



2018 Elvstrom/Zellerbach Regatta

April 28-29

Organizing Authority (OA): St. Francis Yacht Club

NOTICE OF RACE

- 1. RULES**
 - 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined by the *Racing Rules of Sailing*.
 - 1.2. All competitors shall wear a PFD while on the water, other than brief periods while adding or removing clothing. The 'Y' flag will not be flown. This changes RRS 40 and the preamble to Part 4.
 - 1.3. US Sailing Prescriptions 63.2 and 63.4 are deleted.
- 2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**
 - 2.1. The regatta is open to all Laser, Laser Radial, Optimist Championship Fleet, CFJ, C420, 5o5, I14, F18 and Nacra15 boats.
 - 2.2. Classes must have a minimum of six (6) boats registered by 4/24/18 to qualify for a start.
 - 2.3. Eligible boats may enter by submitting the entry form and paying the entry fee online www.stfyc.com, on or before 4/24/18 to avoid late fee penalties.
 - 2.4. All entry fees are non-refundable on or after 4/25/18.

Class	Early Entry Fee Received on or before 4/11/18	Entry Fee	Late Entry Fee! Received on or after 4/25/18
Singlehanded boats	\$60	\$70	\$100
Doublehanded boats	\$90	\$100	\$130

- 3. SCHEDULE**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>EVENT</u>
Saturday, April 28	0800-0930	Mandatory Check-in
	0930	Competitors' Meeting
	1125	First Warning
	<i>After racing</i>	Social at St. Francis Yacht Club
Sunday, April 29	1125	First Warning
	<i>After racing</i>	Social & Awards at St. Francis Yacht Club

- 4. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The sailing instructions will be available at or before the competitors' meeting and may also be available online www.stfyc.com.
- 5. RACING AREA**

The race committee intends to utilize up to three (3) race venues depending on entries. Potential race venues include the waters: (1) north of StFYC, (2) west of Alcatraz, and (3) between the wave attenuator and Fort Mason center.
- 6. COURSES**

The course may be a windward - leeward or any variation of a triangular or other course.
- 7. SCORING**
 - 7.1. One (1) race will constitute a series.
 - 7.2. When four (4) or fewer races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
 - 7.3. When five (5) or more races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score. This changes RRS A2.
- 8. PRIZES**
 - 8.1. Take home prizes will be awarded to the top finishers in each fleet.
 - 8.2. The Elvstrom Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the top finisher in the Laser standard class.
 - 8.3. The Isadore Zellerbach Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the top finisher in the 5o5 Class.

9. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this race participate entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The race organizers (OA, Ratings Authority, Race Committee, Protest Committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or the injury to any competitor, including death, sustained as a result of participation in this race. By participating in this race, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

10. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

By participating in this event, competitors automatically grant to the organizing authority and the event sponsors the right, in perpetuity, to make, use, and show, at their discretion, any photography, audio and video recordings, and other reproductions of them made at the venue or on the water from the time of their arrival at the venue, until their final departure, without compensation.

11. FURTHER INFORMATION

Contact the StFYC Race Office: racing@stfyc.com / (415) 655-7756.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

BOAT & TRAILER STORAGE AT STFYC

- Docking is available for boats one (1) day prior and one (1) day after the regatta, at no cost. Additional days may be permitted by the Dockmaster. For more information about docking, [please visit our website.](#)
- Overnight parking permits are required for trailers. Trailers permits must be purchased during the online entry process and can be picked up at the StFYC Race Office during check-in.
- Overnight parking for cars is not permitted by the City of San Francisco Parks & Recreation Department.
- All boats & trailers shall be stored at the direction of the StFYC Dockmaster or Race Office.