

PIERPONT BAY YACHT CLUB
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2012 PBYC SPRING SERIES

NOTICE OF RACE

The Pierpont Bay Yacht Club invites you to start off the 2012 racing season by joining us for the PBYC Spring Series. The series will consist of three coastal races with no throw-outs. We hope to see you on the water. The first race can serve as a tune-up race for the SCYA Midwinters Regatta sponsored by Channel Islands Yacht Club on February 18th and 19th.

DATES: Race #1: Saturday, February 11, 2012
Race #2: Saturday, February 25, 2012
Race #3: Saturday, March 17, 2012

TIME: The start signal for the first class is scheduled for 1100 hours on each race day.

COURSE: The course will be chosen from the 2012 PBYC Spring Series Course Chart. Course lengths vary from 6 to 23 miles. All starts will be in the vicinity of the Mandalay buoy, and all finishes will be in the Ventura Harbor entrance channel.

CLASSES: PHRF-handicapped spinnaker and non-spinnaker classes, and an ORCA-handicapped class will be formed with class breaks determined by entries. This is a PHRF Category 3 event, and area A Random Leg Course handicaps will be used. Regardless of class, PHRF-handicapped boats will be required to have a current PHRF certificate by March 17, 2012 to be eligible for series trophies.

ENTRY: The race will be governed by the *rules* as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012*. The PHRF MIR Rule does not apply. The Sailing Instructions and this Notice of Race will be available at the Skippers Meeting, which will be held promptly at 0830 hours on each race day at PBYC. Registration will be accepted by mail or from 0800 to 0830 hours on each race day. The entry fee for the series is \$80 (\$70 for USSA members). For individual races the entry fee is \$30 (\$25 for USSA members).

TROPHIES: Daily awards will be presented at the attitude adjustment period following each race. Series trophies will be awarded after the last race.

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