



# Half Moon Bay Yacht Club Commodore's Regatta 2021

## **NOTICE OF RACE**

### **SCHEDULE and LOCATION**

The Regatta will be held on Saturday, 24 April 2021 in Pillar Point Harbor, Half Moon Bay, California.

Check-in will be 0900 to 1000. There will be no Sailors' Meeting for this regatta (due to San Mateo County COVID restrictions).

The scheduled time of the Warning Signal for the first race is 1100. Five to seven races are scheduled, time permitting. No races will be started after 1500.

### **REGATTA RULES**

The Organizing Authority for the Regatta is the Half Moon Bay Yacht Club ("HMBYC").

The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the United States Sailing Association's *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (the "RRS").

For C15 competitors, the *Coronado 15 Association Class Rules* also apply. These rules are available [here](#).

### **ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

The Regatta is open to boats of the Laser, Coronado 15, and Cal 20 one-design classes, and to other types of boats that will be placed in



one or more handicap classes, dependent upon entries. If handicap classes are included, they will race under the North American Portsmouth Yardstick System (available [here](#)). For other one-design classes, please consult the Race Committee.

Fleets must have at least three (3) boats entered to qualify for a class start. This number may be modified at the discretion of the Race Committee.

To enter, go to the HMBYC website Calendar (<http://www.hmbyc.org> and click on Calendar) entry for the date of the Regatta, where there will be links to register.

## **FEES**

For HMBYC members, there is no entry fee for this regatta. For non-members, the fee is \$45 for crewed boats, \$30 for single-handed boats, and \$0 for youth sailors.

## **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The Sailing Instructions (SI's) and this Notice of Race (NOR) will be available on the HMBYC website on the *Sailing > Racing* page, and also at check-in.

## **DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

Competitors participate in the Regatta entirely at their own risk; see RRS 3, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the Regatta.

All participants must agree to the Commodore's Regatta Waiver and Release of Liability. A signed copy must be emailed to the Race Committee ([racing@hmbyc.org](mailto:racing@hmbyc.org)) before the Regatta or delivered in person on the first day of the Regatta. The form is found [here](#).



## **HMBYC GUESTS**

The Club welcomes non-member participants as guests of the Club for the duration of the Regatta. Participants may bring their boats into the HMBYC storage yard on the Friday before the Regatta with prior notification and approval from the Race Committee.

## **SAFETY**

If a competitor thinks he or she has been exposed to COVID-19 or has, within the past 14 days, been in a group without exercising proper social distancing and wearing a mask, then **DO NOT ATTEND** this Regatta.

All participants must adhere to the California and San Mateo County COVID restrictions. Details will be given in the Sailing Instructions.

## **FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information, contact the Race Committee at [racing@hmbyc.org](mailto:racing@hmbyc.org).