LITTLE SHIPS FLEET YACHT CLUB PRESENTS SERIES OF TWO OFF SHORE RACES



NOTICE OF RACE

This Notice will serve as the Notice of Race for both races, MAY 11, 2024 and AUGUST 24, 2024.

THE COURSE: The course will be from **Start line** approximately one-half mile SE of Island Chaffee in Long Beach harbor to and around Platform **EDITH**, N33° 35' 45" - W118° 8' 29", (approx course 178°) SSE approximately **ten** miles off shore and back to the **Finish line at NYCLB** with a down-wind finish. Total distance, approximately **20 miles**. ALL BOATS WILL SAIL THE SAME COURSE.

<u>RULES:</u> These races will be governed by the Racing Rules Sailing 2021-2024 (RRS), the rules of the classes sailing, the Sailing Instructions, and this Notice of Race. PHRF Local Area C 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. A class is established if five entries are received prior to one week before race day and at least three boats check in with the RC boat prior to the first warning horn.

CLASSES: Classes will be established based on entries submitted prior to one week before the first race, with later modifications at the discretion of the PRO. There will be THREE PHRF classes, A, B, and C. Non-spin boats will start with Class C. Double headsails will be allowed for non-spin boats. Non-spin skippers must submit, along with the entry form, the non-spin worksheet available on the LSFYC website or at the LSFYC shed.

ENTRIES: Participants are encouraged to enter the entire series. Entry forms and fees can be mailed or delivered to the entry box: **LSFYC 233 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 SCHEDULE (includes both races):

(Note: The overall winner of the perpetual trophy will be based on the cumulative scores of both races, corrected time)

\$20 if received prior to 5/6/24 (Race 1) or 7/29/24 (Race 2)\$25 if received after 5/6/24 (Race 1) or 7/29/24 (Race 2)\$25 for each single race payable any time

<u>STARTING ORDER</u>: The starting order and starting sequence will be as outlined in the LSFYC Offshore Series Sailing Instructions.

<u>TIME LIMIT</u>: The race shall be called at 1800 hours. Any boat that finishes before 1800 hours and the RC boat is not on station, may mark its finish time as it comes abeam of Island Chaffee.

SCORING: The low point system will be in effect.

PENALTIES & PROTESTS: As prescribed by the LSFYC Offshore Series Sailing Instructions

TROPHIES: Trophies will be presented at the LSFYC shed after each race. The overall winner will be presented with the perpetual trophy at the ceremony after Race #2. If winners are not present at that time, every effort will be made to get the trophies delivered as soon as possible.

<u>CONTACT</u> INFORMATION: www.lsfyc.org [RACING] or Chris Layne – layne83@gmail.com or (209) 996-0848 (cell).

Entry Forms, NOR and SI are available on line at lsfyc.org and at LSFYC shed.

PAYMENT METHODS: Send checks LSFYC, 233 N. Marina Dr., Long Beach, Ca. 90803. Or use the drop box at the LSFYC shed. Checks (payable to LSFYC) will be accepted at the LSFYC shed until 0900 on race day. NOT AT THE RC BOAT! Make checks payable to LSFYC. On-line PayPal is available via lsfyc.org.