

# LITTLE SHIPS FLEET YACHT CLUB

NOTICE OF RACE FEBRUARY 1, 2021

## LONG BEACH HARBOR HIGH POINT SERIES

This Notice will serve as the Notice of Race for both races hosted by Little Ships Fleet Yacht Club as part of the *Long Beach Harbor High Point Series*.

**RULES:** These races will be governed by the Racing Rules Sailing 2021-2024 (RRS), the rules of the classes sailing, the Sailing Instructions of the Host Clubs, and this Notice. In the event of a conflict this Notice shall prevail. PHRF Local Area C "RLC" course handicaps shall be used.

**ELIGIBILITY:** The races are open to all members of SCYA, recognized yacht clubs and sailing associations and members of any one-design fleet that establishes a class. The PRO shall determine the number of boats it takes to form a class at check-in prior to the start. Yachts not holding current valid PHRF rating will be assigned a rating for this event only. All yachts will comply with USCG regulations.

Classes will be as established based on entries submitted for the first race of the High Point Series. There will be two PHRF classes designated A and B, one Adjusted Handicap Non-spin class, and one design classes as needed. Yachts wishing to enter the Adjusted Handicap Non-spin class must fill out and submit the "Adjusted Handicap Non-spin class Work Sheet" available on the host club's website along with an entry form to obtain a rating for this series only. Once this rating is established it shall remain the same for the entire series, unless equipment changes are made i.e. larger jib, mylar main, etc. Double headsails are not allowed in the non-spin class. Yachts with a ULDB rating of 2.1 or higher will not be eligible to enter the non-spin class. Yachts with Corinthian ratings are considered non-spin only for this regatta and will not use additional rating adjustments provided in the AHNS worksheet.

**ENTRIES:** Participants are encouraged to enter the entire series, but entry can be made separately for each race individually. Entry forms and fees can be mailed or delivered to the entry box: **LSFYC 223 N. Marina Dr, Long Beach, CA. 90803**. Mailed entries must be received prior to 1800 hours the Thursday before the race. Late entries will be accepted at the host club prior to 0900 hours the day of the race.

**ENTRY FEE:** \$15.00 per race.

## 2021 SCHEDULE FOR THE ENTIRE HIGH POINT SERIES

	<u>Club (name of race)</u>	<u>Date</u>
1.	SYC (April Fools)	3/20/21
2.	SLBYC (Ensenada Preview)	4/10/21
3.	NYCLB (Armed Forces Day)	5/22/21
4.	<b>LSFYC</b> (Murray Gordon Mem)	6/05/21
5.	<b>LSFYC</b> (Beat the Heat)	7/17/21
6.	SYC (Dog Days of Summer)	7/31/21

- 7. SLBYC (Harbor Pursuit) 8/21/21
- 8. NYCLB (All Hands) 9/11/21

**COURSES:** The racing area will be in the vicinity of Long Beach Harbor. Races hosted by LSF will Start and Finish near Mark 38. Skippers must obtain Notice of Race (NOR), Sailing Instructions (SIs), and current race charts from the Host Club, available on their websites.

**STARTING ORDER:** PHRF A, B, Non-spin, One-design Class(s)

**STARTING SEQUENCE:**

1154	Attention	3 or more sounds
1155	Warning (PHRF A)	Class Flag, Course Flag, 1 sound
1156	Prep (PHRF A)	Prep Flag, 1 sound
1159	One minute	Prep Flag down, 1 sound
1200	START (PHRF A)	Flags down, 1 sound

The START signal for PHRF A is the 5-minute warning for PHRF B and same for each succeeding class. The non-spin class will be signaled from the RC boat with a Non-Spin Flag. For class identification each boat will fly a numeral pennant from her back stay as follows: PHRF A “2”; PHRF B “5”; Non-spin “4”.

**TIME LIMIT:** The race shall be called at 1630 hours. A boat finishing prior to 1630 hours shall establish the race for that class. No boat shall be finished after 1700 hours.

**SCORING:** As per Sailing Instructions.

**SERIES:** High Point system. (See Note below)

**PENALTIES:** Racing Rule 44.2 is changed for all classes to include one 360 degree turn that includes one tack and one gybe.

**PROTESTS:** As prescribed by the Sailing Instructions.

**TROPHIES:** There will be no trophies presented after the race at the LSFYC facility but can be picked up a week later or delivered to your boat. Note that each boat must race a minimum of four races to qualify for Series trophies. Series trophies will be awarded after the final race (#5) of the series approximately two hours after the last boat finishes.

**CONTACT INFORMATION:**

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**LSFYC:** 233 N. Marina Dr., Long Beach, CA 90803/Attn: Nate Tucker, lsfyc.org (race page) tuckernathan98@gmail.com

**NOTE on High Point Scoring system:**

Each boat will receive points for each boat beat plus one point. The season score will be the sum of all the points of the individual races with highest total the winner. No throw outs; no show/no points.

DNC = 0 points

DNS = 0 points

OCS = 1 point

DNF = 1 point

DSQ = 0 points