

West Coast SAILING

2008 West Coast Sailing Vanguard 15 Pacific Coast Championships Treasure Island Sailing Center, San Francisco, CA August 2nd & 3rd

Notice Of Race

RULES

The regatta will be governed by the 2005-2008 Racing Rules of Sailing and the Vanguard 15 Class Rules.

SAFETY

All competitors must wear a U.S. Coast Guard approved PFD while on the water. This changes RRS 40.1. All boats must have a 15-foot attached bow line.

ELIGIBILITY AND CREW

All class approved Vanguard 15's are eligible to enter into the event. One sailor from each boat must be a Vanguard 15 class association member. Class membership costs \$15 and you can register the day of the regatta.

FEES

Entry fee is \$60 for entries received before July 25th and \$70 for entries received thereafter, in each case reduced \$5.00 with a valid US Sailing membership. Entries should be by check payable to Treasure Island Sailing Center and mailed to Phillip Laby at 555 Buena Vista Avenue West #602, San Francisco, CA 94117.

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

SI's will be available at the San Francisco Vanguard 15 Website (www.vanguard15.org) prior to the event, and will also be provided at registration.

NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

The official notice board will be on the east side of the Vanguard 15 storage shed.

SCHEDULE

Saturday 8/2

9-10 am Registration/Welcome
10:15 am Skippers Meeting
11 am First Warning signal at Emeryville Flats
4:30 pm Rum Party & BBQ

Sunday 8/3

11:30 am First Warning Signal at Clipper Cove
5 pm Awards Presentation

SIGNALS MADE ASHORE will be displayed from the flagpole located on the west side of the TISC dinghy launch ramp. If a postponement is signaled ashore, the warning signal will be made not less than 30 minutes after AP is lowered ashore.

LAUNCHING

Boats may be launched and stored overnight at the Treasure Island Sailing Center (TISC).

SCORING

At least 4 races shall be completed to constitute a series.

PRIZES

Awards will be given to the top 5 teams and the Vanguard 15 PCC Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the 1st place team.

DISCLAIMER

The Treasure Island Sailing Center will require each competitor to sign a waiver for loss, damage or injury to persons or property occurring in conjunction with the regatta or on the facility premises. The Treasure Island Sailing Center, its directors, and race committee members shall not be responsible for any loss, damage or injury that may occur to person or property whether ashore or at sea as a consequence of the participation of any boat. The decision to participate in this event is the sole responsibility of the competitor and their parent(s)/guardian(s).