

# 2021MdR Inaugural Regatta

Saturday, December 11, 2021

Marina del Rey, California USA

## NOTICE OF RACE – Amended Dec. 4,2021

### GENERAL INFORMATION

The Organizing Authority (OA) is the South Bay YRA.

Event Chair: Marc Davis | See NoR 14 for contact information

### 1. RULES

1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).

### 2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions (SIs) will be posted on the Official Notice Board by 1900 on Thursday, 9 December

### 3. COMMUNICATION

3.1 The Official Notice Board is the Regattaman webpage.

3.2 [DP] All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on normal domestic and international channels.

3.3 On the water, the RC may make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on VHF radio, including starting penalties. The channel will be stated in the SIs.

3.4 [DP] While racing, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

### 4. CODE OF CONDUCT

4.1 [DP] Each race entrant and skipper is responsible for ensuring that all members of their crew, support personnel and their guests abide by the laws, public health orders, and guidance from government authorities applicable to sailing and/or shore side activities in effect during the event to minimize potential exposure or transmission of the COVID-19 virus.

4.2 A link to the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health guidelines for recreational boating and public gatherings will be posted on the Official Notice Board as soon as it applies to the event.

4.3 Failure to comply with NoR 4.1 may be misconduct.

4.4 Reasonable actions by event officials to implement COVID-19 guidance, protocols or legislation, even if they later prove to have been unnecessary, are not improper actions or omissions.

### 5. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

5.1 This event is open to handicap boats that have a valid ORR-Ez Certificate

5.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing online registration at the  
[https://www.regattaman.com/new\\_event\\_page.php?race\\_id=952&cancel\\_dest=calendar.php](https://www.regattaman.com/new_event_page.php?race_id=952&cancel_dest=calendar.php)

5.4 Entries submitted after 04 December 2021 at 1900hrs will be accepted only with the approval of the Event Chair.

## **6. DIVISIONS / CLASSES**

6.1 There will be three (3) Classes which are based on similar designs using DWSA/Disp (Downwind Sail Area/Disp) as shown on the rating certificate. Starting order will be:

- True Cruiser
- Racer Cruiser
- Racer

6.2 Classes will be established at the discretion of the OA based on entries received by the entry deadline.

6.3 All boats shall accept their assigned class and are not allowed to request to move up or down to another class.

## **7. FEES**

The entry fee is \$0

## **8. SCHEDULE**

Thursday, 9 December at 1900 Entry deadline,

Friday, 10 December 1900 Classes, class flags and order of starts posted

Saturday, 11 December 1230 First warning signal

## **9. VENUE**

The racing area will be on Santa Monica Bay approximately one (1) nautical mile northwest of the Marina del Rey breakwater.

## **10. THE COURSES**

10.1 The course include a mix of beat, jib and spinnaker reaching and run.. RLC courses may include MDR marks (see Course Chart 17).

10.2 The preliminary course will be posted no later then 1900 on 10 December. It is subject to modifications based on actual conditions.

## **11. SCORING**

11.1 Scoring will be TOD (Time-on-Distance)

11.2 Ratings may be any of the Standard Ratings on the ORR-Ez Certificate or a Constructed Course based on Polars to best reflect the Actual Observed Conditions.

11.3 Preliminary ratings will be announced no later than 1900 on 10 December. Maybe amended prior to the first finisher if necessary. Failure of the RC to posted an amendment or competitors to hear the courtesy radio announcement of rating wind speed is not grounds for redress.

## **12. RISK STATEMENT**

Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. By participating in this event, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers (organizing authority, host yacht clubs, 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. PRIZES**

13. Trophies will be mailed to competitors. Five (5) or more entries in a class is 3 trophies. Less than 5 entries is 1 trophy.

13.2 Additional trophies may be awarded

13.3 We will be hosting a zoom call on 12 December to go over all the results and any answer any questions. The time will be posted prior to the start

13.4 Results will be posted as soon as possible after the last boat finishes

### **14. FURTHER INFORMATION**

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**ORR-Ez:** On line application for ORR-Ez certificate

[https://www.regattaman.com/find\\_reg\\_email.php?sku=h-0-2021-0-0-0-330](https://www.regattaman.com/find_reg_email.php?sku=h-0-2021-0-0-0-330)

Additional Information about ORR-Ez ratings is available [jwtj29@gmail.com](mailto:jwtj29@gmail.com)