

Applications for the 2008/2009 team are here!



The 2007/2008 Southern California Youth Yacht Racing Association Sailing Team

The Southern California Youth Yacht Racing Association sponsors a program for those advanced junior sailors who have shown a tremendous dedication to youth sailing.

Each year, a select number of junior sailors from San Diego to Santa Barbara are chosen to become members of the annual SCYYRA Sailing Team and are invited to participate in advance sailing clinics and recognized for their accomplishments.

Selection of this year's team will be based on regatta results between September 1st 2007 and August 31st 2008, as well as age, geographic location, ability and attitude.

All Southern California sailors that have placed well in Local, Regional, National and International regattas are encouraged to complete an application for consideration onto this year's team.

Attached is an official application which encourages local sailors to consider their 2007/2008 racing resume' and submit an entry. Applications are due by October 15th.

On the reverse side of this form is a copy of the "Selection Matrix" that will be used to help select this year's elite team of sailors. As you can see, the most competitive regattas that you have sailed throughout the year, are those that you should include on your entry, as only your top 5 regattas are considered when totaling points.

The 2008 SCYYRA Officers and Directors look forward to reviewing your application to become a member of the upcoming 2008/2009 SCYYRA Sailing Team!

More Information at: www.scyyra.org or in the SCYYRA Yearbook.

Southern California Youth Yacht Racing Association

2008 SCYYRA Racing Team Application

Please Complete and return (by Mail or Fax Only – Not by Email) to:

SCYYRA Racing Team Selection Committee

United States Sailing Center

Attn: Michael Segerblom

5489 East Ocean Blvd.

Long Beach CA 90803-4405

Fax (562) 433-3668

Application must be postmarked or faxed by October 15, 2008.- No exceptions.

Name: _____ Sailing Org. or Yacht Club: _____

Address: _____ Birth Date: _____

City and Zip: _____ Grade in Fall 2008: _____

Telephone: _____ School: _____

Email: _____

Applying for position on team as Skipper: _____ Crew: _____ Both: _____

Please list events below participated in from September 1, 2007- August 31, 2008:

Please list US Sailing or equivalent (International, National, North American, or Major Regional) regattas attended from September 1, 2007- August 31, 2008:

Please list your 5 best sailing performances from September 1, 2007- August 31, 2008. For each regatta list the class of boat, title of event, total number of entries, final finishing place, and if you were the skipper or crew. Please do not include US Sabot or Naples Sabot events. These should be your 5 events with the highest point values from the SCYYRA Team Selection Matrix.

	<u>Boat Class</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Entries</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Skipper/Crew</u>
1.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Note: Attach extra pages if necessary

What type of sailboats do you race on a regular basis?

List the training clinics/programs you have attended this year:

List all the sailing awards and honors you have received this year:

If applying as a skipper, why should you be selected for the SCYYRA Sailing Team?

If applying as a crew, what have you done to insure the success of your sailing team(s)?

2008/2009 SCYYRA Sailing Team Selection Matrix

1) **Point Allocation** For Applicant's Top 5 Regattas between September 1st, 2007 and August 31st, 2008.

1st Place =	10 Points
2nd Place =	9 Points
3rd Place =	8 Points
4th Place =	7 Points
5th Place =	6 Points
6th & Higher =	5 Points

2) **Ranking Weight** For Applicant's Top 5 Regattas between September 1st, 2007 and August 31st, 2008.

A) Local Regattas Multiply By A Factor Of 1.0

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Club Regattas	Any Listed Below
Jr. Olympics - CA	Byte
CORK	Silver/Bronze Fleets
CORK Youth Fest	L, LR, 29er, (All)
High School 10% Regattas	FJ (Gold)
High School PCC's (6th-25th Place)	L, FJ, Team (Gold)
Shadden (Event)	FJ
District Regattas	L, LR, 29er
Ida Lewis (11th Place +)	420
Leiter (11th Place +)	LR
Nationals (11th Place +)	L, LR, FJ, 420, 29er, Snipe
North Americans (51% Of Fleet +)	L, LR, 420, 29er

B) Regional Regattas Multiply By A Factor Of 2.0

Shadden (Series)	FJ
Ullman/Perry/Frost	L, LR, 420 (Series = 2.0, Event = 1.0)
Sears Area J Championship	Lightning
Junior Olympics - CA	L, LR, FJ, 420
High School PCC	L, FJ, Team (Gold 2.0)
Class PCC	L, LR, 420
CISA Regatta	L, LR, FJ, C420, 29er, I420
Govenors Cup	A20/S20
State Championships	L, LR
NAGY/(Adams)	L, LR, FJ
CORK	Gold Fleet
ISAF Youth World Qualifier (6th Place +)	L, LR, 29er, SL16
Mid-Winters East & West (11th Place +)	L, LR (East & West), 420/29er (East)
Orange Bowl (11th Place +)	L, LR, 420
Nationals (1-10th Place)	L, LR, FJ, 420, 29er, Snipe
North Americans (11th Place To 50% Of Fleet)	L, LR, 420, 29er

C) National Regattas Multiply By A Factor Of 3.0

High School Nationals	L, FJ, Team
Leiter (1-10)	LR
ISAF Youth World Qualifier (1-5th Place)	L, LR, 29er, SL16
Mid-Winters East & West (1-10th Place)	L, LR (East & West), 420/29er (East)
Orange Bowl (1-10th Place)	L, LR, 420
Ida Lewis (1-10th Place)	420
Sears/Bemis/Smythe	Lightning/420/L
Youth Championships	L, LR, 420, 29er
North Americans (1-10th Place)	L, LR, 420, 29er

D) Major International Championship Regattas Without A Qualifier: Factor Per Below

1-25% Of Fleet, Factor = 4.0
26-50% Of Fleet, Factor = 3.0
51-75% Of Fleet, Factor = 2.0
76-100% Of Fleet, Factor = 1.0

E) Major International Championship Regattas With A Qualifier: Multiply By A Factor Of 4.0

3) **EXCLUDE: PHRF And Sabot Events**