



NOTICE OF REGATTA & SAILING INSTRUCTIONS “CHAPARRAL DE MAR”

HOSTED BY ENSIGN FLEET 30

1. ELIGIBILITY:

- 1.1. The helmsman of each competing yacht shall be considered the “CHAPARRAL DE MAR” (Roadrunner of the Sea) COMPETITOR. Said COMPETITOR must be 75 years old or older and must have sailed as a racing skipper.
- 1.2. In addition there is an “OLD SALT Jr. Class for 70 to 74 year olds” to participate in friendly competition.
- 1.3. Each COMPETITOR must be a current or former AYC member or a parent of a current AYC member.

2. BOATS AND SAILS :

- 2.1. Each COMPETITOR will be provided an Ensign and a qualified crew to sail in the Regatta.
- 2.2. The boats will be fully rigged and ready to sail.
- 2.3. The COMPETITOR may request to bring additional crew aboard. The decision to allow additional crew will be at the discretion of the Boat Owner.
- 2.4. Boats will be assigned by the Regatta Chair.
- 2.5. Use of Spinnaker is not authorized for this Regatta.
- 2.6. Only Ensign Sailboats will be used in this regatta.

3. RACE AND RULES:

- 3.1. The Regatta will be embedded in the 2016 October 23 AYC Fall Series Race and will be conducted using the Fall Series Duty Race Committee.
- 3.2. The start, as posted by an Ensign Pennant on the Race Committee Boat, will be the Ensign Start.
The Starting Order will be stated at the Skippers Meeting.
(This modifies the 2016 AYC Fall Series Order of Starts.)
- 3.3. One completed race will constitute a Regatta.
- 3.4. The event will be sailed under the 2013-2016 US Sailing Racing

Rules of Sailing and the Ensign Class Association Rules.

3.5. The minimum number of crew shall be two sailors in addition to the skipper, and the maximum number of crew shall be three sailors in addition to the skipper.

4. COURSE:

4.1. The course will be a published AYC Long Distance Course and will be posted on the stern towers of the Race Committee Boat. (This modifies the 2016 AYC Fall Series Order of Starts.)

5. SCORING:

5.1. Scoring will be in accordance with the Low Point scoring system of Appendix A of the rules.

5.2. Each boat will be scored using its sail number.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:

6.1. Sailing Instructions will be the AYC FALL SERIES SIs except as modified by sections 3.2 and 4.1 of this document.

7. REGISTRATON & ENTRY FEE:

7.1. Registration is required. No registration will be accepted after 6:00 pm, Friday October 21, 2016 pending boat availability. Early registration is encouraged and appreciated as boats available are limited to ten Ensigns.

7.2. Old Salts may register by contacting the Regatta Chair, Danny Lien. There is no regatta Entry Fee. A donation of \$25.00 (Twenty-five) dollars is suggested for the AYC Fund.

8. TROPHY:

8.1. One perpetual trophy will be awarded.

8.2. Award and additional recognition will be made at the post-race Refreshments and Trophy Presentation at the AYC Clubhouse.

9. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

- Sunday October, 23, 2016
 - o 12:15 p – 12:30p Regatta Old Salts meet in the AYC Clubhouse main room for Skipper's Meeting.
 - o 12:45 p– 1:15p Old Salts arrive at their ready & rigged boats and prepare to sail.
 - o 1:30 pm Warning signal for Series Race Start Sequence.

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