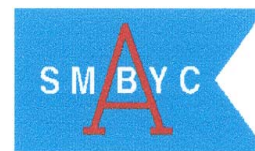




Ullman Sails presents the  
**ASMBYC**



## Champion Of Champions Regatta

Saturday and Sunday, September 26-27, 2009  
Marina del Rey, California USA

### NOTICE OF RACE

The ASMBYC Champion of Champions Regatta will be hosted by California Yacht Club (CYC) on Saturday and Sunday, September 26-27, 2009. CYC is located at 4469 Admiralty Way, Marina del Rey, CA 90292 USA, phone 310.823.4567. Information about CYC and this regatta is available at [www.calyachtclub.com](http://www.calyachtclub.com).

#### 1. RULES

- 1.1 This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the *2009-2012 Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) and the ASMBYC Championship Regatta Rules.
- 1.2 The Organizing Authority (OA) is CYC in conjunction with the Association of Santa Monica Bay Yacht Clubs (ASMBYC).
- 1.3 RRS 62.2 and 66 will be changed to shorten the time limit on the last day of racing for filing requests for redress based upon actions of the protest committee and for requests to reopen a hearing. The changes will appear in full in the sailing instructions.
- 1.4 Video and/or photographs shall not be used as evidence at protest or request for redress hearings. This changes RRS 63.6.
- 1.5 RRS 82 will not apply.
- 1.6 The PHRF of Southern California (SoCal PHRF) "Marine Industry Racer" rule will not apply to this event.

#### 2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 This is an invitational regatta. Entrants must qualify per the [ASMBYC Championship Regatta Rules](#). For the purpose of qualification, a skipper and boat shall be considered a single entity.
- 2.2 Each boat must (1) be entered by an individual who is a member of an ASMBYC member yacht club or sailing association and (2) fulfill the eligibility requirements of the class in which she will compete. One-Design boats that have not established a class will race in the PHRF fleet without requirement for PHRF membership.
- 2.3 Each entrant must submit a completed CYC entry form and entry fee by 1900 hours on Thursday, September 24, 2009.
- 2.4 Each Cruising Class entrant also must submit a completed [ASMBYC Cruiser Class Universal Boat Handicapping Form](#) no later than 1900 hours on Thursday, September 24.
- 2.5 Late entries will be accepted only with the prior approval of the Regatta Chairman.

#### 3. CLASSES

- 3.1 Classes will be established for PHRF, One-Design and Cruising fleets with a minimum of four entries from qualifying skippers, based on entries received by 1900 hours on Thursday, September 24.
- 3.2 Classes, class flags and order of starts will be posted no later than 2000 hours on Friday, September 25.

#### 4. FEES

The entry fee is \$40 for members of US SAILING with proof of membership, \$45 for non-members, when received by 1900 hours on Thursday, September 24. The entry fee for Cruising Class competitors is \$25 for members of US Sailing, \$30 for non-members, when received by 1900 hours on Thursday, September 24. Information about joining US SAILING is available at [www.ussailing.org](http://www.ussailing.org) or at 800.877.2451. There will be a \$20 late fee for entries accepted after that time (see NOR 2.5).

#### 5. SCHEDULE

Thursday, September 24	1900 hrs	Entry deadline; classes established
Friday, September 25	2000 hrs	Classes, class flags and order of starts posted
Saturday, September 26	1155 hrs	Warning Signal for the first race of the day - subsequent race(s) to start ASAP
	After Racing	Complimentary refreshments
Sunday, September 27	1155 hrs	Warning Signal for the first race of the day - subsequent race(s) to start ASAP
	After Racing	Awards presentation and complimentary refreshments

Five (5) races are scheduled: three (3) on Saturday and two (2) on Sunday. For the Cruising Class, two (2) races are scheduled on Sunday only. Without posting a change to the schedule of races, the Race Committee (RC) reserves the right to run one more race on Sunday if fewer than the scheduled number of races are completed on Saturday. The RC, at its discretion, may run fewer total races.

## 6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available at the CYC front desk by 1200 hours on Wednesday, September 23 and may be posted at [www.calyachtclub.com](http://www.calyachtclub.com) and at [www.asmbyc.org](http://www.asmbyc.org).

## 7. VENUE

The racing area will be on Santa Monica Bay and will use the Marina del Rey Racing Marks located southwest of the Marina del Rey breakwater.

## 8. COURSES

Courses will be primarily windward/leeward selected from Marina del Rey Course Chart 16. For the Cruising Class, random leg courses from a Cruising Class Course Chart will be selected.

## 9. SCORING

9.1 The Low Point Scoring System of RRS Appendix A will apply except that all scores will count. One (1) race must be completed to constitute a regatta.

9.2 PHRF classes will be scored using Area B Buoy Ratings. Boats not rated in Area B will have Area B adjustments applied as available.

9.3 The Cruising Class will use handicaps based on the ASMBYC Cruiser Class Universal Boat Handicapping Form submitted by each entrant per NOR 2.4.

## 10. RADIO COMMUNICATION

While on the water, the RC may communicate with competing boats via VHF radio, including starting penalties.

## 11. PRIZES

11.1 Prizes will be awarded after racing on Sunday.

11.2 Individual take home trophies will be awarded based on the number of entries received. Perpetual trophies will be awarded to the winners of each class as appropriate.

## 12. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. By participating in this event, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers (organizing authority, host yacht club, race committee, protest committee, sponsors, and any others acting in an official capacity for this event) from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

## 13. FURTHER INFORMATION

**Regatta Chairman.** For additional information, contact Kellie Fennessy at 310.316.4953(h), 415.302.1285(c) or [kelfen@mindspring.com](mailto:kelfen@mindspring.com).

**Hospitality.** Competitors and their guests are invited to use the club facilities during the regatta. Complimentary refreshments will be provided after racing on both days.

**Boat Storage.** For information and arrangements regarding boat storage immediately preceding and following the regatta contact CYC Dockmaster, Ty Olsen at [ty.olsen@calyachtclub.net](mailto:ty.olsen@calyachtclub.net) or at 310.823.4567.