

# Sailing Instructions

KING HARBOR YACHT CLUB  
REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA



## **Trans Harbor Race** KHYC Spinnaker Series #2 Saturday, March 26, 2011

### Second Race of the KHYC 2011 Spinnaker Series **An ASMBYC High Point Event**

#### **1) Rules**

This **Category 4 Event** will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the Racing Rules of RRS Rule 82 will not apply to this event.

#### **2) Notices to Competitors**

- 2.1) Notices to competitors will be posted on the Official Notice Board located on the first floor opposite the Race Committee Room.
- 2.2) Class splits for the entire series have been determined using PHRF buoy ratings; A 137 or less, B 138 or higher. This does not alter the rating protocol used to score this event.
- 2.3) OWC ratings will be used to score this event using TOT.

#### **3) Changes in Sailing Instructions**

Any changes to the sailing instructions will be posted before 1000 hours on the day it will take effect, except that any changes to the schedule of races will be posted by 2000 on the day before it will take effect.

#### **4) Signals Made Ashore**

- 4.1) Signals made ashore will be displayed on the KHYC flag pole located on the East patio of the clubhouse.
- 4.2) If the postponement signal (AP) is displayed the warning signal will be made no sooner than one hour after the AP is lowered.

#### **5) Schedule of Races**

- 5.1) One race is scheduled.
- 5.2) The first warning for "B" boats will be at 1155. "B" boats will start at 1200. "A" boats warning will be at 1225, start at 1230. (Note: The Multihull boats will start in the interval between the "B" start at 1200 and the "A" warning signal at 1225.)
- 5.3) Multiple horns may be sounded prior to the first warning.

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### 6) Signals on the Race Committee Boat

Classes will start in the following order: Class Flag

<b>B</b>	<b>E</b>
<b>MH</b>	<b>R</b> (If applicable)
<b>A</b>	<b>D</b>

### 7) The Race Course

- 7.1) The racing area will be in the King Harbor/Marina Del Rey area as shown on the Trans Harbor Course Chart.
- 7.2) The course will be: Start at **S - Fs - mdrSS - mdrT - G - W - Finish** at harbor entrance.
- 7.3) The distance is approximately 21.7 nm.

### 8) Marks

Marks are spar buoys or inflatable replacements in the approximate positions defined on the 2011 KHYC Race Mark Guide and the Del Rey Chart #16.

### 9) The Start

- 9.1) The race will be started using rule 26 with classes starting per paragraph 5.2 of this document.
- 9.2) The starting line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the race committee boat and a staff with an orange flag floating to port from the race committee boat.
- 9.3) All boats must check in with the Race Committee on the water prior to **“their”** class warning signal.
- 9.4) Boats whose preparatory signal has not been made shall **keep clear of the starting area** and all boats whose preparatory signal has been made.
- 9.5) A boat starting later than 4 minutes after her starting signal will be scored Did Not Start.
- 9.6) The Race Committee will attempt to call on the course side (OCS) boats on VHF channel 78 after the starting signal. Failure to call a boat OCS is not grounds for redress.

### 10) The Finish

The finish line will be at the harbor entrance between the R/C Boat and the red light on the east jetty. A spinnaker control line must be released prior to entering the harbor.

Take your own time at the white entrance buoy (W) if the committee boat is not on station.

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### 11) Penalty System

- 11.1) The 720-degree turn penalty is replaced with a 360-degree turn penalty, to include one tack and one jibe, modifying the Scoring Penalty, rules 44.1 & 44.2. Rule 44.3 shall not apply.
- 11.2) Boats that accept and execute the turn's penalty shall sign up to that effect on the form posted on the Official Notice Board after the day's racing and within the protest time limit.

### 12) Time Limit

Boats failing to start within four minutes after their start signal shall be scored did not start (DNS).

### 13) Protests

- 13.1) Boats intending to protest must notify the RC boat upon finishing.
- 13.2) Protests shall be written on forms available at the club and delivered to the Race Chairman, or PRO.
- 13.3) Protests will be posted as they are submitted.
- 13.4) Protests will be heard in the approximate order of receipt as soon as possible.

### 14) Scoring

- 14.1) The Low Point scoring system of RRS Appendix A.4 will apply as a single race event.
- 14.2) PHRF **OWC** ratings apply with TOT scoring.

### 15) Safety

- 15.1) All boats must check in with the Race Committee on the water prior to **“their”** class warning signal.
- 15.2) A boat retiring **must** notify the committee ASAP or before the last boat to finish (whichever is sooner). KHYC and the RC monitor VHF Channel 78.

### 16) Prizes

Take home trophies will be awarded Saturday, as soon as possible after the event, on the upper level of the clubhouse. The Fisherman's (PHRF A) and the Jimmie Morris (PHRF B) perpetual trophies will be awarded at the KHYC annual awards event.

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