Konocti Bay Sailing Club 2017 Konocti Cup Notice Of Race

Event

This event is the 33rd annual Konocti Cup sailed on beautiful Clear Lake, California. This event will start at approximately 1100 hours on April 29, 2017. The Full Cup course is a 26 mile race and the Half Cup course is 13 miles in length.

Race Headquarters, Pre-race registration, Mussel Inspection, Launch Ramp and Skipper's Meeting are located at:

> KBSC Clubhouse and Tiki Hut Braito's Marina 1555 Eastlake Dr Kelseyville, Ca 95451

Divisions

The **Full Cup** will be divided into 2 divisions. **Division A** will be raced by all boats with a Nor Cal PHRF rating of **150** or less. **Division B** will be raced by all boats with a Nor Cal PHRF rating of **151** or more.

The **Half Cup** will be raced by all boats with a Nor Cal PHRF rating of **211** or more but all Monohull boats satisfying Cup Deed requirements may, regardless of their rating, race in the Full Cup. We also will have a **Half Cup White Sails** (no spinnaker) Division with an allowable rating of 151 or above.

A separate division is open to sailing **Multihulls** that have a valid Bay Area Multihull Association (BAMA) rating. Their course may be expanded by competitor request request and consensus.

A minimum of 5 yachts and a consensus among them regarding applicable One Design class rules are needed to compete as a **One Design** division. To qualify as a One Design division, entries must be received prior to the deadline date of April 22, 2017. Final division assignments will be made on April 29, 2017. Final cutoff date is April 29, 2017 at 0800 hours. KBSC has a One Design class of monohulls rating 168 NorCal PHRF that will be competing in the Cup.

Assignment to Division

Division formation will be based upon the classifications noted in the Sailing Instructions. All divisions will be scored on basis of Time-on-Time.

Waivers

Prior to the start, the skipper of each entrant shall sign and file with the Organizing Authority the Konocti Bay Sailing Club Liability Release Form which is found on the application form for this event.

Rules

This event will be governed by 2017-2020 Racing Rules of Sailing, County of Lake

Boating Laws, Sailing Instructions for this event, and any applicable Federal and State laws.

Operating VHF radios are **required**. They must be monitored (CH 68) during the race for safety or Race Committee communication.

All participants will be required to wear a lifejacket or approved flotation device during this event.

Qualified Entrants

This event is open to all monohull keel or centerboard boats 18.5 feet and over with a NorCal (San Francisco Bay) PHRF rating and all multihull boats 14.4 feet and over with a BAMA rating. In the event that boats don't have a Nor Cal or BAMA rating, the race committee shall assign a rating. All final handicap decisions rest with the race committee.

The mandatory skippers meeting is at the race headquarters - Braito's Marina KBSC Tiki Hut (1555 Eastlake Dr, Kelseyville) - Saturday April 29, 2017 at 0815 hours.

Entry Fees

The entry fee is \$60. United States Sailing Association members may deduct \$5. A late fee of \$10 will be charged for all entries received after 2400 hours Saturday April 22, 2017. Final entries close at 0800 hours on Saturday April 29, 2017.

Sailing Instructions

The Sailing Instructions will be available at the KBSC Clubhouse at Braito's Marina on Friday April 28, 2017. Information will also be available on the web at http://www.kbsail.com

Prizes

Prizes will be distributed at Sunday morning awards brunch, April 30, 2017 beginning at 0900 hours – NEW LOCATION – Riviera Hills Restaurant, 10200 Fairway Drive Kelseyville, Ca. http://www.rivierahills.com/

All monohull boats are eligible for the first to finish and their division trophies per original Konocti Cup Deed. The overall champion and first three places in division Full Cup A & B, and Half Cup (spinnaker) will be awarded prizes. There are first place only trophies for the Multihull, Half Cup White Sail division and for the 168 Class. Overall Konocti Cup trophy winner will be based on corrected time per NorCal PHRF. Only monohulled boats are eligible for the overall trophy. The Multihull overall corrected first place will receive the Konocti Bay Trophy.

For More Information Go To Our Website: http://www.kbsail.com

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