



2018 Small Boat Solar Series

Encinal Yacht Club, Alameda, CA

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The racing Rules of Sailing 2017 – 2020.
- 1.2 Competitors are required to wear USCG approved PFD's while racing. No "Y" flag will be flown.
- 1.3 US Sailing Appendix V1 applies. *(V1 modifies RRS 44.1 to allow one turn penalty if rules of Part 2 Are broken...)*
- 1.4 Individual classes will be governed by the rules of their class

2 ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 All one design centerboard boats with exception of Optimist Prams
- 2.2 All one design keel boats of less than 20 ft..
- 2.3 Class membership is not required.

3 REGISTRATION

- 3.1 Register online at: Series entry fee is \$60.00 for all 7 races days. Register before March 12, 2018 and pay only \$50.00. Register for the Series at: [Series Registration](#)
- 3.2 Individual race day entry fee is \$10.00 Register for only Race #1 at: [Single Race Registration](#)
- 3.3 Eligible boats may also register with cash or credit card at the Regatta Desk on race day.
- 3.4 All entries will be asked to sign a liability waiver.

4 SCHEDULE

- 4.1 March 17
April 14
May 19
June 23
July 21
August 18
September 15
- 4.2 Sailors meeting at 1200 hrs. each day.
- 4.3 Scheduled time for the First warning Signal will be 1230 hrs. each day.
- 4.4 No starts will occur after 1630 hrs.
- 4.5 Five races, weather permitting, are planned each day.

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 5.1 Sailing Instructions will be available at: (racing link) and at the EYC office by Monday March 12, 2017.

6 COURSES and RACING AREA

- 6.1 The racing area will be in the Brooklyn Basin section of Oakland Estuary directly in front of the EYC.
- 6.2 The courses will be windward leeward using inflatable marks with a typical time of approximately thirty minutes.

7 SCORING

- 7.1 Each day is scored individually by class.
- 7.2 When three or fewer races are completed all races will be scored.
- 7.3 When four or more races are completed, boats worse score will be excluded.
- 7.4 Race results will be posted in the EYC Lounge.

8 TROPHIES

- 8.1 Prizes will be awarded to class winners of each "Solar" race day: (3/17/18, 6/23/18, 9/15/18)
- 8.2 First place Trophies will be awarded to each Series winner with of at least 3 boats on Sept. 15, 2018
- 8.3 Second place Trophies will be awarded to classes with 5 boats.
- 8.4 Third place Trophies will be awarded to classes with 10 boats or more.

9 BOAT AND TRAILER STORAGE

- 9.1 Boats on dollies only allowed on club grounds.
- 9.2 Cars and trailers will be parked outside gate in parking lot.

10 CONTACT INFORMATION

- 10.1 For further information, contact PRO John Hansen at: yachtcheck@yahoo.com or (510) 815-4420

11 ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

- 11.1 The Organizing Authority for the Solar Series is the Encinal Yacht Club.