



ARGOSY REGATTA



September 18-19, 2021

Notice of Race

1. ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

American Legion Yacht Club (ALYC) and Bahia Corinthian Yacht Club (BCYC) are the Organizing Authorities for the Argosy Regatta.

2. RULES

- 2.1 The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing (*RRS*), the rules of the Performance Handicap Racing Fleet of Southern California (PHRF), and the Notice of Race, except as altered by the Sailing Instructions.
- 2.2 The Regatta is classified as a Category "A" Event in accordance with World Sailing Regulation 20.
- 2.3 Boats are subject to inspection by the appropriate fleet coordinator to ensure conformity to the applicable class rules, bylaws and/or measurement certificates.
- 2.4 The current US Sailing Safety Equipment Requirements (USSER) for Near Shore apply.
- 2.5 USSER 2.4.1 shall also apply.
- 2.6 **Boats shall not interfere with deep draft vessels or their tows within the Long Beach/Los Angeles approaches. Yachts violating this rule are subject to protest and disqualification.**

3. ELIGIBILITY

- 3.1 Boats with a PHRF rating may enter.
- 3.2 Boats without a PHRF rating may enter and Race Committee will assign a "Race Rating".
 - 3.2.1 Boats without a current PHRF Certificate must answer boat configuration questions on the Registration Form before being assigned a Race Rating.
- 3.3 One-design boats of the same Manufacturer Type (example: Farr 40) may request to enter as a class and be scored against each other.

4. ENTRY FEE

4.1 – Saturday Only = \$40

4.2 – Sunday Only = \$40

4.3 Both Saturday & Sunday = \$60

5. CLASSES

5.1 Boats with a valid PHRF Rating will be assigned to classes based on their **REGIONAL** RLC Rating.

5.2 Boats assigned a “Race Rating” will be assigned to classes based on that Rating.

5.3 Race Committee may assign boats to a class that it deems more appropriate.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available no later than one (1) week prior to the race on the internet at www.bcyc.org.

7. SCHEDULE

The first warning signal each day is scheduled for **1155** hours.

8. COURSES TO BE SAILED

8.1 DAY #1

- COURSE #1 - Start, keep Drilling Platforms EMMY and EVA to starboard, pass through Angel’s Gate Long Beach Harbor, Finish.
- The Start line will be located in the vicinity of the Santa Ana River jetty.
- The Finish line will be located in the vicinity of Mark 38 in Long Beach Harbor
- The handicap distance **21.0 nm.**
- COURSE #2 - Start, keep Drilling Platforms EMMY and EVA to starboard, pass through Queen’s Gate Long Beach Harbor, Finish.
- The Start line will be located in the vicinity of the Santa Ana River jetty.
- The Finish line will be located in the vicinity of Mark 38 in Long Beach Harbor.
- The handicap distance **16.0 nm.**

8.2 DAY #2

- COURSE - Start, pass through Queen's Gate Long Beach Harbor, keep Drilling Platform EVA to port, pass through a virtual gate SW of Drilling Platform Emmy, Finish.
- The Start line will be located in the vicinity of Mark 38 in Long Beach Harbor.
- The Finish line will be located in the vicinity of the Santa Ana River Jetty.
- The handicap distance **16.0 nm.**

9. PENALTIES

RRS 44.1 is changed to a One-Turn penalty.

10. SCORING

10.1 Daily scoring will be according to *RRS* A4 Low Point System.

10.2 PHRF of Southern California **REGIONAL** RLC Ratings will be used for scoring.

10.3 Each race day, a boat's Daily Score will be her finishing position.

10.4 For Best in Class Series scoring, a boat's Series Score will be the sum of her Daily Scores.

10.5 For Best Overall Series scoring, a boat's Series Score will be the sum of its Corrected Times. To be eligible for the Best Overall Series Trophy, a boat must race both days.

10.6 There are no throw out Daily Scores. This changes *RRS* A2.1

10.7 A boat that did not start/compete, did not finish, is disqualified, or retires, shall be scored points for the finishing place **one more** than the number of **starters** in the race. This changes *RRS* A5.2.

11. PRIZES

Prizes will be given out after each day of racing.

12. INFORMATION

12.1 For information and dock space reservations in Newport Beach , please contact BCYC at (949) 644-9530 or ALYC at (949) 673-5070.

12.2 Navy Yacht Club Long Beach does not have slips available. Information about guest slip reservations in Alamitos Bay Marina can be found at <https://bcycracing.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/LB-SLIPS.pdf>