



2017 MARTIN MARINE DEEP COVE REGATTA

September 9-10, 2017

Deep Cove Yacht Club

North Vancouver, BC

A VANCOUVER AREA RACING COUNCIL EVENT SPONSORED BY

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NOTICE OF RACE



1 RULES

- 1.1 The Organizing Authority for the Regatta is Deep Cove Yacht Club.
- 1.2 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.3 PHRF boats will sail according to the rules of PHRF BC. ORC Club boats will sail according to rules of the Offshore Racing Congress.
- 1.4 All boats must comply with Transport Canada and Canadian Coast Guard regulations, and Pacific International Yachting Association (PIYA) Safety Equipment Requirements (SER) Category Nearshore or ISAF Off Shore Regulations Category 4, as amended in the VARC Notice of Race 1.5.3.

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats that have a current PHRF of BC certificate with a rating no higher than 275 or a current ORC Club Certificate with a rating no higher than 610, or boats in the Farr 30 class.
- 2.2 Notwithstanding NOR clause 2.1, the Organizing Authority reserves the right to refuse entry to the 2017 Deep Cove Regatta at its discretion.
- 2.3 Boats may register for the regatta using the attached registration form with cheque made out to the Deep Cove Yacht Club and returning via mail to:

DCYC Fleet Captain Tony Gill
Deep Cove Yacht Club
4220 Gallant Avenue
North Vancouver, BC V7G 1L2

OR

Via interac email transfer to the officemanager@deepcoveyc.com. In this process, the security question must be the name of your boat; the answer must be "regatta". You must also send an email to the officemanager@deepcoveyc.com copying fleetcaptain@deepcoveyc.com with your attached registration FORM

OR

In person at the DCYC Regatta Office on Friday, September 9, 2017 from 1800-2100hrs

3. FEES

\$60 if post marked or interac transferred by August 31, 2017

\$75 if post marked or interac transferred after August 31, 2017 OR in person at DCYC Registration Friday, September 9, 2017.

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4. SCHEDULE

- 4.1 Dates of racing are Saturday, September 9, 2017 & Sunday, September 10, 2017.
- 4.2 The first warning signal shall be made at 10:55 hrs on both days.
- 4.3 Complete schedule of events will be posted online at the Deep Cove Yacht Club homepage www.deepcoveyc.com/racing.php
- 4.4 Prize presentation will be in the DCYC Clubhouse following racing on Sunday, September 10, 2017.

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS & NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Sailing Instructions shall be available no later than Friday, September 10, 2017. Sailing Instructions and Notices to Competitors shall be posted online at the Deep Cove Yacht Club homepage www.deepcoveyc.com/racing.php. Notices will also be posted on the Official Notice Board located at the DCYC clubhouse.

6. RACING AREA

Racing will take place in Burrard Inlet East of the 2nd Narrows Bridge and Indian Arm.

7. MOORAGE

Limited free rafting moorage on a first come/first serve basis is available on Friday and Saturday nights. Boats are requested to check in with the Moorage Coordinator on the dock as they arrive. In general, the gate and the lower level of the club house will be open and accessible during day-time hours for the duration of the regatta. A limited number of keys are available for gate and clubhouse access during night-time hours. A \$25.00 key deposit will be required. Due to limited moorage at the DCYC docks, non-competitor boats (**Hotel Boats**) are requested to anchor out adjacent to the docks or moor at the Government dock. Thank you for your cooperation.

8. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to 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.

9. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover \$2 Million per event or the equivalent.

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10. FURTHER INFORMATION

For more information please check the DCYC homepage and racing pages or contact DCYC Fleet Captain Tony Gill at fleetcaptain@deepcoveyc.com

11. SPONSOR

The Race Organizers wish to thank **Martin Marine** for their continued support of this event.

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