

2013 BAXTER BOWL REGATTA

June 1-2, 2013

NOTICE OF RACE

Newport Harbor Yacht Club

1. RULES

- 1.2 The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- 1.3 RRS 35 will be changed to provide that boats not finishing within 60 minutes after the first boat to finish will be scored "Did Not Finish" without a hearing.
- 1.4 RRS 62.2 and 66 will be changed to shorten the time for requesting redress and the time to request to re-open a hearing on the last day of racing.
- 1.5 RRS A4.1 will be changed to score boats that fail to check-in prior to the first warning signal for the day as DNS without a hearing.
- 1.6 US Sailing Prescription 60, 63.2, 63.4 will be deleted.
- 1.7 Advertising shall be in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. This regatta is open to all Star and Finn class boats that are in good standing with their respective class association.
- 2.2. Eligible boats may enter by submitting the entry form and paying the \$50 (Star) or \$25 (Finn) entry fee online at www.nhyc.org.
- 2.3. All entries shall be submitted on the Official Online Entry Form available at www.nhyc.org not later than May 31st.
- 2.4. For the purpose of RRS Appendix A Scoring: A competitor is not considered an entry until all fees are paid.

3. SCHEDULE

	<u>Friday, 05/31/13</u>	<u>Saturday, 06/01/13</u>	<u>Sunday, 06/02/13</u>
Registration and Check-In	1200-1700	0800-0930	N/A
Competitors' Meeting	-	0930	N/A
Tow leaves	-	1015	1015
First Warning	-	1200	1200
No warning signal after	-	-	1600
Trophies	-		After racing

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available on the official notice board (www.nhyc.org) on Friday 05/31/13.

6. VENUE

Racing will be conducted in the Pacific Ocean off Newport Beach

7. COURSES

Courses will be windward/leeward, triangle, or other type.

8. SCORING

The Low Point Scoring System, RRS A, will apply, modified so that each series score will be the total of her races scores with her worst score excluded if more than four (4) races are completed.

9. PRIZES

- 9.1. For the Star class, the Baxter Bowl, a perpetual trophy, will be awarded to the winning boat in the Star Class.
- 9.2. Take-home prizes will be awarded to the top 5 boats.

10. DISCLAIMER

Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this race participate entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The race organizers (OA, Ratings Authority, Race Committee, Protest Committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or the injury to any competitor, including death, sustained as a result of participation in this race. By participating in this race, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

INFORMATION

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