



NOTICE OF RACE
Balboa Yacht Club's
39th Annual Little Old Ladies Regatta
Saturday September 8th, 2012



1. **RULES**

1. This regatta is governed by the 'rules' as they are defined by the current Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
2. INSA Required Equipment rules regarding carrying a paddle, bailer, painter, and PFD, shall apply.
3. SWCSA rules shall apply.
4. All boats shall carry a whistle.

2. **DIVISIONS**

Divisions to be sailed include: Women's A, Women's B, Men's A, Clydesdales and Mixed Novice (both men and women). Racers in the Clydesdale Division weigh a minimum of 200 pounds.

3. **ELIGIBILITY**

This regatta is open to all Senior (over 18) Naples Sabot sailors that are also current members of a yacht club or sailing organization recognized by the US Sailing Association.

4. **ENTRY**

Eligible boats may enter by completing an entry form, provided outside the BYC Sailing Office, and submitting it there by the close of the entry period (as listed in SCHEDULE). The entry fee is \$25. A \$20 social fee applies for non-racers.

5. **SCHEDULE**

Three (3) or four (4) races are scheduled. The schedule for the day of the event is as follows:

Time (24 hour PDT)	Event
1000-1115 hours	Registration/Entry
1000-1130 hours	Continental Breakfast
1130 hours	Skipper's Meeting
1200 hours	First warning for Race #1
ASAP	Race #2
	Short Break
ASAP	Race #3
ASAP	Optional Race #4
ASAP	Refreshments & Awards presentation at BYC

6. **VENUE**

The racing area is inside Newport Harbor with races starting near M Mark or from the tower if winds permit.

7. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Sailing Instructions and course charts will be available at outside the BYC Race Office no later than 1130 hours of the day of the event.

8. **SCORING**

The Low Point scoring system of RRS Appendix A will apply except that each competitor's score will be the sum of all her individual race scores.

9. **FACILITIES**

The hospitality of BYC and its facilities, except for on-site automobile parking, are extended to all competitors. Sabot hand dollies are provided.

10. **AWARDS**

Trophies for each division will be awarded as soon as possible after the conclusion of racing.

For additional information please contact either regatta chair Nancy Mellon at nansailor@aol.com or (714) 998-0917 or contact BYC Sailing Administrator Becky Lenhart at sailing@balboayachtclub.com or (949) 673-3515 x133.

Balboa Yacht Club ~ 1801 Bayside Drive ~ Corona del Mar, CA 92625 ~ www.balboayachtclub.com