

Notice of Race

SAN JUAN 21

NORTH AMERICAN AND WESTERN NATIONALS SAILING CHAMPIONSHIP

2012

JULY 19TH, 20TH AND 21ST

HUNTINGTON LAKE, CALIFORNIA



1 MANAGEMENT

- 1.1 The San Juan Fleet 3 Regatta Committee shall be the Organizing Authority. This Committee shall have the authority to accept, reject or rescind any boat entry prior to the start of the first race, and interpret the rules and conditions of the race.

2 RULES

- 2.1 This regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), 2009-2012, the Prescriptions of US Sailing Association; the Rules of the participating San Juan 21 Class, the Notice of Regatta (except as modified by the Sailing Instructions), and by the Sailing Instructions.
- 2.2 RRS 40.1 Personal Buoyancy will be changed as follows: Competitors MUST WEAR USCG approved personal flotation at all times while racing. Non-compliance by any competitor will subject the vessel to Protest and disqualification of the vessel.

3 ADVERTISING

- 3.1 Advertising will be restricted to Category A.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 Only San Juan 21 are invited to participate. San Juan 21's outside the FYC may participate and must be a member of a Yacht/Sailing Club or the National Authority as required in Rule 75 of the RRS. You are strongly urged to pre-register. Entries in each class having a start shall be limited to thirty (30) boats per class.
- 4.2 Allocation of entrants into Spinnaker and non Spinnaker Fleets shall be the responsibility of the class. These allocations must be submitted to the Race Committee no later than 9:00AM prior to Race 1. All entrants not declaring Spinnaker or non Spinnaker Fleet will be assumed to be Spinnaker Fleet. No changes will be made thereafter.
- 4.3 Entries in each class having a start shall be limited to 30 (thirty) boats per class.
- 4.4 All sails without a previous valid measure's stamp must be measured.
- 4.5 All yachts are subject to measurement as defined by the class association specifications. Yachts not meeting the requirements are subject to disqualification.
- 4.6 The sailing instructions and entry forms will be available at: the regatta website on or before June 1st.
www.SanJuan21NorthAmericans

5 FEES

- 5.1 Entry fees are \$70.00 for entries postmarked prior to July 1st. A late fee of \$10.00 will apply to all entries postmarked July 1st or later. Return entry forms with check made payable to: **San Juan 21 – Fresno fleet 3. Mail entries to Bill Parsons, 42304 Bald Mountain Road, Auberry, Ca 93602.** Registration deadline is 9:00AM prior to Race 1. (Entry form will be online as soon as possible and no later than June 1, 2012.)

6 SCHEDULE - The schedule for both weekends is as follows:

6.1 Thursday

1:00pm -3:00pm Practice race
4:00PM – 7:00PM Late Registration, Skipper Check-in, Welcome Reception - Lakeshore Lodge Deck

6.2 Friday

8:30AM – 9:20AM Late Registration, Skipper Check-in - Registration Tent adjacent to launch ramp.
9:30AM Skippers Meeting – near registration tent.
10:55AM Race 1 Warning Signal First Start.
Race 2 Warning Signal approximately 20 min after last boat to finish.(two long horn sounds)
Race 3 Warning Signal approximately 20min after last boat to finish.(two long horn sounds)

6.3 Saturday

10:55 am Race 4 warning Signal first start
Race 5 Warning Signal approximately 20min after last boat finishes(two long horn sounds)
3:00pm **Awards Presentation at Registration Tent**

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 7.1 The Sailing Instructions will be supplied with the registration packet upon skipper check-in and will be made available on the web site [www. San Juan21North Americans](http://www.SanJuan21NorthAmericans) as soon as possible and no later than June 1.
- 7.2 Preliminary Sailing Instructions will be available on the Web Site www.SanJuan21NorthAmericans as soon as possible and no later than June 1.
- 7.3 The Organizing Authorities reserve the right to amend versions of the Sailing Instructions.

8 VENUE

- 8.1 The racing area shall be the main body of water of Huntington Lake Reservoir. See attached map of Huntington Lake. Map will also be included in the pre race package.

9 THE COURSES

- 9.1 The course will be Random Leg Courses, selected from those published and furnished with the registration packet upon skipper check-in.

10 SCORING

- 10.1 Five (5) races are scheduled, of which one (1) must be completed to constitute a series.
- 10.2 The regatta will be scored as provided in the San Juan 21 class handbook. Revised January, 2006.

11 LAUNCHING, BERTHING, DRY STORAGE

- 11.1 A launch ramp is available. (No charge for launching or retrieving)
- 11.2 Courtesy berthing is not available. Trespassers may be cited.
- 11.3 Overnight dry storage is available in the parking area. Please obey parking control. There is a daily fee for parking. (Automobile, boat and/ or trailer).

12 PRIZES

- 12.1 Trophies will be awarded based on class pre-registration.

13 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 13.1 Notice is hereby given that all competitors (including spectators, officials, and others) participate in this event solely at their own risk. See RRS4, Decision to Race. It is the sole responsibility of the skipper of each yacht to decide whether or not to start or continue any race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

14 INSURANCE

- 14.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.

15 AMENDMENTS TO THIS NOTICE

- 15.1 The Organizing Authorities reserve the right to amend this notice. All amendments made after July 1, 2012 will be posted on the Official Notice Board, located at the Registration Tent. Copies will be available.

16 FURTHER INFORMATION

- 16.1 For further information contact; Ruth Barcus (home) 559 855-8877 or (cell) 559 307-8285 www.ruthless@netptc.net

CLASSES CURRENTLY INVITED

Class A

**San Juan All Sails
Main, Genoa or Jib and Spinnaker**

Class B

**San Juan Working Sails
Main, Jib**