

# *Santa Rosa Sailing Club*

NOTICE OF REGATTA

## **2007 LABOR DAY INVITATIONAL REGATTA**

MARSHALL BEACH TOMALES BAY

Saturday, September 1, through Monday, September 3

**Per boat pre-registration fee is \$35 . On-the-beach registration is \$40 per boat.**

When considering that the entry fee includes camping, it's still a pretty good family value compared to other invitational regattas. There is a **camping fee** (\$10 for up to six people) for those camping but not paying the registration fee. The fee for one day of racing is \$20.

To qualify for the regatta, a yacht must complete a written entry form. **Pre-registration entries should be mailed by the deadline of 8-13 for those ordering T-shirts; and 8-24 if not.** Beach registration, at \$40 per boat, will be available from 10:00 to 11:30 on Saturday (9-2). Pre-registered yachts must check in during this same time period. At the discretion of the Race Committee, late entries may be accepted up to the first race Sunday (9-3); however there will be no reduction in the regatta participation fee.

THE RACING RULES OF SAILING, as published by U.S. SAILING ASSOCIATION, for 2005 - 2008 will be used for this regatta. Wearing PFDs is mandatory while racing. A 15 ft towline is suggested. Don't forget this is a Coast Guard jurisdiction, and an equipment check is a possibility

Those who wish to camp prior to Friday night, or those camping Monday night, will have to make their own camping arrangements accordingly. (Contact Pt. Reyes National Seashore Headquarters at Bear Valley.) The Santa Rosa Sailing Club cannot make reservations beyond the group permits already obtained.

Since the T-shirts will be embroidered on order by sizes, it is necessary to meet the August 16 pre-registration date for those ordering shirts. We anticipate limited extra shirts for beach sale.

Those who wish to bring items for the Saturday 6:00 o'clock evening hors d'oeuvres party on the beach, we welcome your participation.

### **Miller Park (Marin County) a.k.a. Nick's Cove is temporarily closed to launching and parking.**

Marin County & Open Space Department is renovating the facility - widen ramp; pump-out station; permanent restrooms; resurfacing and increasing parking; and adding fish cleaning stations. The completion date is scheduled for December 2007.

**For those used to launching at Marconi Cove, be aware that the property may be posted as "no trespassing" or blocked.** Parking will be problem because of limited space. Call Marshall Boat Works (415) 663 1226 for possibility of parking on their property and pick-up of crew/passengers.

#### **Other launch venues (good idea to call ahead):**

Lawson's Landing - Dillon - beach launch, \$10 self (requires 4x4), \$20 tractor assist, good depth at low tide, up to 36' boat, parking overnight requires campsite at \$22 per night. (707) 878 2443

Golden Hind Marina - Inverness - ramp, \$10, overnight parking \$10 per night. (415) 669 1128

Westside Park - Bodega Harbor - ramp, Sonoma County park, overnight parking requires campsite at \$19 per night (includes launch), must get launch and camp permit at Doran Beach ranger office. (707) 875 3540. Call Gordon if you intend to launch here for overnighting at ramp.

If you need more information call **Gordon Amrein (707) 545 0525** or **Mark Madigan (707) 544 2331**

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## TIDES AT MARSHALL FOR THE WEEKEND

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	TIDE	TIME	HT	SLACK		TIDE	TIME	HT	SLACK
<b>FRI</b>	hi	02:44	4.9	01:16	<b>SAT</b>	hi	03:40	4.4	06:16
<b>AUG</b>	lo	09:04	0.8	11:24	<b>SEP</b>	lo	09:45	1.5	12:03
<b>31</b>	hi	15:04	5.6	17:46	<b>1</b>	hi	15:43	5.7	17:59
	lo	22:01	0.4			lo	22:02	0.2	
<b>SUN</b>	hi	04:59	3.9	07:22	<b>MON</b>	hi	06:29	3.6	08:36
<b>SEP</b>	lo	10:32	2.1	12:47	<b>SEP</b>	lo	11:30	2.7	13:42
<b>2</b>	hi	16:29	5.7	18:43	<b>3</b>	hi	17:07	5.6	17:35
	lo	23:59	0.1						

## SCHEDULE

### SATURDAY, SEP. 1:

10:30 TO 12:00 BEACH REGISTRATION & CHECK-IN FOR PRE-REGISTERS  
 13:00 SKIPPER'S MEETING  
 14:00 FIRST WARNING SHAPE FOR TWO RACES BACK-TO-BACK  
 18:00 POT-LUCK HORS D'OEUVRES ON THE BEACH

### SUNDAY, SEP. 2:

11:00 FIRST WARNING SHAPE FOR RACE 3  
 13:00 FIRST WARNING SHAPE FOR RACES 4 & 5 BACK-TO-BACK  
 20:30 CAMPFIRE & TROPHIES PRESENTATION

### MONDAY, SEP 3:

NO FURTHER PLANNED ACTIVITY. HAVE A SAFE TRIP HOME

## SCORING

The low-point scoring system (*U.S. SAILING ASSOCIATION - THE RACING RULES OF SAILING 2005-2008* Appendix A) will be used. The regatta will consist of five races, four of which will be counted for the regatta results. In the event one, or more, race(s) being cancelled, all completed races will be counted. A minimum of three yachts is necessary for a class. Those sailing under the Portsmouth Yardstick published in August, 2007 will use the D-PN (no wind factor) numbers. A Portsmouth handicap number may be changed by the Race Committee for boat modifications beyond class rules or U.S. Sailing's Portsmouth Yardstick (check with principal race officer if you're unsure).

## POINT REYES NATIONAL SEASHORE PARK RULES

**No gathering of downed wood or cutting of trees.** Gathering driftwood for campfires is okay.

**All fires must be to the beach side of vegetation.**

**No firecrackers or fireworks are allowed.**

**The use of amplified music or excessively loud musical instruments is prohibited.**

**Overnight parking at the trailhead to the beach is prohibited.** Be sure your crew and/or guests are aware of this. This is a problem each year.

**Take your garbage out with you** - leave the beach cleaner than when you arrived.