



2021 Corinthian Midwinters Series

February 20-21 & March 6-7

Notice of Race

(incl Amendment 1&2)

1. RULES

- 1.1. 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.
- 1.2. RRS 40.1 will apply requiring competitors to wear Personal Flotation Devices.
- 1.3. One Design class rules are in effect where sufficient boats are registered to form a One Design fleet.
- 1.4. All boats must have adequate means of self-propulsion or sufficient ground tackle to be able to maintain a position against adverse tides and conditions.
- 1.5. All Boats are required to have a functioning VHF radio aboard at all times.
- 1.6. Nothing in these rules shall be construed to relieve any participant from their duty to comply with health requirements
- 1.7. A boat shall be crewed by
 - 1.7.1. People from a single household and shall fly a yellow flag from the backstay no smaller than 12" x 14" or
 - 1.7.2. Individuals from multiple households where the number of households shall not exceed that permitted under Marin County and State health orders and all persons must wear a mask and make reasonable efforts to maintain social distancing.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. Eligible boats shall enter by completing the online entry form at:
<https://race.cyc.org/mids21>
- 2.2. One entry per boat will be accepted.
- 2.3. All participating boats must have a valid 2020 or 2021 BAMA or NCPHRF certificate. The race committee may, at its discretion, waive the ratings certificate and/or, assign ratings to boats provisionally or finally where (a) YRA has not delivered an applied-for rating or (b) racing one-design or (c) racing non-spinnaker.

2.4. Fleets will be defined based on entry registration and may include Multi-hull, PHRF, J/105, AE28, J/24, J/70, J/88, Non-Spinnaker, One Design Short-handed and Sportboat. 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** are formed when five or more entries of that class are registered and will be subject to their respective One Design class rules. One Design classes with sufficient entrants to form a fleet, will have a separate start.
- **Short-handed Fleet** entrants will be accepted for those racing single or double handed. This will be a spinnaker fleet only.
- **Non-Spinnaker Fleet** is for boats rated with spinnakers but racing without them, and specified other boats, if accepted by the Race Committee. IOD's, Wyliecats and other cat 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 by the Race Committee's discretion. Knarr's registered in a Non-Spinnaker fleet will have their rating adjusted.

3. FEES

3.1. The entry fee for the entire regatta will be \$145 for each boat.

3.2. Entries must be received before February 16, 2021

3.3. Entries submitted after February 16, 2021 may be permitted at the discretion of the race organizer.

4. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

4.1. Four races are scheduled in the regatta, with one race each day. February 20-21 and March 6-7, 2021.

4.2. First Warning Signal is scheduled at 12:30hrs on all race days.

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available no later than February 14, 2021 on the web site at: <https://race.cyc.org/mids21>

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

- 8.1. Handicapped divisions will be scored time-on-time.
- 8.2. One race must be completed to constitute a series. There will be no throw-outs.
- 8.3. The time limit for each race will be 17:00 hrs. Boats failing to finish before the time limit expires will be scored DNF without a hearing. This changes *RRS* 35,A4 and A5.
- 8.4. A boat observed in violation of 1.7 may, at the discretion of the organizers
 - 8.4.1. be warned
 - 8.4.2. receive a scoring penalty of 10% of the places in their division, rounded up
 - 8.4.3. be scored DNF without a hearing
 - 8.4.4. be excluded from further races in the regattaThis changes *RRS* 35 and Appendix A5

9. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS

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

10. PRIZES

- 10.1. Daily and series trophies will be awarded.
- 10.2. Trophies will be available at the CYC Office following the event.

11. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party insurance.

12. FURTHER INFORMATION

The Corinthian Yacht Club of San Francisco 43
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Telephone (415) 435-4771 Fax (415) 435-5101
Event Web Site: <https://race.cyc.org>

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

- **SOCIAL**

In accordance with current health regulations, there will be no social activities following the race.

- **BERTHING AND STORAGE**

In accordance with current health regulations, berthing is available to CYC members only.