



JESSICA CUP

St. Francis Yacht Club

October 20-21, 2007

NOTICE OF RACE

1. Rules

This regatta shall be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). **All competitors are required to wear a life jacket or other adequate personal flotation device while racing.**

2. Eligibility

Yachts of traditional design and construction with a minimum of 30 ft. on deck are eligible to compete in this regatta. Yachts will be handicapped by the Jessica Cup Committee based on available measurement data. If you have not previously raced in this regatta, please include any Certificates, Measurement, or Rating Information with the return of this Entry Form. Cold molded, Gaff and Marconi-rigged yachts will be in separate divisions; Marconi-rigged yachts may be divided into two divisions based on the number of entries. If five or more of one design enter, they will race in their own division. Fleet divisions will be determined by Friday, October 19th at 1800 hours.

3. Entry

The online entry form can be found at www.stfyc.com. Entries must be received by **Wednesday, October 17th** to avoid late fee. The Entry fee is **\$70**, less \$5 with proof of current USSA membership, if received **by October 17th**. The Entry fee is **\$80**, less \$5 with proof of current USSA membership, if received **after October 17th**. Registration closes for this event at 1700 hours on Friday, October 6th.

4. Schedule

Two races are scheduled for Saturday with the first Warning Signal at 1150 hours; and one race is scheduled for Sunday with the first warning signal at 1250 hours. A trophy ceremony will occur immediately following racing on Sunday. Competitors and their guests are welcome to attend a banquet dinner buffet held on Saturday night at 1830 hours. Please make advance reservations through the Front Desk before Thursday, October 18th. Buffet tickets will be \$25 per person. Reservations will **not** be allowed after this date. Thank you for your understanding.

5. Sailing Instructions

The Sailing Instructions will be available at the Front Desk on Saturday morning, while an **unofficial** copy may be found on the web site by Thursday, October 18th, 2007.

6. Scoring System

The Low Point Scoring System, Appendix A of the Racing Rules, will apply. One race shall constitute a series.

7. Racing Area

The intended race area will be the City Front, utilizing permanent marks.

8. Berthing

All yachts competing in the event may be moored free of charge at StFYC one night prior to the beginning of racing and one night after racing concludes. Advance notice is required. Please contact the Dockmaster, Mark Mayer 415-305-3995, with LOA for a Slip / End tie assignment.

9. Information

For further information please contact the StFYC Race Office at (415) 563-6363 or visit the club web site at www.stfyc.com.