CORINTHIAN YACHT CLUB
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2025 Corinthian Commodores' Cup Series

Notice of Race

1. RULES

1.1. The race will be governed by *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. A Boat may take a One-Turn Penalty when she may have broken one or more rules of Part 2 in an incident while racing. This modifies RRS 44.1.

1.4. Power assisted winches are permitted if disclosed and included in a boats PHRF rating. This modifies RRS 52.

1.5. Handicap scoring will use the NCPHRF ratings provided by YRA. Race Committee will assign ratings to those boats without a 2025NCPHRF rating. Race Committee, at its discretion, may assign an alternate rating or a rating for multi-hull boats.

1.6. Race Committee shall deduct 6 points (seconds) from a competitors rating assigned in NOR 1.4 where that competitor nominates to sail non-spinnaker as noted in NOR 5.3.

2. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

2.1. The series will consist of four race days, conditions permitting, with the first warning signal scheduled at 1230hrs. Parentheses note the OA's intended course.

- May 18 – Horsfall Vincent Regatta (Angel Island Circumnavigation)
- June 22 – Ross Wood Memorial Race (Angel Island and Alcartraz figure8)
- July 20 – Red Rock Rounding (Red Rock Island Circumnavigation)
- September 7 – Russ Schneider Regatta (Bay Tour style course)

2.2. Race Committee may substitute intended courses and a race day may include more than one race.

2.3. One race will constitute a series.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1. Entry is open to members of the Corinthian Yacht Club. The skipper of a boat shall be a member of good standing.

3.2. Eligible boats shall enter by completing the online entry form at: https://race.cyc.org/ccup25

4. FEES

4.1. There is no entry fee for this race series.

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS, CLASSES

5.1. Sailing Instructions will be available prior to the first race.
5.2. Competitors will be scored as a single class.
5.3. Competitors shall nominate their election of using a Spinnaker at the Skippers meeting prior to each race.

6. VENUE & COURSES

6.1. Racing shall take place in the San Francisco Bay and Bay entrance.
6.2. Courses will be defined in the Sailing Instructions.

7. SCORING

7.1. Each race day is considered a race event. Days with multiple races will be scored as a single event using an average of the results for the races scored.
7.2. A competitor's worst score will be excluded from the series score when four race days have been finished. There will be no exclusions where less than four race days are finished. This changes RRS A2.1.
7.3. Races will be scored time-on-time or time-on-distance for handicap-start (pursuit) races.
7.4. Appendix A5 shall apply.
7.5. The racing time expiration for all race days will be 1630hrs.
7.6. Where multiple races are taking place in one day, the time limit for each race shall be 45 minutes after the first boat of a competitor's class has finished but not later than 1630hrs.
7.7. Boats failing to finish before the race time limit or expiration will be scored DNF without a hearing. This changes RRS 35 and A5.

8. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded after each race. The series trophy will be presented at the Annual General Meeting.

9. INSURANCE & DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

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

9.2. Competitors participate in the regatta series 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, prior to, during or after the regatta events.

10. FURTHER INFORMATION

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