

2015 Mustang Open Regatta
Morro Bay Yacht Club- Morro Bay, CA
Cal Poly SLO Sailing Team
February 7th-8th, 2015



SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1. RULES

- 1.1. This regatta shall be governed by the current (2013-2016) Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), ICSA Procedural Rules (PR), ICSA Collegiate Dinghy Class Rules, the PCCSC Standing Rules, and the Notice of Race, except as modified by these Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2. In the event of a disagreement between the Notice of Race (NOR) and these Sailing Instructions (SI's) the SI's will take precedence.

2. NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

- 2.1. Notices to the competitors and changes to the sailing instructions may be announced verbally at the rotation area or competitor meeting and may be posted on the official regatta notice board located online at collegesailing.org on techscore. A link to the results will be posted on the PCCSC event page.

3. CHANGES IN SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 3.1. Any changes in the sailing instructions will be announced orally and posted before the first race in which they are to take effect.

4. SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

- 4.1. Signals made ashore will be displayed from a Race Committee (RC) boat near the rotation area. During an onshore postponement, boats shall not leave the beach without permission from the RC.

5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, February 7th

0930 Report Time
1000 Competitors Meeting
1100 First Warning
1700 Dinner

Sunday, February 8th

0830 Pancake Breakfast
1100 First Warning
1600 No Start Signal After

6. BOATS AND ROTATIONS

- 6.1. A Varsity team consists of A and B divisions (4 sailors minimum). Each team shall provide their own CFJ's with PCCSC Legal sails with their assigned sail numbers on them.
- 6.2. Varsity Course Divisional rotations will take place at the sandy beach in front of the Morro Bay giant rock, however it is subject to change depending on racing conditions and may be verbally changed on the water. Shore side personnel will assist in announcing changes at the rotation area.
- 6.3. All teams will sail their own boat(s) for the duration of the event.

7. THE COURSE

- 7.1. The courses will be announced orally and taken from the course diagrams on the official regatta notice board. These courses may change with tide and surf conditions.
- 7.2. The courses will consist of (1) a once around modified windward-leeward, or (2) a twice around version of course one. The start line and finish line are all the same. All roundings are to port. See attached course diagram.

8. START/FINISH

8.1. The start line will be between a staff displaying a flag on the Race Committee Start Boat to an orange mark as the pin. The starting line will not be restricted.

9. MARKS

9.1 The marks will consist of orange and/or white balls. Any change to this will be announced at the skippers' meeting.

10. SAFETY

10.1. Competitors who require assistance from rescue boats should so signify by waving arms overhead. A competitor who retires from a race shall notify the Race Committee as soon as possible.

11. RECORD OR PARTICIPATION

11.1RP forms must be completed online on techscore by the end of each day of the event.

12. COACHING

12.1. Coaching may be done from the rotational area.

13. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

13.1. Participants in this event 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 sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.