



Del Rey Yacht Club
2019 SCYA Optimist Midwinter Regatta
Carrie Series #4
Stephen M. Pitts Memorial Trophy
February 9, 10, 2019
Notice of Race

1 RULES

- 1.1 This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.2 The International Optimist Association Class (IODA) Rules shall apply.
- 1.3 National class association is not required (this changes SCYA NOR 2.12).
- 1.4 Any participant intending to protest, shall immediately fly a protest flag and hail the other party (this changes RRS 61.1 a2).
- 1.5 While on the water, every competitor must wear a US Coast Guard (USCG) approved, personal flotation device (PFD), with a whistle attached. The only exception is when adding or removing clothing. Wet suits, dry suits and inflatable PFD's do not comply with this rule. Failure to comply, will result in a penalty, up to and including disqualification by the Race Committee (R/C), with no hearing.

2 ENTRY and CLASSES

- 2.1 There will be 2 divisions, Champ Fleet and Green Fleet.
- 2.2 Entry is available at https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet_registration_form.php?regatta_id=17991
- 2.3 The entry fee is \$60.00. This includes a commemorative t-shirt and Saturday night BBQ for participant. Additional Saturday night BBQ dinners may be purchased for \$10.00 CASH at the time of the BBQ. (see rule 13).
- 2.4 The entry fee is \$70.00 for entries received after February 6th.

3. MEASUREMENT

- 3.1 Entrants are allowed to use one hull, dagger board, rudder (with tiller and extension), mast, boom, sprit and sail during this regatta. Any substitution must be approved by the R/C, prior to use.
- 3.2 Boats will be subjected to a safety check prior to launching.

4 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at registration.

5 NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

Any Notice to Competitors will be posted by 1000 each race day, on the official notice board, located on the Aft Deck.

6 SCHEDULE, CLASSES AND CLASS FLAGS

6.1

Time	Event	Location
8:00–9:00AM	Registration	DRYC Lobby
10:00 AM	Champ Fleet Skipper’s Meeting	PV Room
10:30 AM	Green Fleet Skipper’s Meeting	PV Room
11:55 AM	First Warning Champ Fleet	Outside Course
11:57 AM	First Warning Green Fleet	Inside Course

6.2 A continental breakfast will be served both days on the Aft Deck.

6.3 There will be mandatory safety check before launching.

6.4 The class flag for the Champ Fleet will be a number one pennant.

6.5 The class flag for the Green Fleet will be a green flag.

6.6 The R/C will attempt to start as may races as possible. Three completed races shall constitute a series.

7 RACING AREA

7.1 The Champ Fleet will race outside of the Marina del Rey harbor, near the Venice Pier.

7.2 The Green Fleet will race in the Marina del Rey entrance channel.

8 SCORING

The RRS A4 Low Point System will apply. If less than six (6) races are sailed, a boat’s series score shall be the total of all her race scores (this changes RRS A 2.1).

9 PARKING / BOAT LAUNCH

9.1 Entrants may launch and store their boats overnight at Del Rey Yacht Club (DRYC), see the DRYC Junior Coach.

9.2 Support boats may be launched at DRYC. Trailer storage may be available, see the DRYC Junior Coach.

9.3 Overflow vehicle and trailer parking may be available at the Los Angeles County public lot, adjacent to the “Killer Shrimp” restaurant, on Admiralty Way (see the DRYC junior coach).

10 SAFETY AND ADULT RESPONSIBILITY

10.1 Any parent not attending any portion of this event, shall designate in writing, a specific adult to be responsible for all decisions on behalf of their child. It is the responsibility of this person to decide if the sailor should, or should not sail in the weather and sea conditions that might arise during this event.

10.2 This designated adult, shall accept full responsibility for all actions of the competitor, during any activity related to the event. This includes before, during and after this regatta, both on and off shore.

11 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4 (Decision to Race). The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after this regatta.

12 TROPHIES

Trophies will be awarded after racing on Sunday. First to third place in each championship division will be awarded. All Green fleet entries will receive participation medals. The Stephen M. Pitts Memorial Trophy will be awarded to the Champ fleet boat the lowest points total.

13 HOSPITALITY

13.1 Complimentary lunch will be provided both days and can be prepared by parents at the lunch table, on the Aft Deck.

13.2 After racing Saturday, DRYC will host a BBQ for all entrants on the Aft Deck. Family members and friends may purchase their own dinners at the BBQ, for \$10.00 each (CASH ONLY).

13.3 Important Links:

Registration:

https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet_registration_form.php?regatta_id=17991

Entry List:

https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet_registrant_list.php?regatta_id=17991&custom_report_id=34

Race Results:

https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet_regatta_results.php?regatta_id=17991

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