.

BALLAST MATERIAL

Typical answers here are lead or iron, and sometimes water.

TRAPEZE/HIKING STRAP

These are allowed in One-Design Classes where the class rules clearly state that the hiking aids are allowed. They may not be used unless your PRHF application so indicates.

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2016

Weekend Regattas

The Great Vallejo Race

April 30th & May 1st

The Westpoint Regatta

July 9th

The 2nd Half Opener

July 30th & 31st

The Season Closer

September 24th & 25th

Spend your weekends racing in YRA's most popular regattas. Divisions available for PHRF Boats, Sport Boats, One Design Fleets, Multihulls, Short-handed Crews and Non-Spinnaker boats.

Go to www.yra.org for more information on the great after race activities available on the Saturday of each Weekend Regatta as well as to find the race sign up, Notice of Race, and Sailing Instructions for each regatta.

New in 2016: Series Trophies will be awarded for the Great Vallejo Race, plus, Downwind ratings will be used for Saturday!

Awards will be passed out on Nov. 15th, 2016 at the Berkeley Yacht Club.

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MOVABLE BALLAST

Does your boat have ballast that can be moved while sailing? The possibilities include:

- (a) Water ballast which can be moved from side to side – or discharged for runs and restored for beating.
- (b) Keels which can be inclined or canted.
- (c) And others.

Movable ballast presents several difficulties. The biggest is in US Sailing/Racing Rules of Sailing (2013-2016) Rule #51 (Moving Ballast), which states quite clearly that movable ballast is not legal when racing under the US Sailing rules. There are a (very) few races where the race instructions alter the RRS, and specifically allow movable ballast, which is why this is on the PHRF form at all. If you use movable ballast, it is your responsibility to be sure that it is legal in the races in which you are sailing. *Just because it is on your PHRF Certificate does not mean you can race with a movable ballast.*

KEEL TYPE

FIXED

If your keel cannot be moved while you are sailing, then we consider it fixed.

MOVABLE

If your keel can be moved while you are sailing, then we consider it movable, and we need to know about it. This includes keels that move up and down, pivot around a pin (swing keel), or cant from side to side.

KEEL/CENTERBOARD

This is really a sub-class of movable keels, where the boat has a conventional keel, but also has a foil that can extend down below the bottom of the keel.

ENGINE

Do you have an inboard, outboard, or no engine at all?

PROPELLER

We need to know the number of blades on the propeller, and whether they are fixed blades or folding/feathering. If the engine is an outboard, we assume the propeller is not in the water while you are racing, so in the case of outboards, we do not consider what type of propeller you have.

MODIFICATIONS

UNMODIFIED CLASS BOAT

Check this box if your boat is a serially produced yacht that has not been altered.

MODIFIED CLASS BOAT

Check this box if your boat was originally a production yacht, but has undergone changes since its original manufacture. Examples include: a new keel, change in ballast, new rudder, new mast made of different material than the original, different number of spreaders on the mast, change in hull shape, etc. Include anything that would make you *unwelcome* racing against your unmodified sisterships.

NON-CLASS CUSTOM BOAT

Check this box if your boat is essentially a one-of-a-kind custom boat. If your boat is of this type, please refer to the NCPHRF Rules at www.yra.org for information we will need to handicap your boat.

DESCRIBE MODIFICATIONS

Please explain modifications, movable ballast, hiking aids here. Please feel free to write on the back of the form if you need more space.

RATING FEES

New Certificates: YRA Members, \$50; Non-Members, \$75

Renewals: YRA Members, \$35; Non-Members, \$65

Out of Area Certificates (boats hailing from outside of US Sailing Area G): \$75

CHANGES TO EXISTING CERTIFICATES

YRA Members: No charge

Non-Members: \$30

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA PHRF RATING APPLICATION 2016

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THIS FORM IS FOR BOATS NOT PREVIOUSLY RATED OR BOATS WHICH DID NOT HAVE A 2015 CERTIFICATE.

The NCPHRF Committee has no responsibility for the seaworthiness or safety of yachts rated, but cites US SAILING Fundamental Rule 4, "It shall be the sole responsibility of each yacht to decide whether or not to start or to continue to race".

Name: _____	Boat Name: _____	Sail Number: _____
Street: _____	Boat Model: _____	
City, State, Zip: _____	Manufacturer: _____	Yr Built: _____
Evening Phone: _____	Daytime Phone: _____	Designer: _____
		Yr. Designed: _____
Email Address: _____	U.S. Sailing #: _____	YRA Member #: _____
Yacht Club Affiliation: _____	Marina: _____	Berth/Slip #: _____

Please refer to the NCPHRF Rules and Guidelines for assistance in successfully completing this application

Do you want an ODR (One Design Rating)?

YES NO N/A

What is the source of the information provided?

Circle all that apply.

Measurement Certificate Sales Brochure Class Rules Sailmaker Designer Own Measurement

Please provide accurate drawings or pictures showing side and end views of your boat from deck to bottom of keel and attach to this application. Where possible, give measurements in feet and decimals.

<p style="text-align: center;">Foretriangle</p> <p>I: <input type="text"/> J: <input type="text"/></p> <p>Largest Headsail: <input type="text"/> % J SPL: <input type="text"/></p> <p>ISP: <input type="text"/> JSP: <input type="text"/></p> <p>Type of Rig: <input type="text"/></p> <p>Mast Material: <input type="text"/></p> <p>Standing Rigging Material: <input type="text"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Main</p> <p>P: <input type="text"/></p> <p>E: <input type="text"/></p> <p>HB: <input type="text"/></p> <p>MGU: <input type="text"/></p> <p>MGM: <input type="text"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mizzen</p> <p>PY: <input type="text"/></p> <p>EY: <input type="text"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Symmetric Spinnaker</p> <p>Yes/No <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><i>If yes, complete the following:</i></p> <p>SL: <input type="text"/></p> <p>SSMG: <input type="text"/></p> <p>SSF: <input type="text"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Asymmetric/Cruising Spinnaker</p> <p>Yes/No <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><i>If yes, complete the following:</i></p> <p>SLU: <input type="text"/> How far aft can you articulate your spinnaker tack? If an Asymmetric spinnaker is tacked to a spinnaker pole, articulation must be listed as 90 deg</p> <p>SLE: <input type="text"/></p> <p>ASMG: <input type="text"/></p> <p>ASF: <input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Fixed @ 0 deg or: <input type="text"/> Degrees</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;">Hull</p> <p>Length Overall: <input type="text"/></p> <p>Waterline length: <input type="text"/></p> <p>Maximum Beam: <input type="text"/></p> <p>Maximum Draft: <input type="text"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Displacement</p> <p>Total: <input type="text"/> lbs</p> <p>Ballast: <input type="text"/> lbs</p> <p>Ballast Material: <input type="text"/></p> <p># of Trapezes/Hiking Straps: <input type="text"/></p> <p>Is any of your ballast moveable? <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Keel</p> <p>Fixed, Moveable or Keel/Centerboard?</p> <p><input type="text"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Engine</p> <p>Inboard, Outboard or None?</p> <p><input type="text"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Propeller</p> <p># of Blades (2 or 3)?</p> <p><input type="text"/></p> <p>Fixed, Folding or Feathering?</p> <p><input type="text"/></p>
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This is a: (check one) Unmodified Class Boat Modified Class Boat Non Class (Custom) Boat

Modifications Describe modifications/Comments/Moveable Ballast/Trapeze or Hiking Straps below:

The NCPHRF rating certificate is a contract between you, the NCPHRF Committee, and your competitors. You and your competitors expect this form to be accurate and that the reported characteristics will be maintained while racing. Failure to advise the NCPHRF Committee in writing of ANY modification to your boat which will alter its sailing performance may be grounds for protest and disqualification of the yacht. Your rating is valid through December 31 of the year issued. I certify that the above information is accurate and correct, that I have read the NORTHERN CALIFORNIA PHRF RULES AND GUIDELINES, and concur with, and agree to sail by those terms and conditions.

Signature of owner _____ Date: _____

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● indicates full moon.

→ indicates 2-day races. **YRA events indicated in bold type.**

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WEEKDAY & SPECIAL EVENTS

- January 1:**
- Welcome to 2016
 - Brrrr Rabbit, CPYC – SB
- January 15-18:**
- Progressive Insurance San Francisco Boat Show, NMMA – McCovey Cove/Pier 48
- January 17-22:**
- Quantum Key West Race Week, Premiere Racing – Key West, FL
- January 18:**
- Martin Luther King Jr. Day



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SATURDAY

Opti Midwinters #2, RYC – Keller Cove
 Tiny Robbins Midwinter #3, VYC – NB
 Frostbite Series #3, BenYC – Carquinez
 Seaweed Soup Midwinter #3, GGYC – City

2

California Dreamin', SDYC – San Diego →
 Midwinters #5, BYC – OC
 Little Daddy, RYC – SH
 Winter #3, SeqYC – SB
 Midwinter #1, TYC – NB
 Winter One Design, RegattaPRO – OC
 Midwinter #3, BVBC – SB/SF
 Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC

9

Midwinters #1, CYC – Knox →
 Midwinters #3, SCYC

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Jack Frost #2, EYC – YRA 10
 Redwood Cup #3, SeqYC – SB
 Island Fever #3, SBYC – SB/SF

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Three Bridge Fiasco, SSS – CB

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SUNDAY

Chowder #12, BYC – OC
 Midwinter #3, SYC – Knox
 Small Boat Midwinters #2, RYC – SH
 Sunday Brunch #1, OYC – Estuary

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California Dreamin', SDYC – San Diego
 Midwinters #6, BYC – OC
 Island Days Midwinter #3, IYC – Estuary
 Winter Beercan #1, CPYC – SB

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Midwinters #2, CYC – Knox
 Chowder #13, BYC – OC
 Sunday Brunch #2, OYC – Estuary

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Chowder #14, BYC – OC
 Winter Beercan #2, CPYC – SB

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Chowder #15, BYC – OC
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YOUTH SAILING

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ALAMEDA COMMUNITY SAILING CENTER

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Summer Camps, ages 8-18. When: June, July and August.

8-13 age level camp – Discover Sailing (Entry Level training)

8-13 age level camp – Seasoned Sailors (for returning graduates of Discover Sailing)

13-18 age level camp – Teen Camp (for teens of all skill levels)

Discover Sailing runs all summer – check website for where Seasoned Sailors and Teen Camp dates will be added.

Sessions: 2 weeks, Monday-Friday, 9 am-4 pm (Extended care 8:30 am-5 pm available.)

Session 1: June 10-July 1; Session 2: July 4-15; Session 3: July 18-29;

Session 4: August 1-12; Session 5: August 15-26. Boats: JY Trainers, CFJs.

2016 pricing \$625/may change without notice. Needs-based scholarships available.

Weekend classes, Open Sails and other sailing events will be scheduled throughout the year. Visit www.sailalameda.org for further details and pricing.

BENICIA YC

Derith Lutz, for more info: (707) 746-0739

youthsailing@beniciayachtclub.com; www.beniciayachtclub.com (Programs)

Dates TBA in late March on our website. YC member discounts, sibling and multiple camp discounts, and scholarships available on all programs.

Half Day Camps, ages 8-12 with no sailing experience. Cost: \$275

Full Day, One week Camps, ages 10-18 or young sailors with experience. Cost: \$375

Intermediate Sailing, more experienced sailors.

Boats: Vanguard 420, CFJ (provided). Cost: \$375

High School Sailing Special Programs

Boats: DeWitt Dinghies, V420, CFJ (provided). Cost: Sponsored by BenYC for Benicia High School students.

Open Sailing for pre-qualified individuals with certification.

BLUE WATER FOUNDATION (San Francisco)

(415) 392-2018; www.bluewaterfoundation.org

Thursday Sails: Afternoon sail programs with San Francisco Unified School District and the SF Police Department.

Tuesday Sailing Club: Two groups of eight students each, sails almost every week for the school year.

Gleaming Ocean Program: Four-month intensive sailing and teamwork course teaching cruising skills to selected high school students on a 43-ft Hans Christian cutter. Emphasis on building teamwork and self-confidence; mentor system is utilized.

Oceans Gate Program: Working with Alameda County Probation Department, convicted youth are given the opportunity to make their way back to society. Offering both day sails and a multi-month intensive sail training program that will 'graduate' successful students by ocean sailing.

Community Sail Programs: At least one weekend day a month we take various community groups sailing, ranging from Boys and Girls Clubs to Project Avery, an organization for children of incarcerated parents.

Probation Dept. Sails: This newest program works with various youth probation departments throughout the Bay Area and Nevada City/El Dorado County foothills, taking their incarcerated students and students on probation on repeat sails. Usually on weekends.

COYOTE POINT YC (San Mateo)

Gwen Daly, (650) 678-1342, www.cpyc.com

Youth Sailing Summer Camp, ages 8-12. When: One-week sessions, June and July,

Monday-Friday, 9 am-4 pm. Boats: Nine Optimists, Two Lasers. Cost: \$375/week.

10% discount for second child.

ENCINAL YC (Alameda)

Tyler Colvin, (510) 769-0221, juniors@encinal.org, www.encinal.org

Summer Learn to Sail Program, ages 6-18, all levels.

When: 3-week sessions: June 20-July 8, July 11-28, Aug. 1-Aug. 18. Monday-Thursday, 8:30 am-12 or 1-4:30 pm. No class July 4 (class Tuesday-Friday July 4 week).

Boats: Optimists, FJs, J/24s (provided).

Cost: Per 3-week sessions: \$395/EYC members, \$530/non-members.

Family BBQ every Thursday night.

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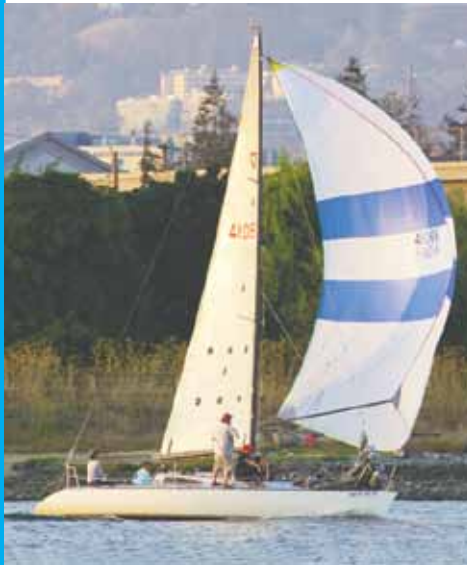
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WEEKDAY & SPECIAL EVENTS

- February 14:**
- *Valentine's Day: Take your sweetheart for a sail.*
- February 15:**
- *President's Day: Take your president for a sail!*



SATURDAY

Opti Midwinters #3, RYC – SH
 Winter #4, SeqYC – SB
 Tiny Robbins Midwinter #4, VYC – NB
 Midwinter #2, TYC – NB
 Seaweed Soup Midwinter #4, GGYC – City
 Double Up and Back, CPYC – SB
 Frostbite Series #4, BenYC – Carquinez
 Spring Series #1, FLYC – Folsom Lake

6

BAYS Optis Regatta #1, EYC – Estuary →
 Midwinters #7, BYC – OC
 Winter One Design, RegattaPRO – OC
 Midwinter #4, BVBC – SB/SF
 Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC

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TI Regatta (back up), EYC – Estuary →
 Midwinters #3/Rob Moore Memorial
 Regatta, CYC – Knox →
 Redwood Cup #4, SeqYC – SB
 Long Distance Race #1 SSC – Stockton
 Midwinters #4, SCYC

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California Dreamin', LBYC – Long Beach →
 Frostbite Series #1, ElkYC – Moss Landing
 Jack Frost #3, EYC – YRA 10
 Single/Doublehanded #1, SeqYC – SB
 Island Fever #4, SBYC – SB/SF
 Spring Series #2, FLYC – Folsom Lake

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SUNDAY

Chowder #16, BYC – OC
 Midwinters #3, RYC – SH
 Small Boat Midwinter #4, SYC – Knox
 Sunday Brunch #4, OYC – Estuary

7

BAYS Optis Regatta #2, EYC – Estuary
 Midwinters #8, BYC – OC
 Island Days Midwinter #4, IYC – Estuary
 Winter Beercan #3, CPYC – SB

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TI Regatta (back up), EYC – Estuary
 Midwinters #4, CYC – Knox
 Chowder #17, BYC – OC
 Sunday Brunch #5, OYC – Estuary

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California Dreamin', LBYC – Long Beach
 Chowder #18, BYC – OC
 Midwinter Champ of Champs, BYC – OC
 Sadie Hawkins, IYC – Estuary
 Winter Beercan #4, CPYC – SB

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ENCINAL YC (cont'd)

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Advanced Race Team, ages 9-18 by application only.

When: Spring/Summer/Fall. Boats: Optimists, Lasers, 420s (provided).

High School Program, grades 8-12.

When: Weekends and after school September-April. Boats: FJs (provided).

Scholarships available through the Encinal Sailing Foundation.

GOLDEN GATE YC (San Francisco)

Chris Childers, youthsailing@ggyc.com, www.ggyc.org

High School Sailing, grades 9-12

When: Tuesdays and Thursdays, 4-6:30 pm, during the school year.

Interscholastic regattas available to students who attend practice regularly and go to the same school (4 sailors per team). Boats: FJs, 420s (provided).

Cost: \$400 per semester (fall or spring); Annual league fee for teams: \$120 + regatta expenses.

Scholarships available through the GGYC Youth Sailing Foundation.

INVERNESS YC

Tor Taylor, (415) 497-9754 www.invernessyachtclub.org

Summer Program, ages 10-18 (10 by June 21), able to pass swim test; PFD, wetsuit, and helmet required (bring your own).

When: Session I, June 27-July 15; Session II, July 18-August 5; Monday-Friday,

9:30 am-4 pm. Boats: Optimists, Lasers, O'pen Bics, FJs (provided).

Cost: \$900. Need-based financial aid available.

LAKE YOSEMITE SAILING ASSOCIATION (Merced)

Brigitte Bowers-Loeffler, (209) 357-7049, www.lakeyosemitesailing.org

Sail Camp, ages 8-16, able to swim.

When: Multiple Sessions TBA. Boats: Lido 14s (provided).

Mini Camp, ages 8-10, 9 am-1 pm. Cost: \$125.

Basic Camp, ages 10-16, 9 am-4 pm. Cost: \$180.

Advanced Camp, any age, must have completed Basic course. 9 am-4 pm, Cost: \$180.

Scholarship program, member discounts; multiple siblings and/or multiple weeks receive 15% discount.

MONTEREY PENINSULA YC

(831) 372-9686, www.mpyc.org

Summer Sailing Lessons, ages 8-16.

When: One-week sessions starting in early June through early August, except the week of July 4, 9 am-4 pm.

High School Sailing Program When: August-May.

NEHEMIAH (Richmond)

Rod & Joni Phillips, (510) 234-5054, www.sailingacross.com

Crosscurrent Voyages use experiential education, adventure and managed risk-taking for growth and development. Primary goal is assisting youth and youth-at-risk to develop a strong sense of character and community, while instilling self-esteem in a hands-on situation.

OAKLAND PARKS & RECREATION

Sarah Herbelin, (510) 238-2196, www.sailoakland.com

Sailing into Science, fifth graders (teachers may sign up their classes)

Where: Lake Merritt Boating Center. When: School year.

Boats: Pedalboats, dragonboats, kayaks, canoes, whaleboats (provided).

Cost: \$300 per class per day (up to 32 students).

After-School Learn-to-Sail Program, ages 10-17.

Where: Lake Merritt Boating Center When: Weekday afternoons during the school year.

Boats: Optis (provided). Cost: \$165/10 weeks.

Basic & Intermediate Summer Programs, ages 10-17.

Where: Lake Merritt Boating Center. When: One-week sessions, June-August.

Boats: Optis, Sunfish, Catalina 14.2, Hobie Wave (provided).

Cost: \$165/Oakland residents; \$198/non-residents.

Advanced Summer Program, ages 11-17.

Where: Jack London Aquatic Center (Oakland Estuary).

When: One-week sessions, June-August.

Boats: Hobie 16s, Bytes (provided). Cost: \$195 and up.

Youth Sailing Team, grades 8-12 from any school.

Where: Jack London Aquatic Center (Oakland Estuary).

When: Practices and regattas on weekends spring and summer.

Boats: Laser 4.7s or club FJs (provided).

Cost: \$395-\$450/season. Scholarships available for Oakland residents.

PEGASUS PROJECT (Berkeley)

(510) 621-8130, www.pegasusvoyages.org/project.html

Mission is to enable youth to become productive members of a

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MARCH 2016

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WEEKDAY & SPECIAL EVENTS

- March 9:**
- **Latitude 38 Spring Crew List Party at Golden Gate YC. Check Latitude 38 for more information or see www.latitude38.com.**
- March 17:**
- **St. Patrick's Day: Take an Irish friend sailing!**
- March 20:**
- **Vernal Equinox**



SATURDAY

Spring Keel/Spring One Design, StFYC – City →
Mercury Series #1, EYC – Estuary
Tiny Robbins Midwinter #5, VYC – NB
Midwinter #3, TYC – NB
Seaweed Soup Midwinter #5, GGYC – City
John Pitcher Memorial, CPYC – SB
Frostbite Series #5, BenYC – Carquinez
Spring Series #3, FLYC – Folsom Lake

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Big Daddy, RYC – OC →
California Dreamin', StFYC – City →
Frostbite Series #2, ElkYC – Moss Landing
Redwood Cup #5, SeqYC – SB
Doublehanded Long Distance, SSC – Stockton
Rites of Spring, OYC – CB/OC
Midwinter #5, BVBC – SB/SF
Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC

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Spring Dinghy, StFYC – City →
SF Cup, StFYC – City →
San Francisco Cup, SFYC – OC →
High School Winter Regatta, HMBYC – HMB →
Jack Frost #4, EYC – YRA 10
Small Boat Races #1, EYC – Estuary
Winter #5/St. Patrick's Day Race, SeqYC – SB
Island Fever #5, SBYC – SB/SF
Corinthian Race, SSS – CB
Spring Shorteez Regatta; PHRF 180>, CPYC – SB
Midwinter #5, SCYC
Spring Series #4, FLYC – Folsom Lake

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Doublehanded Farallones, BAMA – Ocean
Frostbite Series #3, ElkYC – Moss Landing
Singlehanded Race, SSC – Stockton
Jaws Pursuit Race, SYC – Knox/Blossom
Bullship, El Toros, ABRA – Sausalito to SF

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SUNDAY

Spring Keel/Spring One Design, StFYC – City
Chowder #19, BYC – OC
Small Boat Midwinter #4, RYC – SH
Spring Series #1, SSC – Stockton
Midwinter #5, SYC – Knox
Sunday Brunch #6, OYC – Estuary

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Big Daddy, RYC – OC
California Dreamin', StFYC – City
Chowder #20, BYC – OC
Island Days Midwinter #5, IYC – Estuary
Winter Beercan #5, CPYC – SB

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DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS

Spring Dinghy, StFYC – City
SF Cup, StFYC – City
San Francisco Cup, SFYC – OC
High School Winter Regatta, HMBYC – HMB
Chowder #21, BYC – OC
Spring Series #2, SSC – Stockton
Sunday Brunch #7, OYC – Estuary
Baxter/Judson #1, PresYC – West CB

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Chowder Series #22, BYC – OC
Winter Beercan #6, CPYC – SB

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EASTER

2016 California Offshore Race Week

Spinnaker Cup
May 27th

Coastal Cup
May 29th

In-Port Race
June 1st

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PEGASUS PROJECT (cont'd)

sustainable society through positive outdoor environmental education and by reinforcing life skills. Objectives: Lifeskills Sails aboard Pegasus for youth including youth at risk; to provide youth participants (and adult crew) with a basic environmental understanding and appreciation of the San Francisco Bay; to provide a multi-year track for under-privileged youth that will enable them to experience their backyard Bay through on-the-water activities.

RICHMOND YC

(510) 237-2821, www.richmondyc.org
Parent or child must be RYC member (jr. membership: \$60/year or \$40/Summer).
Dan Brandt, (510) 237-4100, youthsailing@richmondyc.org

Summer Junior Clinics, ages 8-18.

When: 1-week sessions 6/8-8/14. Details below:

29er Summer Camp, ages 14-18, 9:30 am-3:30 pm. Cost: \$275/week.

Bring your own 29er. Some charters available at \$150/week or \$500 for all 6 weeks.

420/Laser Summer Camp, ages 14-18, 9:30 am-3:30 pm. Cost: \$275/week.

Bring your own boat. Some club boats available to share.

El Toro/Opti Summer Camp, ages 8-18, 9 am-3 pm. Cost: \$275/week.

Some club Optis available for use during program hours only at \$100/week.

Winter Sailing, youth and juniors; 8-18.

Ornaith Keane, Kurt Lahr. Registration starts August 1.

420s: October-March. Club boats available.

High School: October-May. Club boats available.

29ers: October-May. Club boats available.

Lasers: October-March. Some club boats available.

Optimists: October-March. Some club boats available.

El Toros: October-March (BYO).

SACRAMENTO STATE AQUATIC CENTER

(916) 278-2842 or www.sacstateaquaticcenter.com

Summer Youth Aquatic (Basic) Camp, ages 7-18.

Weekly program of sailing and other boating activities.

Qualifies students to rent specific sailboats outside of camp.

Boats: Picos, Lasers, Holder 14s.

SAILING EDUCATION ADVENTURES (San Rafael)

(415) 775-8779, www.sfsailing.org/camps

Mini Camp, ages 8-10. Where: Loch Lomond Marina.

When: One-week sessions, Monday-Friday, 9 am-1 pm. Boats: Catalina 16.5 keelboats, Capri 14.2s. Cost: \$295. Scholarships available.

Summer Camp Basic/Intermediate, ages 10-16. Where: Marin YC.

When: Two-week sessions, Monday-Friday, 9 am-4 pm. Boats: Laser Picos, Lasers. Cost: \$695. Scholarships available.

Advanced/Intro Race Camp, ages 12-18. Where: Loch Lomond Marina.

When: One-week sessions, Monday-Friday, noon-4 pm. Boats: Catalina Capris. Cost: \$325. Scholarships available.

SEA Explorers, ages 8-16.

www.sfsailing.org/explorers

Where: Marin YC. When: One-week session, Monday-Friday, 9 am-4 pm.

Boats: Laser Picos. Cost: \$360. Scholarships available.

ST. FRANCIS YC (San Francisco)

Brent Harrill, (415) 820-3729, www.stfyc.com

Learn to Sail Program, ages 7-16.

When: Saturday mornings, September-November and April-May.

Boats: Optimists, O'pen Bics, 420s (provided).

Cityfront Summer Sailing Camps, ages 7-16.

When: 1-week sessions, 7/5-7/8, 7/25-7/29, 8/1-8/5, Monday-Friday, 9 am-4 pm.

Boats: Optis, O'Pen Bics, Bytes, C420s, windsurfers (provided).

Tinsley Island Summer Overnight Sailing Camps, ages 8-15

When: 1-week sessions, 6/20-8/5 (except Cityfront weeks), Monday-Friday.

Boats: Optis, O'Pen Bics, Bytes, Lasers, windsurfers, kayaks, paddle boards (provided).

Learn to Windsurf Program, ages 8-16

When: Saturdays, September-November and April-May.

Boards: Bic Techno 293 windsurfers (provided).

Introduction to Racing Program, ages 9-16

When: Sundays, September-November and February-March, April-May.

Boats: Optimists and 420s (provided). Cost: See online for fee for all above.

SF MARITIME NATIONAL MARITIME PARK (San Francisco)

Glenn Howe, (415) 215-6219, www.maritime.org

Maritime Park Association operates education programs to increase understanding of our nation's rich maritime heritage.

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WEEKDAY & SPECIAL EVENTS

- April 1:** • Take a fool sailing!
- April 7-10:** • Strictly Sail Pacific, Sail America – Craneway Pavilion & Marina Bay Yacht Harbor, Richmond
- April 14-22:** • Opti Team Trials, SFYC – Richardson Bay
- April 16:** • South Bay Open Day, SeqYC – SB
- April 16-17:** • Rainier Cup, CGRA
- April 19-29:** • Contender Nationals & Worlds, SCYC
- April 22:** • Celebrate Earth Day on the liquid part.
- April 22-24:** • Newport to Ensenada Race, NOSA

SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Wheeler Regatta, BYC – OC/SB → Interconference Collegiate, StFYC – City → Resin Regatta, SFYC – OC → Trans-Folsom Challenge, FLYC – Folsom Lake Andy Byrd Memorial, CPYC – SB North Bay Series #1 VYC – NB Horsfall-Vincent Regatta CC #1, CYC – Knox Champion of Champions Regatta, SCYC Doublehanded Lightship, IYC – Ocean	Wheeler Regatta, BYC – OC/SB Interconference Collegiate, StFYC – City Resin Regatta, SFYC – OC Spring Series #3, SSC – Stockton
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Opti Harken, SFYC – OC → Big Dinghy, RYC – SH → YRA Spring Series #1 – Knox/Bonita Mercury Series #2, EYC – Estuary Don Wan Regatta, TYC – NB Frostbite Series #4, ElkYC – Moss Landing South Bay Interclub #1, TIYC – SB Summer #1, SeqYC – SB Commodore's Regatta, SCYC	Opti Harken, SFYC – OC Big Dinghy, RYC – SH Estuary Cup, EYC – YRA 10/Alcaz/Estuary
9	10
J/Fest, StFYC – City → 50th Annual Camelia Cup, FLYC – Folsom Lake → One Design Championship, CYC – Raccoon → YRA OYRA Lightship, StFYC – Ocean Commodore's Cup, BVBC – SB/SF Small Boat Races #2, EYC – Estuary Wooden Boat Invitational, SYC – West Alcatraz Intraclub Race 1, RYC – CB Spring One Design #1, SCYC	J/Fest, StFYC – City 50th Annual Camelia Cup, FLYC – Folsom Lake One Design Championship, CYC – Raccoon Spring Series #4, SSC – Stockton Baxter/Judson #2, PresYC – West CB
16	17
PCISA Silver PCCs, EYC – Estuary → YRA WBRA #1, RYC – OC Cal Cup #1, BYC – OC Round the Rocks, SSS – CB Intraclub, StFYC – City Anniversary Cup/Staff Commodore's Cup, SFYC – Knox Twin Island Race #1, SYC – Knox/Alcatraz Frostbite Series #5, ElkYC – Moss Landing	PCISA Silver PCCs, EYC – Estuary Spring Series #5, SSC – Stockton SCORE #1, SCYC
23	24
Elvstrom Zellerbach, StFYC – City → YRA Great Vallejo Race, VYC – NB → Moore 24 Regatta, SCYC →	OPENING DAY ON THE BAY
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SF MARITIME NATIONAL MARITIME PARK (cont'd)

Programs include daytime and environmental living programs at the Hyde Street Pier. **The Age of Sail/Teacher Workshops:** The Gold Rush, Life on the Barbary Coast. **Overnight Encampment on a Tall Ship Educational Tours/Day Programs, Where History Meets Science, Educational Overnight Program** and more daytime and overnight programs aboard USS *Pampanito* submarine.

SFSU DEPT. OF RECREATION, PARKS & TOURISM (Lake Merced, SF)

Patrick Tierney, <http://recdept.sfsu.edu/sailing>

Summer Youth Sailing Camps, Paddling Camps, and Sailing & Science Camps, ages 8-15. When: June 13-August 12, Monday-Friday. Paddling Camp 9 am-noon; Sailing Camp 1-4 pm; Sailing & Science Camp 9 am-4pm. Boats: Optis, JY 15s, double kayaks, SUPs (boats, boards & PFDs provided). Cost: Half day week-long camps \$135-\$149; full day week-long Science Camp \$265. Scholarships for low-income groups are available (no individual scholarships provided).

SAN FRANCISCO YC (Belvedere)

Youth Office, (415) 435-9525, youth@sfdc.org, www.sfdc.org/youth
Summer Learn-to-Sail Program, ages 7-16. When: 1-week & 2-week half-day, part-day and full-day sessions, mid-June through mid-August, Monday-Friday. Boats: Optis, JYs, CFJs, J/24s (provided).
Cost: \$225-\$795/members; \$343-\$1,155/non-members.
Race Teams, ages 8-18, all levels. When: All Year.
High School Program, grades 9-12 from Marin Academy, Marin Catholic, Branson, or Redwood High School.
When: September-May, Tuesday-Thursday, after school.
Scholarships available through the Belvedere Cove Foundation.

SANTA CRUZ YC

Skip Ely, Junior Director, (831) 750-5005, skipper@elyxir.com, www.scyc.org
El Toro Program, ages 8-14.
Where: Pinto Lake, Watsonville. When: Sundays, September-March.
Boats: El Toros (some available for charter). Cost: YC junior membership + program fee.
Scholastic Program, grades 8-12.
Where: Practice at Santa Cruz Yacht Harbor, regattas at Northern California YCs.
When: Saturdays, and select Fridays and holidays September-March. Boats: FJs.
Cost: YC junior membership + program fee; additional fee for Fridays and special holidays.
Advanced Sailing Program, grades 8-12.
Support for advanced junior sailors with their own boats.
Boats: Lasers, 29ers, and Keel boats: Melges 24, Moore 24 and SC 52.
Cost: YC junior membership + program fee.

SEA SCOUTS SAN FRANCISCO (Aquatic Park)

Dennis Lindemann, (415) 585-8825, Tamara Sokolov, (415) 517-3943, www.corsair-viking.org
Year-Round Program, ages 13-18. When: Saturdays, 9:30 am-5 pm, Tuesdays, 5-8 pm, two-week, weekend and overnight cruises.
Boats: 30-ft sailing whaleboats, FJs, Cal 20s, more. Cost: \$60/semi-annually.

SOUTH BEACH YC (San Francisco)

www.southbeachyc.org
Junior Program, ages 9-17, able to swim. 1-week sessions, 6/20-8/5, Monday-Friday, 9 am-4 pm. Boats: RS Teras, JY Trainers, Laser 4.7s, FJs (provided).
Cost: \$295/week; after 4/15, cost will increase \$20.
Scholarships available for kids in need.

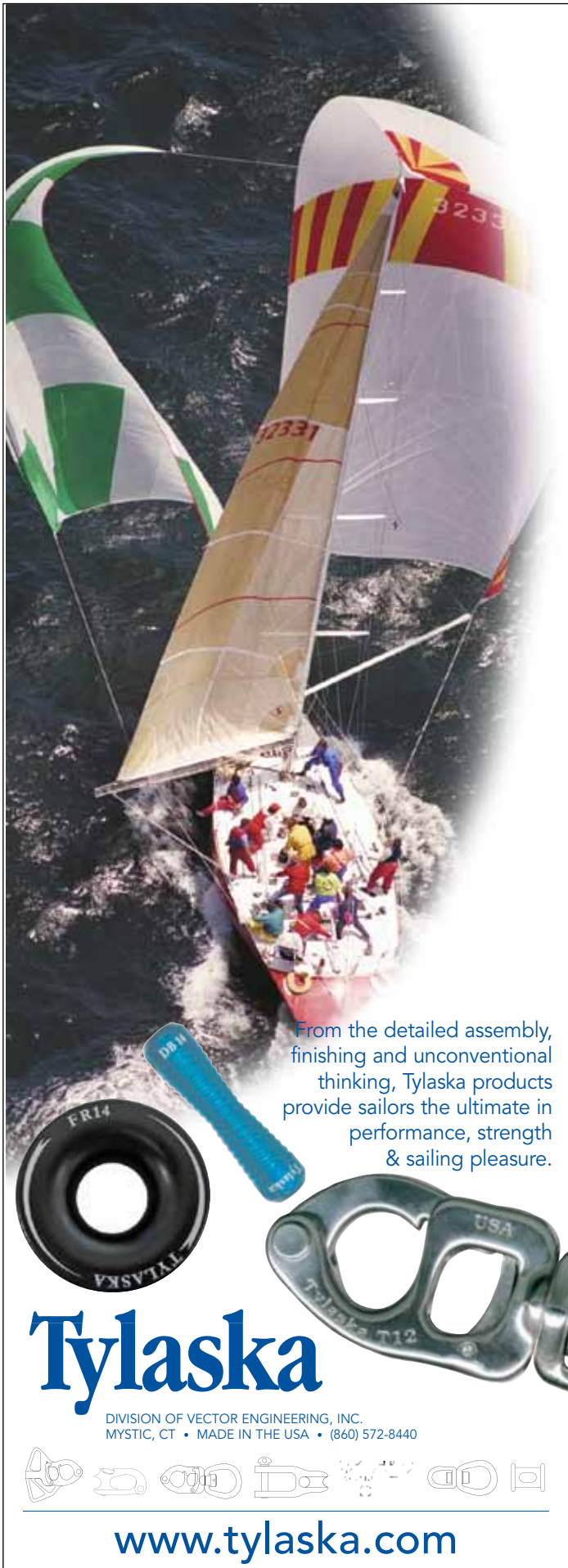
SPINNAKER YC (San Leandro)

(510) 351-7905, (510) 357-0601, www.spinnakeryachtclub.org; click on Jr. Sailing
Junior Program, ages 10-18, able to swim. When: Monday-Friday, 9 am-1 pm.
See website for schedule and sign-up details. Boats: DeWitt Dinghies (provided).
Cost: \$225/San Leandro residents; \$250/non-residents.

STOCKTON SAILING CLUB

Susan Dallas, Manager; Becky Mich, Harbormaster, www.stocktonsc.org
Learn to Sail Program, ages 9-18. When: One-week classes, June-August.
Boats: Optis and FJs (provided).
Cost: Contact above; + \$15 short-term youth membership.
Summer Sleepover Sail Camp (with RYC & SCYC), www.sailcamp.org
When: July 10-16. Boats: El Toros, Optis (limited number of club boats available to rent).
Cost: \$300 + 3 shifts of parent volunteer time.
Scholarships available.

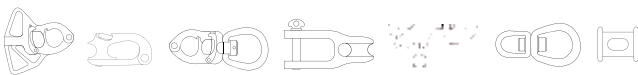
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WEEKDAY & SPECIAL EVENTS

- May 14-15:**
 - PSU Invite, CGRA
 - CYC Women's Sailing Seminar
- May 27:**
 - Spinnaker Cup, SFYC/MPYC – Knox to Monterey
- May 30:**
 - Memorial Day



GOOSE GOSSMAN

SATURDAY	SUNDAY
	Elvstrom Zellerbach, StFYC – City YRA Great Vallejo Race, VYC – NB Moore 24 Regatta, SCYC 1
YRA WBRA #2, SFYC – Knox Single/Doublehanded #2, SeqYC – SB North Bay Series #2, VYC – NB Long Distance #2, SSC – Stockton Championship Series #2, CYC – Knox Cindo de Mayo Regatta, TYC – NB 7	Frank Ballentine Memorial, CPYC – SB MOTHER'S DAY 8
Elite Keel Regatta, SFYC – OC/NC → 505s, SCYC → YRA Spring #2, BYC – OC Mercury Series #3, EYC – Estuary South Bay Interclub #2, EYC – SB Singlehanded Farallones, SSS – Ocean Behrens Regatta, TYC – NB Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC 14	Elite Keel Regatta, SFYC – OC/NC 505s, SCYC Spring Series #6, SSC – Stockton 15
USMRC Qualifier, StFYC – City → YRA OYRA Duxship – Ocean Cal Cup #2, BYC – OC Otter Cup, ElkYC – Moss Landing to Monterey & back Small Boat Races #3, EYC – Estuary Summer #2, SeqYC – SB Rosenblum Regatta, SFYC – Knox Spring One Design #2, SCYC 21	USMRC Qualifier, StFYC – City Spring Series #7, SSC – Stockton Baxter/Judson #3, PresYC – West CB SCORE #2 Regatta, SCYC 22
Easom Founders, SFYC – North OC → Whiskeytown Regatta, Whiskeytown SC → Master Mariners Regatta, SYC – City Lady and the Tramp, FLYC – Folsom Lake 28	Easom Founders, SFYC – North OC Whiskeytown Regatta, Whiskeytown SC Coastal Cup, EYC – SF to Santa Barbara 29



Delta Ditch Run

June 4, 2016



The Delta Ditch Run starts in the San Francisco Bay and goes up the Delta, finishing at Stockton Sailing Club. In the past, the Delta Ditch Run has attracted more than 200 boats with racers from across the country showing up for this generally downwind 65-mile race.

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YOUTH SAILING

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Youth Sailing Program, ages 6-17. When: June-August, Monday-Thursday, 10-4.

Race Program, Laser Radial and Pico Race Teams. When: Monday evening and Friday day. Boats: CFJs, Picos, Nomad 17s, Lasers, 420s.

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Travis Lund, Executive Director, (415) 421-2225, www.tisailing.org

Harbor Seals Adventure Program, age 6. When: Winter: Saturdays, January 2-February 6, 9:00-12:00, \$250; Spring: Sundays, April 10-May 22, 9:00-12:00, \$300.

Summer: One Week Sessions, June 6-August 19, 9:00-4:00, \$300.

Fall: Sundays, September 11-October 23, 9:00-12:00, \$300.

Explore Sailing, ages 7-12. When: Summer: One Week Sessions, June 6-August 19, 9:00-4:00, \$350.

Beginner Youth, ages 7-12. When: Spring: Sundays, April 10-May 22, 9:00-12:00, \$350; Summer: Two Week Sessions, June 6-August 19, 9:00-4:00, \$600;

Fall: Sundays, September 11-October 23, 9:00-12:00, \$350.

Intermediate Youth, ages 7-12. When: Spring: Sundays, April 10-May 22, 1:00-4:00, \$350; Summer: Two Week Sessions, June 6-August 19, 9:00-4:00, \$600;

Fall: Sundays, September 11-October 23, 1:00-4:00, \$350.

Advanced Youth, ages 7-12. When: Spring: Sundays, April 10-May 22, 1:00-4:00, \$350; Summer: Two Week Sessions, June 6-August 19, 9:00-4:00, \$600; Fall: Sundays,

September 11-October 23, 1:00-4:00, \$350.

Beginner Teen, ages 13-18. When: Spring: Sundays, April 10-May 22, 9:00-12:00, \$350; Summer: Two Week Sessions, June 6-August 19, 9:00-4:00, \$600; Fall: Sundays,

September 11-October 23, 9:00-12:00, \$350.

Intermediate Teen, ages 13-18. When: Spring: Sundays, April 10-May 22, 1:00-4:00, \$350; Summer: Two Week Sessions, June 6-August 19, 9:00-4:00, \$600; Fall: Sundays,

September 11-October 23, 1:00-4:00, \$350.

Advanced Teen, ages 13-18. When: Spring: Sundays, April 10-May 22, 1:00-4:00, \$350; Summer: Two Week Sessions, June 6-August 19, 9:00-4:00, \$600; Fall: Sundays,

September 11-October 23, 1:00-4:00, \$350.

Jr. Big Boat I, ages 7-12. When: Winter: Saturdays, January 2-February 6, 9:00-12:00, \$250; Spring: Sundays, April 10-May 22, 9:00-12:00, \$300; Fall: Sundays, September

11-October 23, 9:00-12:00, \$300.

Jr. Big Boat II, ages 13-18. When: Winter: Saturdays, January 2-February 6, 9:00-12:00, \$250; Spring: Sundays, April 10-May 22, 9:00-12:00, \$300; Fall: Sundays,

September 11-October 23, 9:00-12:00, \$300.

Jr. Leadership Program Level 1, ages 15-18. When: Summer: Two Week Sessions, June 6-August 19, 9:00-4:00, \$300.

Jr. Leadership Program Level 2, ages 15-18. When: Summer: Two Week Sessions, June 6-August 19, 9:00-4:00, FREE.

Note: Boats Used at TISC: Bugs, Optimists, FJs, Ventures, J24s. We provide PFDs, wetsuits, foul weather gear. Scholarships: Partial or full scholarships available for all TISC Youth classes.

PACIFIC COAST INTERSCHOLASTIC SAILING ASSOCIATION (PCISA) EVENTS FOR HIGH SCHOOL SAILORS

January 2-3: Rose Bowl, PCISA 3/5, USSC/LB

January 9: So Cal #4, MBYC

January 17-18: SCYA Harold Adams Team Race, SDYC

February 6-7: SoCal #5, ABYC

February 13-14: NorCal Divisional #2, TISC

February 20-21: Golden Bear Regatta, TISC

March 12-13: Gaucho Regatta, SBYC

March 19-20: NorCal Divisional #3, HMBYC

March 26: SoCal #6, SDYC

April 2: NorCal One-Day #5, RYC

April 3: NorCal One-Day #6, RYC

April 16-17: Gold Pacific Coast Championship, SoCal venue TBA

Silver Pacific Coast Championship, EYC

April 23-24: Team Race PCCs-Baker Eliminations, SoCal venue TBA

May 13-15: Mallory Trophy ISSA Fleet Race Championship, MASSA

May 27-29: Baker Trophy ISSA Team Race Championship, MISSA

Sept.-Dec.: 2016 Fall Schedule TBA; see www.pcisa.org

NATIONAL YOUTH EVENTS

See www.ussailing.org for US Sailing info and dates.

PACIFIC COAST COLLEGIATE SAILING CONFERENCE EVENTS

See www.pccscracing.org for more information.

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WEEKDAY & SPECIAL EVENTS

- June 3:**
 - SoCal 300, Santa Barbara YC/SDYC – Santa Barbara to SD
- June 17-18:**
 - South Tower Race, SSC – Stockton-City-Stockton
- June 18:**
 - CGRA Opening Day
- June 18-19:**
 - Summer Sailstice
 - Poker Run & Boat Camp, FLYC – Folsom Lake
- June 20:**
 - Summer Solstice – Northern Hemisphere*
- June 24-26:**
 - Long Beach Race Week, LBYC – Long Beach
 - Woodies Invitational, StFYC, City

SATURDAY

Delta Ditch Run, SSC – RYC to SSC →
 Go For the Gold Regatta, GCYC – Scott's Flat →
YRA WBRA #3, BYC – OC
 Mercury Series #4, EYC – Estuary
 North Bay Series #3/Brothers Race, VYC – NB
 X-Bay Friendship Regatta, SBYC/CYC – Knox/CB
 Merton Yolles Memorial Race, CPYC – SB
 Wooden Boat Invitational, SYC – West Alcatraz
 Leukemia Cup, SCYC

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SF Bay Challenge, StFYC – City →
 SC Multihulls, SCYC →
YRA OYRA Farallones Race, SFYC – Ocean
 Cal Cup #3, BYC – East Circle
 Race of Champions, SSC – Stockton
 Great SF Schooner Race, SFYC – Knox/Central
 South Bay Interclub #3, OYC – SB/Main
 Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC

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June Invitational, SFYC – OC →
 Opti Heavy Weather, StFYC – City →
YRA Spring Series #3, EYC – SB
 Sailstice/Small Boat Races #4, EYC – Estuary/SB
 Summer #3, SeqYC – SB
 CHISPA Regatta, EYC – Estuary
 Southern Crossing, LTWYC – Tahoe South Shore
 Spring One Design #3, SCYC

18

Woodies Invitational, StFYC – City →
YRA OYRA Half Moon Bay, HMBYC – Ocean
 Celebrate Summer Sailstice, ElkYC – Moss Landing
 Silver Eagle, IYC – CB
 Intraclub Race #2, RYC – SH
 Rear Commodore Race, SYC – Knox to SP Bay
 H.O. Lind 1-2, TYC – NB
 Hart/Nunes, SFYC – Raccoon Strait
 Katherine Eavenson Regatta, FLYC – Folsom Lake

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SUNDAY

Delta Ditch Run, SSC – RYC to SSC
 Go For the Gold Regatta, GCYC – Scott's Flat
 Tri-Island #1, BYC – OC/Alcatraz

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SF Bay Challenge, StFYC – City
 SC Multihulls, SCYC
 Around the Pins, LTWYC – Tahoe South Shore

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June Invitational, SFYC – OC
 Opti Heavy Weather, StFYC – City
 Luna Race, VYC – NB
 Woman Skipper, PresYC – West CB

FATHER'S DAY

19

Woodies Invitational, StFYC – City
 Spring SCORE #3, SCYC

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BULLSHIP	MARCH 26	CORK SCREW	OCTOBER 22
FLIGHT OF THE BULLS	MAY 7	JUNIOR:	
FREMONT RELAYS	MAY 15	FREMONT SPRING	MAY
LAKE MERRITT, MAYOR'S CUP	JUNE	LAKE MERRITT MAYOR'S CUP	JUNE
CLEAR LAKE	JUNE 18-19	STOCKTON, JR. NAS	JULY 15
PINECREST NATIONALS	AUGUST 3-5	SANTA CRUZ, FUN REGATTA	SEPTEMBER
PINECREST WORLDS	AUGUST 6-7	RICHMOND, STAMPEDE	OCTOBER 9

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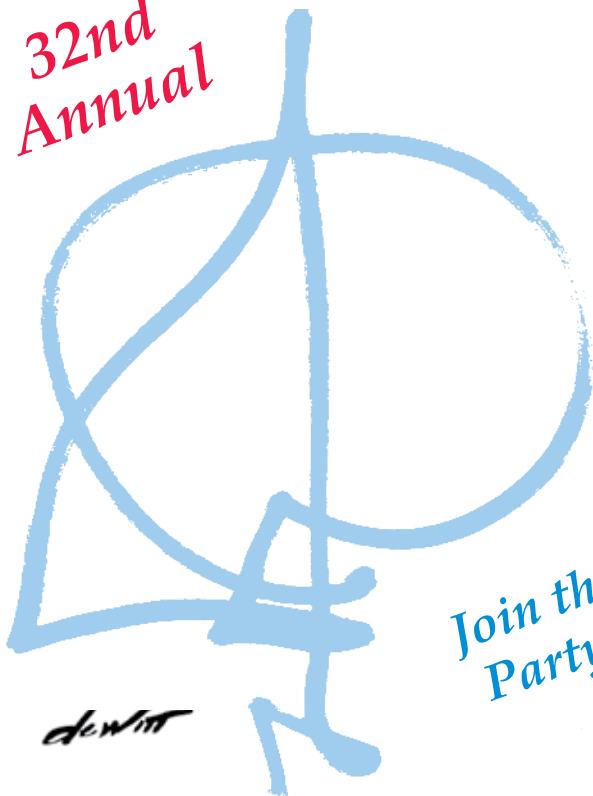
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WEEKDAY & SPECIAL EVENTS

- July 4:**
 - Independence Day
 - Independence Cup, SFYC – Knox
 - Brothers & Sisters Race, TYC – NB
 - Fouth of July Regatta, EYC – Estuary
- July 5-8:**
 - WIND Youth Clinic, CGRA
- July 9-10:**
 - WIND Youth Regatta, CGRA
- July 11-13:**
 - 29er US Sailing Training Camp, CGRA
- July 11-16:**
 - Pacific Cup, BYC – Ocean
- July 15-17:**
 - Melges 24 PCCs, StFYC – City
 - Gorge Skiff Regatta, CGRA
- July 16-19:**
 - Gorge Laser Performance Clinic, CGRA
- July 20:**
 - Laser Gorge Blowout, CGRA
- July 21-24:**
 - Laser North Americans, CGRA
- July 29-31:**
 - Columbia Gorge One-Design Regatta (CGOD), CGRA
 - Santana 22 Nationals, SCYC

SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Firecracker Race, ElkYC – Moss Landing to Monterey & back Singlehanded TransPac, SSS – Ocean North Bay #4, VYC – NB Stars and Stripes, CPYC – SB	
2	3
BAYS Svendsen's Summer Splash, EYC – Estuary → SF Classic & UN Challenge, StFYC – City → Cal 20 Round Robin, CYC – Raccoon → High Sierra Centerboard Regatta, GCYC – Huntington Lake → YRA Westpoint Regatta, SeqYC – SB South Bay Interclub #4, SBYC – SB PICYA Lipton Cup, SYC – SB Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC	BAYS Svendsen's Summer Splash, EYC – Estuary SF Classic & UN Challenge, StFYC – City Cal 20 Round Robin, CYC – Raccoon High Sierra Centerboard Regatta, GCYC – Huntington Lake Tri-Island Race #2, BYC – OC/TI Howard Stevens Race, LTWYC – Tahoe South Shore
9	10
Melges 24 PCCs, StFYC – City → Monterey & Back, SCYC → Bay Bridge Regatta, SBYC – SB/SF → High Sierra Keelboat Regatta, GCYC – Huntington Lake → YRA OYRA Jr. Waterhouse, RYC – Ocean Twin Island Race #2, SYC – Knox/Alcatraz Plastic Classic, BVBC – SB/SF Small Boat Races #5, EYC – Estuary Jack and Jill Race, SSC – Stockton Midnight Moonlight Maritime Marathon, SFYC – Raccoon to Carquinez & back Championship Series #3, CYC – Knox	Melges 24 PCCs, StFYC – City Monterey & Back, SCYC Bay Bridge Regatta, SBYC – SB/SF High Sierra Keelboat Regatta, GCYC – Huntington Lake Baxter/Judson #4, PresYC – West CB
16	17
One Design Invitational, CYC – North OC → YRA Summer Series #1, SBYC – SB Mitchell/Ross Regatta, SFYC – Knox Sailor's Choice Summer Mini Series #1, ElkhornYC – Moss Landing Single/Doublehanded #3, SeqYC – SB H.O. Lind 3-4, TYC – NB Centerboard Regatta, FLYC – Folsom Lake	One Design Invitational, CYC – North OC Sir Francis Chichester Race, EYC – SB/Estuary Doublehanded Races, LTWYC – Tahoe South Shore
23	24
YRA 2nd Half Opener, EYC – CB/Bonita → Multihull Regatta, SFYC – North OC →	YRA 2nd Half Opener, EYC – CB/Bonita Multihull Regatta, SFYC – Knox
30	31

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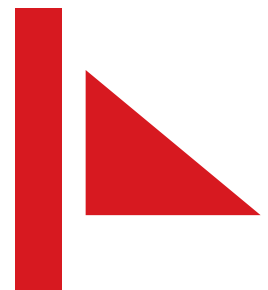
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June 18–23, 2017

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WEEKDAY & SPECIAL EVENTS

- August 9:**
 - Cup Boat Regatta, FLYC – El Dorado Hills
- August 9-11:**
 - RS Aero Pre-Regatta Clinic, CGRA
- August 12:**
 - RS Aero Gorge Blowout, CGRA
- August 12-14:**
 - Summer Keel/Melges 24 PCCs, SFYC – OC
- August 13:**
 - HRYC Double Damned, CGRA
- August 13-14:**
 - RS Aero PCCs, CGRA
- August 19-21:**
 - Aldo Alessio Perpetual, StFYC – City
- August 22-27:**
 - 18-ft Skiff Regatta, StFYC – City
- August 25-26:**
 - O'pen Bic Gorge Sailing Camp, CGRA
- August 26:**
 - Ronstan Bridge to Bridge, StFYC – City
- August 27-28:**
 - O'pen Bic UnRegatta, CGRA

SATURDAY

BAYS #4, SFYC – Richardson Bay →
YRA WBRA #4, CYC – Knox
YRA OYRA RC's Choice, BYC – Ocean
North Bay Series #5/Angel Island Race, VYC – NB
Sailor's Choice Summer Mini Series #2,
SeqYC – Moss Landing
Fox Hat Race, TYC – NB
Moseley Regatta, TYC – NB
Kay & Dave Few Regatta, CPYC – SB

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Summer Keel/Melges, SFYC – North OC →
Steele Cup/Dinghy Weekend, FLYC – Rancho Seco →
YRA Summer Series #2, RYC – SH
Cal Cup #4, BYC – OC
South Bay Interclub #5, BAMA – SB
Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC

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Special Olympics NorCal Regatta, BYC – OC/CB →
Round the Rock, BVBC – SB/SF
Wooden Boat Invitational #2, SYC – West Alcatraz
Sailor's Choice Summer Mini Series #3, SeqYC – Moss Landing
Small Boat Races #6, EYC – Estuary
Intraclub Race #3, RYC – SH
Moonlight Marathan, SeqYC – SB/TI
H.O. Lind 5-6, TYC – NB
Wosser Cup, SFYC – Knox
Championship Series #4, CYC – Knox
Fall One Design #1, SCYC
Singlehanded Regatta, FLYC – Folsom Lake

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Corinthian Cup, SFYC – North OC →
YRA OYRA/SSS Drake's Bay I, CYC – Ocean →
Summer #4, SeqYC – SB
Double Angle, ElkYC/SCYC – Santa Cruz/Monterey Bay
Women's Skippers Regatta, SYC – Knox

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SUNDAY

BAYS #4, SFYC – Richardson Bay
Commodores Cup, LTWYC – South Tahoe
Big Brothers Big Sisters Regatta, SCYC

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Summer Keel/Melges, SFYC – North OC
Steele Cup/Dinghy Weekend, FLYC – Rancho Seco
Tri-Island Race #3, BYC, OC/Angel
Ladies Day Race, LTWYC – Tahoe South Shore

14

Special Olympics NorCal Regatta, BYC – OC/CB
Gracie & George Regatta, EYC – SB/Estuary
Baxter/Judson #5, PresYC – West CB
Singlehanded Races, LTWYC – Tahoe South Shore

21

Corinthian Cup, SFYC – North OC
YRA OYRA/SSS Drake's Bay II, CYC – Ocean
Fall SCORE #1, SCYC – Start ElkYC

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WEEKDAY & SPECIAL EVENTS	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
<p>September 2: • Windjammers, StFYC/SCYC – SF to Santa Cruz</p> <p>September 5: • <i>Labor Day – Take a worker sailing</i></p> <p>September 3-10: • International Knarr Championships, StFYC – City</p> <p>Sept. 5-11: • IOD Worlds, SFYC – OC</p> <p>September 7: • Latitude 38 Mexico-Only Crew List Party, 6-9 pm., Encinal YC. See Latitude 38 or www.latitude38.com.</p> <p>September 15-18: • Rolex Big Boat Series, StFYC – City</p> <p>September 22: • <i>Autumnal Equinox</i></p> <p>September 23-25: • 505 PCCs, StFYC – City</p> <p>September 24-25: • Women's Sailing Seminar, IYC – Estuary</p> <p>Sept. 24-Oct. 2: • J/70 Worlds, StFYC – City</p>	<p>Perpetual Day 1, LTWYC – Tahoe South Shore → Jazz Cup, SBYC/BYC – CB to Benicia North Bay Series #6, VYC – NB</p> <p style="text-align: right;">3</p> <p>Millimeter Nationals, EYC – Estuary → Multihull Regatta, RYC – SH → West Marine Fun Regatta, SCYC → YRA OYRA RC's Choice – Ocean Cal Cup #5, BYC – OC Singlehanded/Doublehanded #4/Commodore's Cup, SeqYC – SB Wooden Boat Invitational #3, SYC – West Alcatraz South Bay Interclub #6, OYC – SB Fall Race #1, SSC – Stockton</p> <p style="text-align: right;">10</p> <p>Bart's Bash – Global Sailing Event → YRA Summer Series #3, SBYC – SB Tornberg Regatta, TYC – NB Fall One Design #2/Melges, SCYC</p> <p style="text-align: right;">17</p> <p>Herb Meyer Regatta, SBYC – SB/SF → YRA Season Closer, CYC – CB → Half Moon Bay, SSS – Ocean</p> <p style="text-align: right;">24</p>	<p>Perpetual Day 2, LTWYC – Tahoe South Shore Governor's Cup Series #1, FLYC – Folsom Lake</p> <p style="text-align: right;">4</p> <p>Millimeter Nationals, EYC – Estuary Multihull Regatta, RYC – SH West Marine Fun Regatta, SCYC Commodore's Cup, EYC – Estuary Governor's Cup Series #2, FLYC – Folsom Lake Late Summer Race, LTWYC – Tahoe South Shore</p> <p style="text-align: right;">11</p> <p>Bart's Bash – Global Sailing Event Small Boat Races #7, EYC – Estuary Governor's Cup Series #3, FLYC – Folsom Lake Baxter/Judson #6, PresYC – West CB Fannette Isle Race, LTWYC – Tahoe South Shore</p> <p style="text-align: right;">18</p> <p>Herb Meyer Regatta, SBYC – SB/SF YRA Season Closer, CYC – CB Totally Dinghy, RYC – SH Governor's Cup Series #4, FLYC – Folsom Lake Women's Sailing Seminar Regatta, IYC – Estuary Fall SCORE #2, SCYC</p> <p style="text-align: right;">25</p>

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Sunday, February 28

Sadie Hawkins Race, IYC
John New, (510) 521-2980, iycracing@iyc.org,
www.iyc.org

Saturday, March 12

Rites of Spring (division for all-female crews), OYC
Jim Hild, (510) 277-4676, oycracecom@gmail.com,
www.oaklandyachtclub.com

Saturday, May 28

Lady and the Tramp Race, FLYC
www.flyc.org

Sunday, June 19

Woman Skippers Race, PresYC
(415) 677-7917
www.presidiyachtclub.org

Saturday, July TBD

Sadie Hawkins, KBSC
Check website for information:
www.kbsail.com

Saturday, July 16

Jack and Jill Race, SSC
(209) 951-5600, regatta16@stocktonsc.org,
www.stocktonsc.org

Saturday, August 6

Kay & Dave Few Regatta, CPYC
(650) 347-6730, regatta@cpyc.com,
www.cpyc.com

Sunday, August 14

Ladies' Day Races, LTWYC – South Lake Tahoe
David Young, (530) 545-9155
ltwyc2@aol.com,
www.tahoewindjammers.com

Sunday, August 21

Gracie & George Regatta, EYC
Doug Perry, (510) 867-8064,
svchoices@att.net,
www.encinal.org

Saturday & Sunday, September 24-25

Women's Sailing Seminar
(race Sunday), IYC
John New, (510) 521-2980, iycracing@iyc.org,
www.iyc.org

Sunday, September TBD

Jack and Jill Regatta, SCYC
cyc@scyc.org, www.scyc.org

Sunday, September TBD

Jack & Jill, KBSC
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Saturday, October 1

Red Bra Regatta, SBYC
Dan Courter, (925) 209-3081
rearcommodore@southbeachyachtclub.org,
www.southbeachyachtclub.org

Saturday, October 15

Joan Storer Regatta, TYC
race@tyc.org,
www.tyc.org

Sunday, November 6

Jack & Jill + 1
(woman skipper triplehanded race), IYC
John New, (510) 521-7442,
iycracing@iyc.org,
www.iyc.org



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OCTOBER 2016

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WEEKDAY & SPECIAL EVENTS

- Sept. 24-Oct. 2:** • J/70 Worlds, StFYC – City
- Oct. 4-8:** • Etchells North Americans, SFYC – OC
- October 7-9:** • Express 37 Nationals, BYC – OC/CB
• Sportboat Invitational, RYC – OC
- October 10:** • *Columbus Day*
- October 20-21:** • Kilroy Pro Am, StFYC – City
- October 30:** • Baja Ha-Ha starts, SD – Cabo
- October 31:** • *Halloween: Go sailing in costume!*

SATURDAY

BAYS HS NorCal Regatta, EYC – Estuary →
Champions Race, BenYC – Carquinez
Summer #5, SeqYC – SB
Champion of Champions, VYC – NB
Shorthanded Races, TYC – NB
Red Bra Regatta, SBYC – SB/SF side
Oktoberfest, OYC – TI/Estuary
Jerry O'Grady Singlehanded Race, CPYC – SB
Auxiliary Cup, SFYC – Knox

505s, SCYC →
YRA WBRA #6 – City
Champion of Champions, BVBC – SB/SF
Chowder Cup #1, ElkYC – Moss Landing
El Toro Stampede, RYC – Potrero Reach
Challenge Race, SeqYC/LGYC – SB
Fall Series #2, SSC – Stockton

Fall Classic, SFYC – Knox →
Oktoberfest, BYC – OC
Singlehanded/Doublehanded #5/Commodore's Cup,
SeqYC – SB
Jessica Cup, StFYC – City
Twin Island Race #3, SYC – Knox/Alcatraz
Fall Shorteez Regatta; PHRF 180+, CPYC – SB
Joan Storer Regatta, TYC – NB
Ross Wood CC #5, CYC – Knox
Interclub #4, RYC – SH
Fall One Design #3, SCYC

Vallejo 1, SSS – OC/Vallejo →
Fall Dinghy, StFYC – City →
Leukemia Cup, SFYC – City or Alcatraz →
Corkscrew Slough Regatta, SeqYC – SB
South Bay Championship, SeqYC – SB
Chowder Cup #2, ElkYC – Moss Landing

Great Pumpkin, RYC – OC →
Round the Island, SFYC – Belvedere/TI/SH

SUNDAY

BAYS HS NorCal Regatta, EYC – Estuary
Chowder #1, BYC – OC

505s, SCYC
Chowder #2, BYC – OC

Fall Classic, SFYC – Knox
Chowder #3, BYC – OC

Vallejo 2, SSS – VYC/RYC
Fall Dinghy, StFYC – City
Leukemia Cup, SFYC – Knox
Chowder #4, BYC – OC
Fall SCORE #3, SCYC

Great Pumpkin, RYC – OC
Chowder #5, BYC – OC

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- Half Moon Bay - Sept. 24
- Vallejo 1-2 - Oct. 22-23



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www.tahitipearlregatta.org.pf

TRANSPACIFIC YACHT RACE • Mid-June 2016
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VIC-MAUI • July 2016
2,300 miles from Victoria, BC, to Maui, Hawaii. www.vicmaui.org

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Newport Beach to Cabo San Lucas, Baja California Sur.
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BAY OF ISLANDS SAILING WEEK • January 26-29, 2016
Buoy racing in New Zealand's Bay of Islands.
www.bayofislandssailingweek.org.nz

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Pacific Cup Village at RYC opens • Saturday, July 2

Sponsor Party • Tuesday, July 5

Alaska Airlines Extravaganza • Thursday, July 7

Skippers Meeting & BMW of San Rafael Bon Voyage Party • Saturday, July 9

**Pre-registration required. Please check the website for details and additional events.*

FIRST RACE START JULY 11

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WEEKDAY & SPECIAL EVENTS

- November TBD:**
- YRA Year-End Trophy Party – BYC
 - Turkey Shoot, LWSC – Lake Washington
- November 11:**
- Veterans Day. Take a veteran sailing!
- November 24:**
- Thanksgiving Day
- November 25:**
- Wild Turkey Race, TYC – NB

SATURDAY

Opti Winter #1, SFYC – Richardson Bay →
 Seaweed Soup Midwinter #1, GGYC – City
 Winter #1, SeqYC – SB
 Commodore's Cup, CPYC – SB
 Fall Race #3, SSC – Stockton
 Chowder Cup #3, ElkYC – Moss Landing
 Red Rock Race, TYC – NB

5

Midwinter #1, BYC – OC
 Jack Frost #1, EYC – Estuary
 Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC

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Redwood Cup #1, SeqYC – SB
 Island Fever #1, SBYC – SB
 Chowder Cup #4, ElkYC – Moss Landing
 Midwinter #1, SCYC

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Commodore's Challenge, IYC – Estuary

26

SUNDAY

Opti Winter #1, SFYC – Richardson Bay
 Jack & Jill + 1, IYC – Estuary
 Midwinter #1, SYC – Knox
 Chowder #6, BYC – OC
 Laser Short Course, RYC

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS

6

Midwinter #2, BYC – OC
 Island Days Midwinter #1, IYC – Estuary

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Chowder #7, BYC – OC

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Chowder #8, BYC – OC

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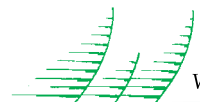
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15	7:24	17:14	15	6:00	20:31
20	7:22	17:20	20	6:04	20:28
25	7:19	17:25	25	6:08	20:24
30	7:16	17:31	30	6:12	20:20
FEBRUARY			AUGUST		
1	7:14	17:33	1	6:14	20:18
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JUNE			DECEMBER		
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WEEKDAY & SPECIAL EVENTS

- December:**
- Happy Holidays! Check the Calendar in the Nov. or Dec. issue of *Latitude 38* for lighted boat parades near you.
- December 21:**
- *Winter Solstice*
- December 24:**
- *Hanukkah begins at sundown*
- December 25:**
- *Christmas Day*
- December 31:**
- *New Year's Eve*



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SATURDAY

Chowder Cup #5, ElkYC – Moss Landing
 Opti Midwinters #1, RYC – Keller Cove
 Winter #2, SeqYC – SB
 Fall Race #4, SSC – Stockton
 Seaweed Soup Midwinter #2, GGYC – City

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Midwinters #3, BYC – OC

10

Redwood Cup #2, SeqYC – SB
 Island Fever #2, SBYC – SB
 Midwinter #2, SCYC

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SUNDAY

Chowder #9, BYC – OC
 Midwinters #6, RYC – SH
 Midwinter #2, SYC – Knox
 Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC

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Midwinters #4, BYC – OC
 Midwinter #2, IYC – Estuary

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Chowder #10, BYC – OC

18

Chowder #11, BYC – OC

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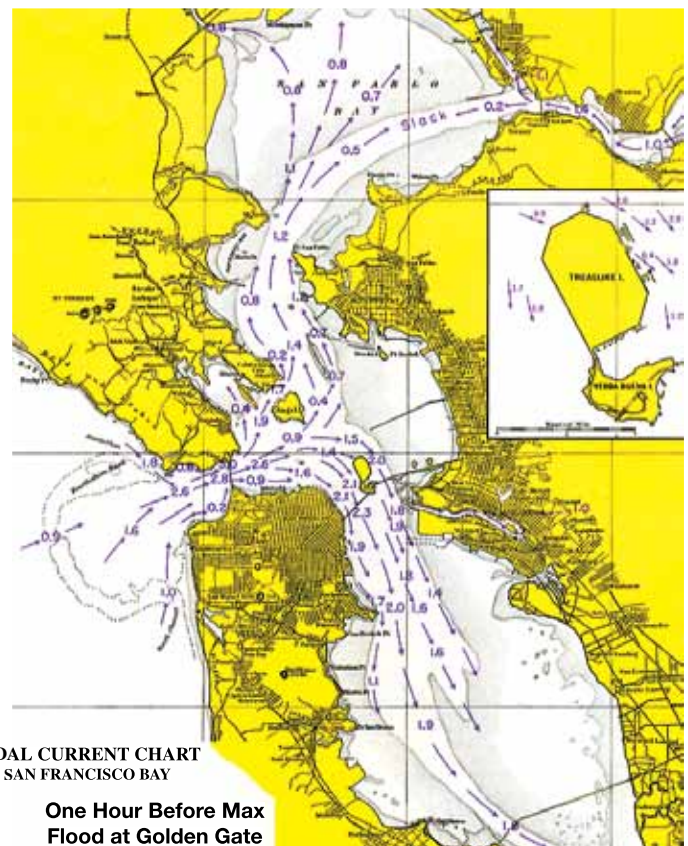
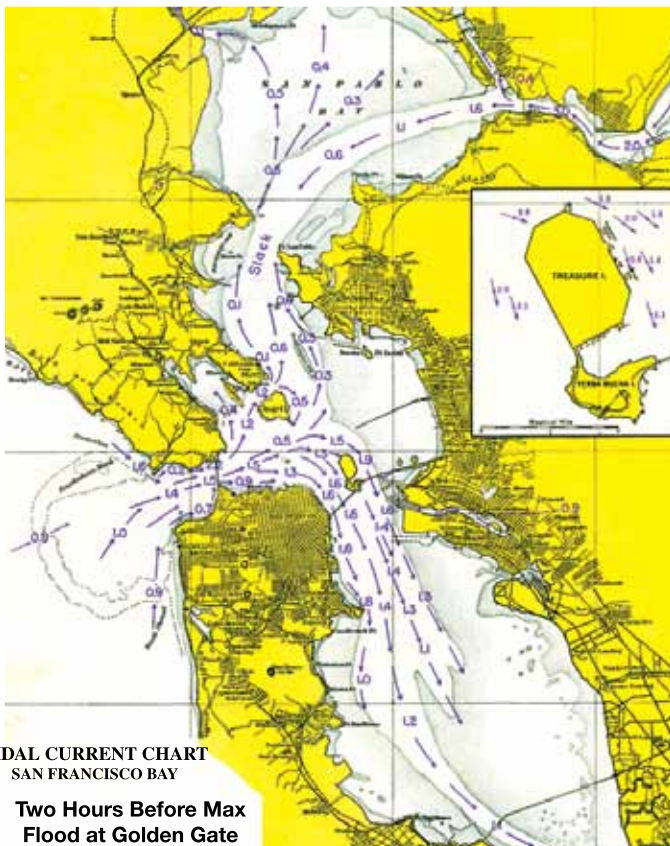
The chart to be used for any specific time is determined by obtaining the difference between the desired time and the time of the nearest Maximum Flood or Maximum Ebb for the Golden Gate. The chart with the title that agrees most nearly with this difference is the one to be used.

The numbers before or after the arrows indicate the 'tropic speed' of the current in knots. To determine the actual speed of the current for a particular day and hour, this tropic speed is multiplied by the factor given in the table to the right, 'Factors for Correcting Speeds'. To find the correct 'predicted speed' as listed in the table, see 'Weekend Currents' on pages 79 and 80.

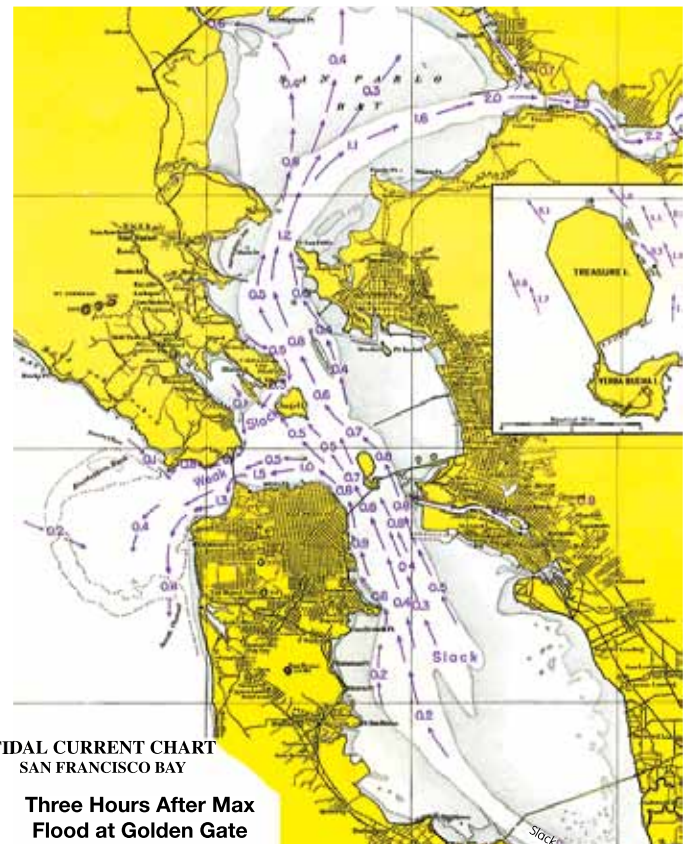
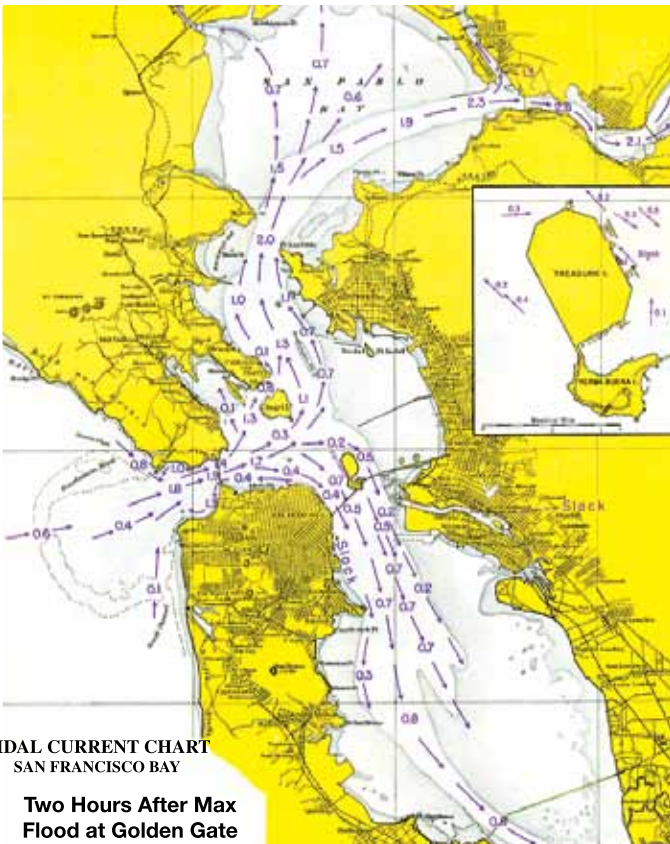
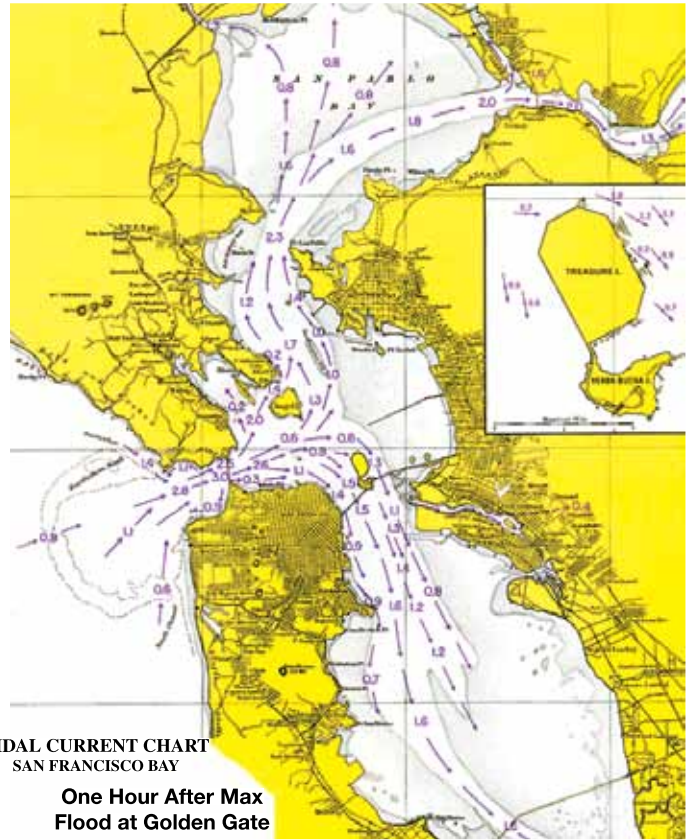
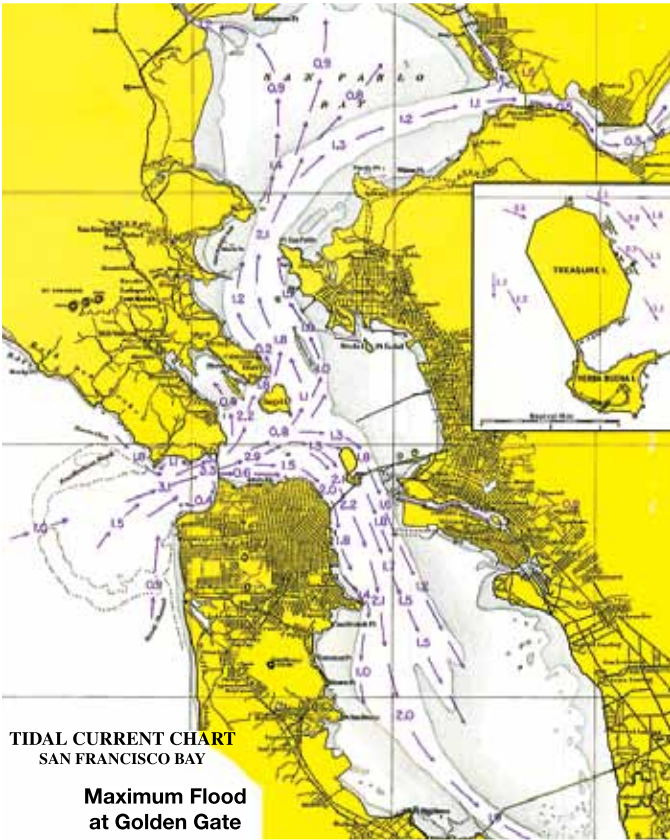
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FACTORS FOR CORRECTING SPEEDS

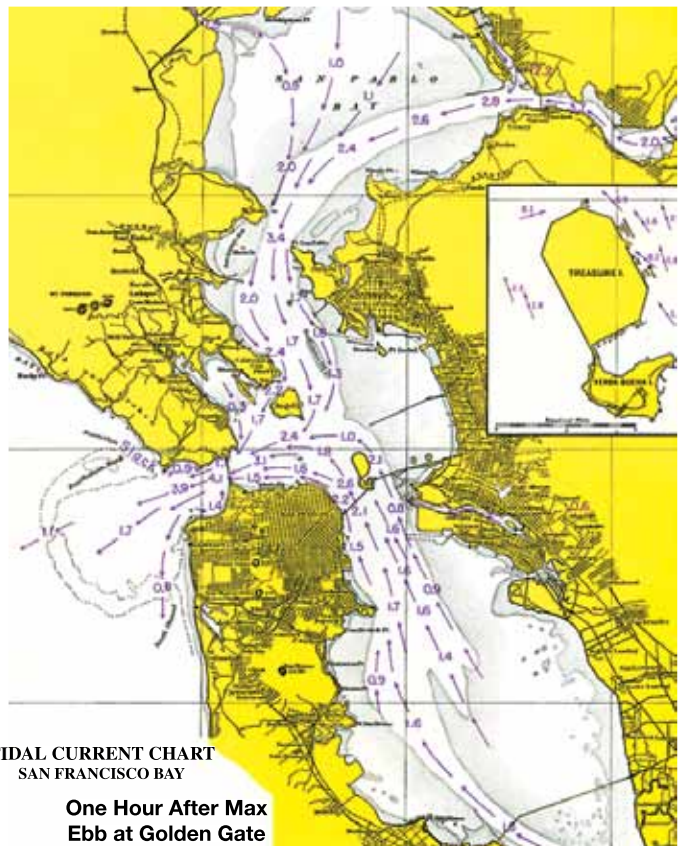
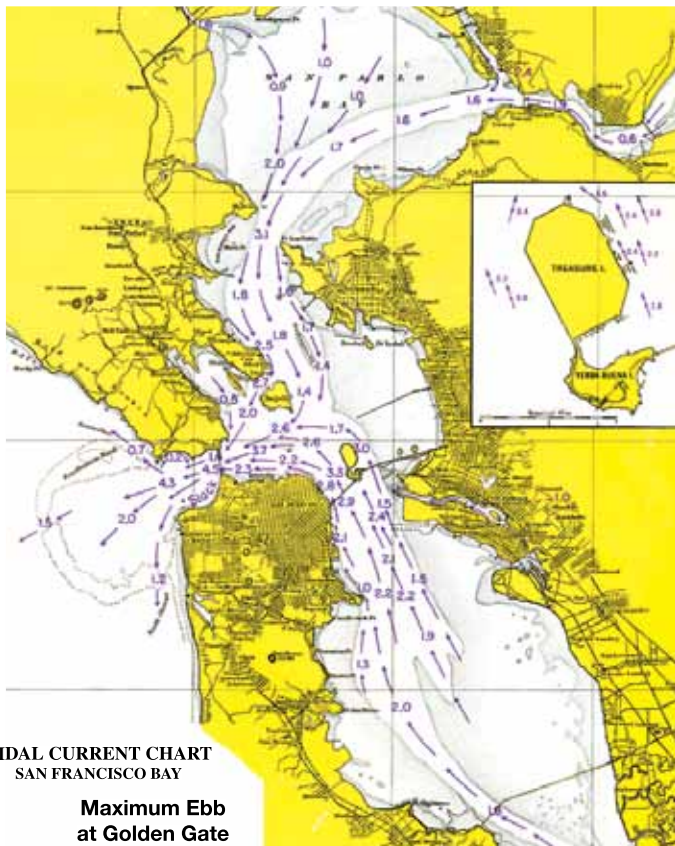
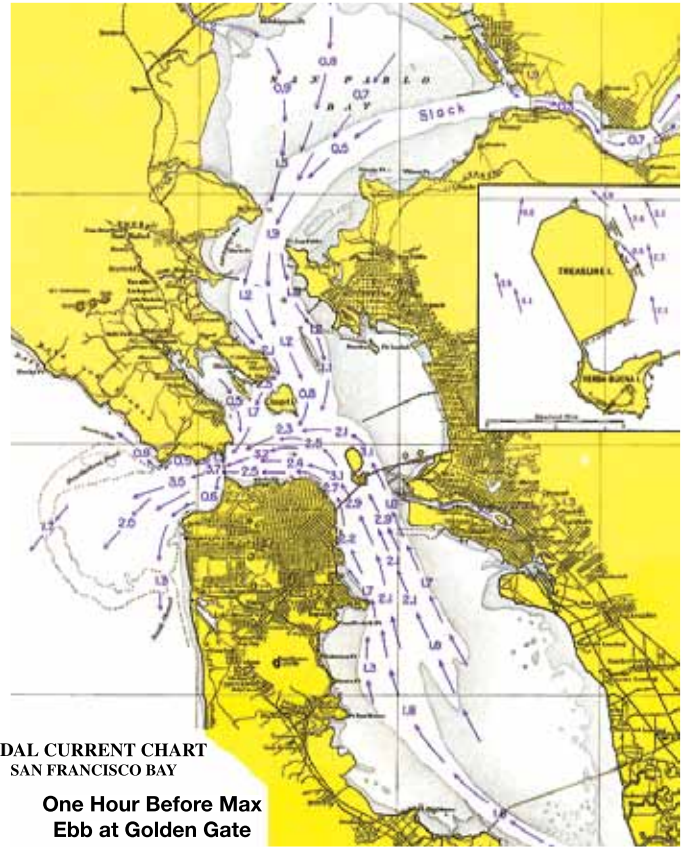
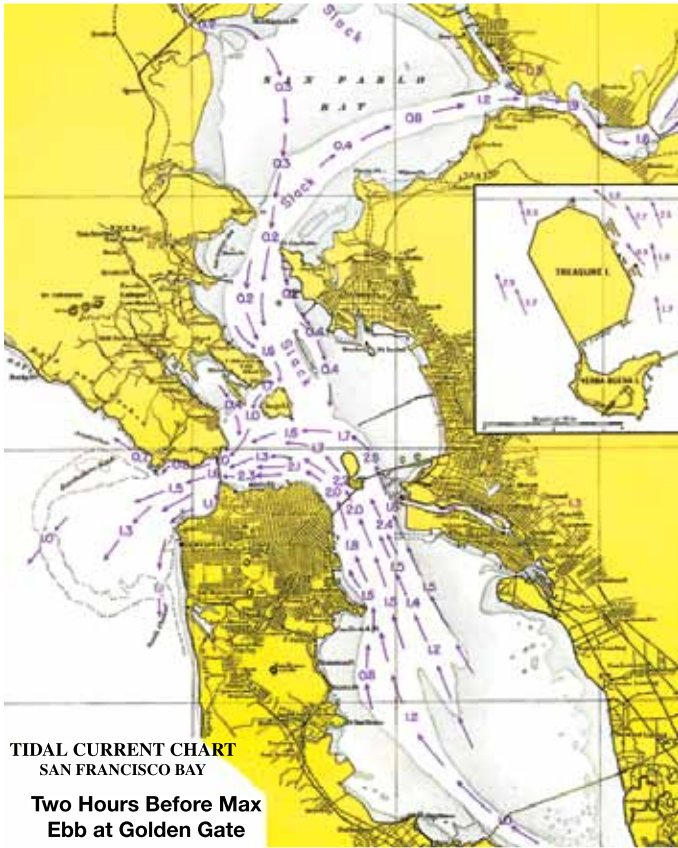
MAXIMUM FLOOD			MAXIMUM EBB		
Predicted speed (knots)	Factor		Predicted Speed (knots)	Factor	
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0.9-1.1,	multiply by	0.3	1.2-1.5,	multiply by	0.3
1.2-1.4,	multiply by	0.4	1.6-2.0,	multiply by	0.4
1.5-1.8,	multiply by	0.5	2.1-2.4,	multiply by	0.5
1.9-2.1,	multiply by	0.6	2.5-2.9,	multiply by	0.6
2.2-2.4,	multiply by	0.7	3.0-3.3,	multiply by	0.7
2.5-2.8,	multiply by	0.8	3.4-3.8,	multiply by	0.8
2.9-3.1,	multiply by	0.9	3.9-4.2,	multiply by	0.9
3.2-3.4,	multiply by	1.0	4.3-4.7,	multiply by	1.0
3.5-3.7,	multiply by	1.1	4.8-5.1,	multiply by	1.1
3.8-4.1,	multiply by	1.2	5.2-5.6,	multiply by	1.2
4.2-4.4,	multiply by	1.3	5.7-6.0,	multiply by	1.3
4.5-4.7,	multiply by	1.4	6.1-6.5,	multiply by	1.4
4.8-5.1,	multiply by	1.5	6.6-6.9,	multiply by	1.5



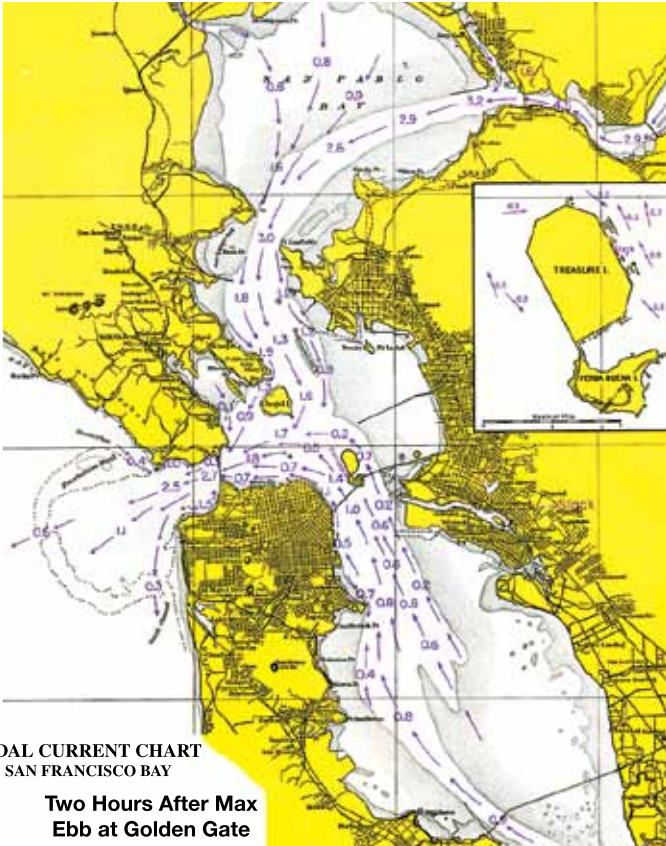
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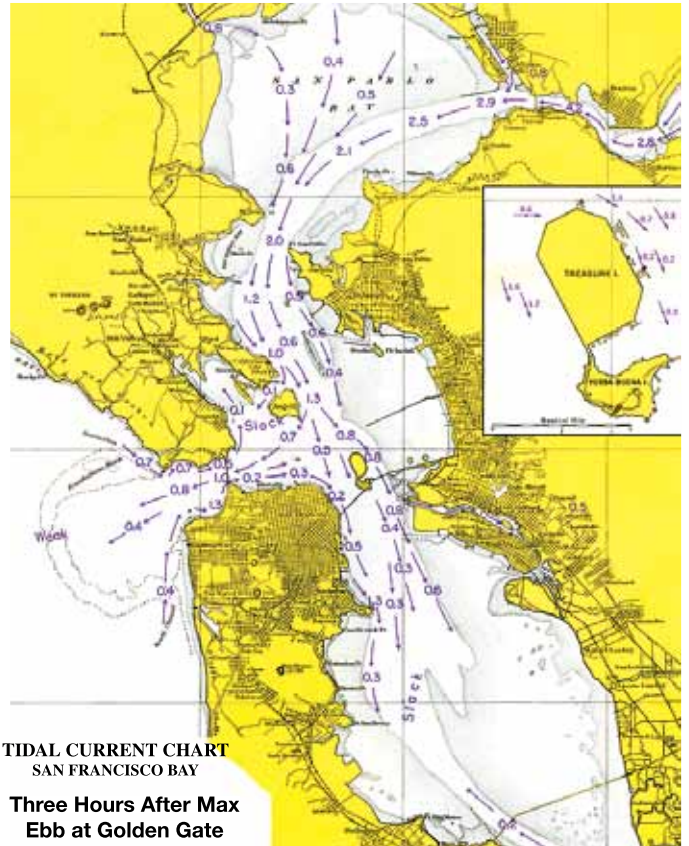


TIDAL CURRENT CHARTS



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JANUARY – JUNE

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JANUARY					FEBRUARY					MARCH				
date/day	slack	max	slack	max	date/day	slack	max	slack	max	date/day	slack	max	slack	max
1/01 Fri	0009	0254/2.1F	0602	0932/2.3E	2/06 Sat		0212/2.2E	0516	0754/2.0F	3/05 Sat		0105/2.1E	0417	0644/1.7F
	1349	1529/0.9F	1745	2118/2.1E		1004	1352/3.8E	1830	2110/2.9F		0851	1249/3.3E	1721	1958/2.6F
1/02 Sat	0054	0337/1.8F	0639	1029/2.3E	2/07 Sun	0015	0254/2.4E	0600	0842/2.3F	3/06 Sun		0145/2.5E	0503	0735/2.1F
	1457	1639/0.9F	1916	2223/1.9E		1053	1437/4.0E	1903	2149/3.1F		0951	1334/3.7E	1755	2036/3.0F
1/03 Sun	0142	0424/1.7F	0715	1124/2.5E	2/13 Sat		0113/3.0F	0341	0700/3.6E	3/12 Sat	0222	0542/4.1E	0947	1241/2.7F
	1554	1755/1.1F	2037	2327/1.8E		1106	1354/2.2F	1621	1939/2.8E		1523	1828/3.0E	2144	
1/09 Sat	0046	0321/2.2E	0617	0901/2.2F	2/14 Sun		0201/2.7F	0423	0752/3.5E	3/13 Sun		0042/2.8F	0402	0727/4.0E
	1106	1453/4.0E	1932	2218/3.0F		1222	1458/1.9F	1741	2045/2.3E		1148	1440/2.4F	1728	2027/2.5E
1/10 Sun	0125	0404/2.3E	0702	0948/2.2F	2/15 Mon		0253/2.3F	0512	0851/3.4E	3/19 Sat		0209/2.7E	0535	0750/2.1F
	1151	1538/4.1E	2006	2258/3.1F		1346	1610/1.8F	1914	2201/2.0E		1035	1419/3.4E	1821	2059/2.8F
1/16 Sat		0235/2.7F	0508	0830/3.2E	2/20 Sat		0215/2.8E	0533	0757/2.5F	3/20 Sun		0257/3.0E	0627	0845/2.4F
	1246	1515/1.7F	1737	2102/2.5E		1038	1420/3.9E	1830	2107/3.1F		1131	1504/3.6E	1900	2135/3.0F
1/17 Sun	0024	0326/2.5F	0556	0928/3.3E	2/21 Sun	0007	0304/3.0E	0624	0849/2.6F	3/26 Sat		0025/2.3F	0248	0620/3.2E
	1407	1628/1.7F	1917	2217/2.2E		1128	1506/3.9E	1909	2145/3.2F		1047	1320/2.1F	1608	1905/2.5E
1/23 Sat	0033	0322/2.8E	0631	0902/2.7F	2/27 Sat		0042/2.2F	0310	0640/2.7E	3/27 Sun		0101/2.1F	0312	0648/3.1E
	1133	1516/4.1E	1935	2212/3.3F		1113	1334/1.5F	1603	1917/2.3E		1130	1408/1.8F	1655	1951/2.1E
1/24 Sun	0119	0411/2.8E	0724	0952/2.6F	2/28 Sun		0120/1.9F	0334	0713/2.6E		2253			
	1222	1604/4.1E	2016	2253/3.2F		1213	1427/1.3F	1700	2009/1.9E					
1/30 Sat		0205/2.0F	0442	0821/2.4E		2310								
	1307	1458/1.0F	1717	2040/2.0E										
1/31 Sun	2355													
	1417	1602/.09F	1844	2142/1.6E										
APRIL					MAY					JUNE				
date/day	slack	max	slack	max	date/day	slack	max	slack	max	date/day	slack	max	slack	max
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	0817	1230/2.9E	1659	1938/2.3F		0755	1159/2.8E	1604	1854/2.4F		1337	1617/2.7E	1920	2203/2.9F
	2245				5/07 Sat	0053	0422/4.7E	0843	1132/3.4F	6/05 Sun	0029	0404/4.7E	0837	1121/3.4F
4/03 Sun		0136/2.4E	0503	0724/1.6F		1435	1721/2.9E	2028	2318/3.0F		1430	1712/2.7E	2013	2258/2.8F
	0935	1327/3.2E	1738	2020/2.7F	5/08 Sun	0135	0508/4.6E	0935	1223/3.3F	6/11 Sat	0131	0331/1.4F	0540	0928/2.8E
	2320					1531	1814/2.7E	2119			1336	1615/2.3F	1933	2251/2.4E
4/09 Sat	0206	0531/4.5E	0942	1234/3.2F	5/14 Sat	0308	0459/1.2F	0723	1116/2.6E	6/12 Sun	0247	0434/1.2F	0656	1035/2.4E
	1530	1823/3.0E	2136			1522	1759/2.2F	2112			1428	1705/2.1F	2021	2355/2.5E
4/10 Sun		0028/2.9F	0246	0615/4.4E	5/15 Sun		0031/2.6E	0417	0612/1.3F	6/18 Sat		0259/3.4E	0744	1014/2.4F
	1036	1328/2.9F	1629	1918/2.7E		0852	1228/2.5E	1614	1851/2.2F		1315	1549/2.1E	1848	2127/2.0F
	2226				5/21 Sat	0019	0402/3.6E	0841	1113/2.6F	6/19 Sun		0328/3.6E	0818	1052/2.6F
4/16 Sat		0057/2.5E	0429	0632/1.5F		1415	1656/2.3E	1956	2238/2.1F		1358	1633/2.1E	1928	2209/2.0F
	0913	1304/2.9E	1700	1941/2.4F	5/22 Sun	0046	0432/3.6E	0916	1153/2.6F	6/25 Sat		0202/1.7F	0356	0746/3.5E
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	1023	1355/3.0E	1744	2021/2.6F		1320	1624/2.3F	1927	2227/2.2E		1235	1544/2.6F	1828	2140/2.6E
	2320				5/29 Sun	0209	0425/1.1F	0611	1014/2.8E					
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	1513	1801/2.4E	2106	2348/2.1F	5/30 Mon	0322	0535/1.3F	0739	1128/2.7E					
4/24 Sun	0157	0538/3.5E	1017	1257/2.3F		1511	1809/2.5F	2058						
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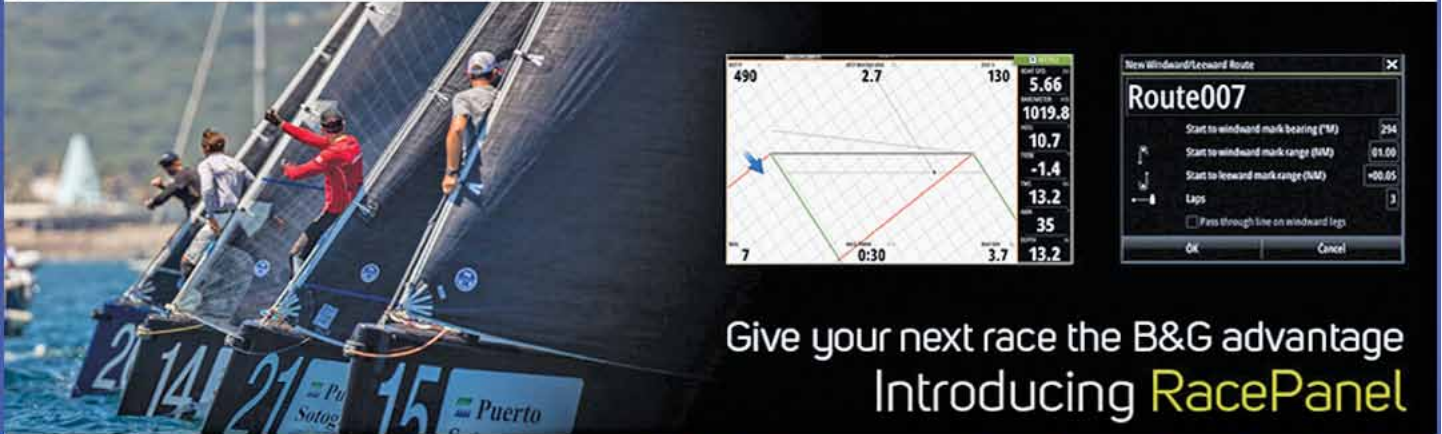
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