

2009 Men's Mayhem Sabot Regatta Venture

Notice of Race

Saturday April 11, 2009
San Diego Yacht Club



1. Rules

This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined by the most current edition of 'The Racing Rules of Sailing' and all applicable State and Federal laws.

2. Eligibility

- 2.1 Competing Skippers must be men. No girls or girly-men allowed on the water.
- 2.2 Competing Skippers must be at least 18 years old and have done 'hard time'.
- 2.3 Competing Skippers must sail a Naples Sabot sailboat equipped per INSA guidelines.

3. Entry

- 3.1 Competing Skippers are encouraged to register online at www.sdydc.org/raceinfo. Late entry can be made on the day of the regatta at the Spinnaker Deck of the San Diego Yacht Club, preferably, under the influence.
- 3.2 Competing Skippers shall be required to execute a comprehensive waiver absolving the SDYC and the regatta organizers from any liability associated with physical or mental harm incurred due to not being a man while in a Sabot.

4. Fees

- 4.1 The entry fee is 2 six packs of beer (you would proudly serve your mother), soft drinks or an equal alternative - like a bottle of Mt Gay Rum, Jose Cuervo Tequila or Johnny Walker Blue.
- 4.2 Competing Skippers can charter a Naples Sabot from the SDYC for \$15.

5. Schedule of Events

- 5.1 Registration starts at 1030 hrs
- 5.2 San Diego Yacht Club Bar opens at 1100 hrs
- 5.3 Skippers' meeting at 1130 hrs (don't miss this!)
- 5.4 'Fun Race' Warning at 1200 hrs
- 5.5 3 'Serious Races' will follow the fun race
- 5.6 No races will be started after 1500 hrs
- 5.7 One completed race will constitute a regatta

6. Sailing Instructions

Official Sailing Instructions will be available the day of the regatta.

7. Boat and Crew In and Inspections

Boats and Skippers are subject to weigh-in, sail measurement and any other frivolous procedures that Race Committee may deem necessary or just plain evil.

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8. Racing Area and Courses

- 8.1 The racing area will be in and around the San Diego Yacht Club and in La Playa Cove.
- 8.2 All competing Sabots must be moored at the main guest dock in front of the SDYC bar and restaurant patio area.

- 8.3 The starting area for the Fun Race will be the grassy area adjacent to the Spinnaker Room.
- 8.4 Exact race courses will be detailed in the Sailing Instructions.

9. Scoring

- 9.1 Boats will be scored in both the Fun and Series Races.
- 9.2 There will be no throw-outs.

10. Trophies

- 10.1 There will be trophies awarded for both the Fun and Series Races.
- 10.2 Skippers must graciously accept their trophies no matter how embarrassing the circumstances for winning the trophy may be.

11. Disclaimer of Liability

- 11.1 Competitors participate in this regatta entirely at their own risk. Read RRS4 – Decision to Race.
- 11.2 The Organizing Authority [SDYC] will not accept any liability for material or mental damage or personal injury and/or especially, death, sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the regatta.
- 11.3 By competing in the Men's Mayhem, the competing skipper acknowledges the inherent risks and assumes responsibility for their participation in the races, or for any outside assistance received before, during or after competition. The competing skipper also agrees to comply with all rules and regulations of US Sailing and other rules under which this regatta is sailed and agrees to abide by the decisions of the Race Committee.

12. Further Information

Contact Diane Riehl, Regatta Chairman at 858-459-8542 or driehl@san.rr.com.