

# The 2018 Corinthian Midwinters Series

Jan 20-21 & Feb 17-18

## Notice of Race

### 1. RULES

- The race will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*. The Organizing Authority is the Corinthian Yacht Club of San Francisco.
- The Sailing Instructions will delete RRS 40 and replace with: “Competitors shall wear personal flotation devices at all times while afloat, except briefly while changing clothing or personal equipment.”
- One Design class rules are in effect where sufficient boats are registered to form a One Design fleet.

### 2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- Eligible boats shall enter by completing the online entry form at: <https://race.cyc.org>
- All participating boats must have a valid BAMA or NCPHRF certificate.
- Fleets will be defined based on entry registration and may include Multi-hull, PHRF, J105, AE28, Non-Spinnaker, One Design, Sportboat 30 and Twentysomething boats. A fleet with five or fewer boats may be merged with another fleet. Final fleet assignments will be set out in the sailing instructions
  - **BAMA and PHRF fleets** will be grouped primarily based on their relevant assigned rating.
  - **One Design fleets** of five or more entries may have separate scoring while racing with an NCPHRF division. One Design fleets of eight or more entries will have separate starts.
  - **Non-Spinnaker Fleet** is for boats rated with spinnakers but racing without them, and specified other boats if accepted by the Race Committee. Wyliecats and similar boats shall race in the Spinnaker division. AE28s shall race in the AE28 division. All boats in the Non-Spinnaker divisions are subject to ratings modification. The Race Committee may adjust ratings in this fleet.
  - **AE28 and J105 fleets** are defined for their respective classes and are One Design fleets.
  - **Sportboat 30 fleet** is for boats with an LOA of 28ft to 38ft, NCPHRF rating of between 9 and 81, SA\_DW/D ratio  $\geq 61$ , a D/WL ratio  $\leq 121$ , that carry a bowsprit.
  - **Twentysomething fleet** is for boats with an LOA of 20ft to

<30ft, NCPHRF of between 81 to 150; SA\_DW/D ratio of >=51, D/WL ratio <=124. Entrants may be moved to another fleet if there are fewer than eight entries.

### **3. FEES**

For both weekend regattas', the entry fee will be:

- \$130 for Boats registered before December 27 2017;
- \$150 for Boats registered December 28 to January 13,2018;
- \$175 for Boats registered after 11pm on January 13, 2018.

### **4. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

- Four races are scheduled in the regatta, with one race each day. Jan Jan 20-21 and Feb 17-18, 2018.
- First Warning Signal is scheduled at 12:00hrs on all race days.
- Skippers' briefing will be held in the CYC Ballroom on Friday January 19 at 18:30hrs.

### **5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Sailing Instructions will be available no later than Jan 18th on the web site at: <http://www.cyc.org/racing> and on the CYC Clubhouse notice board.

### **6. VENUE & COURSES**

The series will take place entirely within San Francisco Bay. Courses will be defined in the Sailing Instructions.

### **7. PENALTY SYSTEM**

Appendix T1 section A of *RRS* will apply and will be included in the SI's.

### **8. SCORING**

- Races will be scored time-on-time under PHRF and One Design Class Rules.
- One race must be completed to constitute a series. There will be no throw-outs.

### **9. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS**

The Race Committee may make radio transmissions to communicate information about time to start and recalls.

### **10. PRIZES**

Daily and series trophies will be awarded.

## 11.FURTHER INFORMATION

The Corinthian Yacht Club of San Francisco 43  
Main Street, Tiburon CA 94920  
Telephone (415) 435-4771 Fax (415) 435-5101  
Web Site: <http://www.cyc.org/racing>

Blake Davis and Chris Canada, Co-Regatta Chair  
Harbor Entrance: 37° 52.33'N 122° 27.31'W  
CYC Office: 415-435-4771  
Harbormaster: 415-302-5083

**\*\*\*\*\*Following are not part of the NOR\*\*\*\*\***

- **SOCIAL**

Post-race buffet dinner and refreshments with daily awards in the CYC ballroom each Saturday. While daily trophies will be presented following each day's racing, series awards will be presented following racing on Sunday, February 18.

- **BERTHING AND STORAGE**

Entrants are encouraged to use CYC guest dock and raft up in the harbor to the east of the Club. Please coordinate with the Harbormaster in advance of your intention. All boats will be stored at the direction of the CYC Harbormaster.

Storage of equipment or boat gear is not permitted on the docks during the regatta.

- **CLUB USE AND PARKING**

Participants are welcome to use the club facilities with guest privileges during the regatta.

Parking at the Club is for members only. Public parking is available off-site at nearby facilities.