

Notice of Race

ENCINAL YACHT CLUB

Alameda, California

PRESENTS

“Spring Twilight Series 2008”

Spring Friday Night Series – April 18, May 2, May 16, June 6 & June 20

Rules: The Current Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the prescriptions of US Sailing, the rules of one-design classes, will govern the racing except as they are changed by this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions. The series is designated Category A.

Classes Invited: Boats with valid PHRF certificates and one-design classes. One Design classes will be five or more boats. On April 16th, if a one-design class does not fulfill the 5-boat minimum, they will be scored in the appropriate handicap class. All One-Design Classes are encouraged to drive up participation- we look forward to more One Design starts!

Eligibility requirements: Sailboats that have an overall length of at least 19 feet with a valid PHRF Certificate. All yachts must comply with the U.S. Coast Guard equipment requirements for recreational vessels including proper navigation lights.

Registration: Completed Entry Form, current PHRF Certificate, and fees must be received by the Encinal Yacht Club office no later than 5:00 p.m. April 16th, 2008. Any entries after this time are late and will require a late entry fee of \$10.

- Spring Series Fee: \$45.00 or \$75 for both Spring and Summer Twilight Series (check payable to: EYC)
- Spring Series, with Late Fee, \$55 or \$85 for both Spring & Summer Twilight Series.
- \$15.00 / Race if entered individually
- Fax 510-865-8630

Schedule of Races: The races are scheduled as follows:

Race 1	April 18, 2008	Warning Signal 6:25 PM
Race 2	May 2, 2008	Warning Signal 6:25 PM
Race 3	May 16, 2008	Warning Signal 6:25 PM
Race 4	June 6, 2008	Warning Signal 6:25 PM
Race 5	June 20, 2008	Warning Signal 6:25 PM

Racing Area: The Oakland Estuary

Sailing Instructions: Will be available on April 16th, 2008 by 8:00 p m at EYC and a copy will be posted on the EYC web page (www.encinal.org) by April 17th, 2008. **Amendments** will be posted on www.encinal.org and at EYC by 5pm the Thursday before the race.

Scoring: The low point scoring system, rule A2, will apply. Five races are scheduled, of which 4 races shall be completed to constitute a series.

PHRF Scoring: TIME ON TIME handicapping system will be used. A 3 second per mile advantage will be given to any boat that includes one or more EYC Junior sailors who must be shown to the RC prior to each start.

Trophies: Series trophies will be awarded at Encinal Yacht Club June 20th as follows: 1st, 2nd, 3rd place in all divisions with 6 or more boats.

Party: After each race the race results will be posted in the EYC Bar no later than 90 minutes after the last boat finishes.

The Encinal Yacht Club will offer three different ways to enjoy your evening after the race:

- a) You may enjoy a sit-down full service dinner in our dining room*
- b) You may order from the bar menu and enjoy your meal on our upper deck or bar / lounge area*
- c) You may purchase and cook your own steak, hamburger or hotdog on our BBQ's on the upper deck. We will supply all the fixing's.*