

**NOTICE OF RACE**  
**2009 TWILIGHT SERIES**  
**BALBOA YACHT CLUB**  
Wednesday Evenings: May 13<sup>th</sup> – September 30<sup>th</sup>

**1. RULES**

This regatta is governed by the 'rules' as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). Spinnakers may not be flown inside the jetty entrance.

**2. CLASSES**

This regatta is open to the following one design classes: Harbor 20, Thistle, Laser, Finn, Lido 14 (A&B), Twichell 12, Adult Sabot (A&B). The Race Committee has the right to cancel a class due to insufficient entrants.

**3. ELIGIBILITY**

Skippers must be members of a US Sailing recognized sailing organization or, if a resident of Southern California, of a SCYA recognized yacht club.

**4. ENTRY**

To enter, competitors shall *register online* no later than 1700 hours on a day of racing. You will only have to register once for the entire series. There is no entry fee. To register online go to [www.balboayachtclub.com](http://www.balboayachtclub.com) and under the "On the Water" section you will see a tab for "Online Registration".

**5. SCHEDULE**

The Twilight Series is composed of five (5) series: May, June, July, August and September. Races are scheduled for every Wednesday starting May 13<sup>th</sup> and ending September 30<sup>th</sup>. For all classes, but the Harbor 20 class, two (2) races are scheduled for each day of racing. The Harbor 20 class shall only sail the first race of each day of racing. The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race of each day is 1800 hours. The second race of the day will start after a short (approx. 5-10 minute) break after the conclusion of the first race.

**6. NOTICES TO COMPETITORS**

Notices to competitors, including Order of Starts, will be posted on the Balboa Yacht Club (BYC) Race Notice Board located on the Flag Deck. Any notice will be posted before 1700 hours on the day it will take effect.

**7. RACING AREA**

Racing will be generally conducted in Newport Harbor using the 2009 Inside Race Course Chart.

**8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Sailing Instructions will be available online as well as outside of the BYC Sailing Office by Friday, May 8<sup>th</sup>.

**9. FACILITIES**

The hospitality of BYC and its facilities, except on site automobile parking, are extended to all entrants. Boats wishing to launch at BYC may do so using either launching hoist or the dinghy launch ramp. Boats being launched via hoist must provide and use an internal lifting sling.

**10. SCORING**

The Low Point Scoring System of Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) Appendix A will be applied to each series except that a variable number of scores will be discarded depending on the number of races completed in a monthly series. Refer to the BYC Twilight Sailing Instructions for details.

**11. PRIZES**

Prizes will be awarded per class per series in the BYC Dining Room the evening of the last day of racing for each monthly series per the following: 1 trophy for 1 to 3 boats; 2 trophies for 4 to 5 boats; 3 trophies for 6 to 7 boats; 4 trophies for 8 to 9 boats; 5 trophies for 10 +.

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