



Hawaii Yacht Club

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Notice of Race **Kokohead Race**

Saturday, February 25, 2012

Organizing Authority: **Hawaii Yacht Club (HYC)**

1. **RULES**

- 1.1. The race will be conducted according to *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012*, including the 2010 updates, US Sailing Prescriptions and Hawaii Yacht Racing Association [HYRA] Prescriptions unless otherwise amended in this Notice of Race or the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2. The Racing Rules of Sailing [RRS] 51 and 52 are modified to allow the use of integrally designed Canting Ballast Twin Foil [CBTF] and water ballast technology.
- 1.3. RRS 52 is modified to allow the use of winches operated using stored power.

2. **ADVERTISING** shall comply with ISAF Regulation 20. Competitor advertising will not be restricted.

3. **ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 3.1. The regatta is open to all yachts that meet requirements for ISAF Offshore Special Regulations Category 4 and are members of HYRA member clubs, and other yachts that may be invited by the organizing authority.
- 3.2. Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and submitting it, together with the required fee, to the HYC office by 1800 hrs on Wednesday, February 22, 2012.
- 3.3. Eligible yachts may enter via the US Sailing RegattaNetwork website between February 1 and February 23, 1600 hrs. Entries will only be accepted using the RegattaNetwork website. <http://www.regattanetwork.com/html/calendar.html>

4. **FEES**

- 4.1. Required fees are as follows:

Class	Fee
PHRF (required)	\$45

- 4.2. US Sailing members will receive a \$5 discount.
- 4.3. Late entries will be assessed an additional fee of \$10.

5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
2/22/12	Wednesday	1800	Skipper's Meeting at HYC Lower Deck.
2/23/12	Thursday	1600	Late Entry Fees and Payment Due
2/25/12	Saturday	1055	First Warning for the Kokohead Race
2/25/12	Saturday	1700	Awards Presentation and Cook-Out at HYC (free to all race participants)

6. MEASUREMENTS & HANDICAPS

Each boat shall have a valid Performance Handicap Racing Fleet [PHRF] handicap certificate or be assigned a temporary handicap.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available at the skippers' meeting, via email, and on the HYC website shortly after the Skipper's Meeting.

8. VENUE

The race will be held in Maunalua Bay, between the Ala Wai Harbor and Kokohead.

9. SCORING

9.1. Corrected times will be calculated using the PHRF Time-on-Time scoring system, as adopted by HYRA.

9.2. The low point system of RRS Appendix A shall apply without modification.

10. PRIZES

For each class, first prize will be awarded if at least three boats enter, second prize will be awarded if at least five boats enter, and third prize will be awarded if at least seven boats enter.

11. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

12. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$300,000 per event or the equivalent.

13. FURTHER INFORMATION can be obtained from the Rear Commodore for Sail, Marty Loo at 286-9792, or by emailing hyc.racecommittee@yahoo.com.