

NOTICE OF RACE

Lake Mission Viejo Yacht Club **2024 Fleet Championship Series**



Date

February 25
April 21
June 13
September 15
November 17

Event

Midwinter Regatta Spring Regatta Summer Regatta Fall Regatta Turkey Regatta

I <u>Rules</u>- The Regatta Series will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing, the prescriptions of US Sailing, the rules of each class, LMVA rules and by the Sailing Instructions.

II <u>FLEETS</u>- One Design fleets will be recognized when at least three boats of a class (sailing in accordance with class rules) participate in a minimum of half of the total races. One Design and LMVYC Portsmouth handicap fleets - all participants will be assigned to a fleet as follows:

- 1. "A" fleet will consist of Thistle, RS Aero, C-15, Finn, Snipe, Laser, Balboa 13 and any other comparable boats (Portsmouth rating 94.9 or less*).
- 2. "B" fleet will consist of Lido 14, CFJ, Laser B, Capri 14.2, Expo 14.2, Mercury, Balboa 13B and any other comparable boats (Portsmouth rating 95 to 102*).
- 3. "C" fleet will consist of CFJ B, Twitchell, Expo 14.2 B, Sabot A and B, and any other comparable boats (Portsmouth rating 103 and higher*).

III AWARDS-

1. Individual awards will be presented to participants in recognized One Design fleets and to those in the A, B, and C fleets. First place finishers will be recognized as Fleet Champion for the year. A participant must sail at least half of the races of the series to be eligible. The number of awards will be as follows:

1-2 participants - no awards 3-4 participants - first place

5-7 participants - first and second place 8 or more participants - first, second and third place

- 2. Perpetual trophies for the A, B, and C fleets and One Design fleets that meet the requirements will be maintained to recognize each fleet champion.
- 3. When a competitor has the lowest final series score both in a One Design fleet and a Portsmouth handicap fleet, the competitor may choose to accept the winner's award in one fleet or the other. A competitor is not eligible to win in both fleets.

IV SCORING

- 1. Regatta Three races are planned for each Regatta; one race will constitute a Regatta. The Low Point System will apply, except that a skipper that did not compete, did not start, did not finish or was on course side will be scored the number of entries for the day, plus one. This changes RRS A4.2 and A9.
- 2. Series –Each skipper's season and championship series score shall be the total of race scores excluding their worst scores after 5 races, 2 worst scores after 8 races and 3 worst races after 11 races.

Note: A Skipper, who serves on race committee or event chair and thereby misses a Regatta will be scored for that regatta their average score for the series.

^{*} Boats with higher or lower rating may be allowed with Race Chair permission