

2024 29er National Championship

July 22-25, 2024
Coronado Yacht Club
Coronado, California

NOTICE OF RACE

The Organizing Authority is Coronado Yacht Club (CYC).

1 RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024.
- 1.2. The 29er Class Rules will apply except for any that are altered by the Notice of Race.
- 1.3. The notation [NP] beside a rule indicates that a boat may not protest another boat for breach of that rule. This changes RRS 60.1(a). The notation [DP] indicates that penalties for breaches of that rule are discretionary. World Sailing guidance for discretionary penalties will apply.
- 1.4. All competitors (i.e., both skipper and crew) shall carry a SOLAS approved whistle while aboard their boat. [NP][DP]
- 1.5. RRS 40 will be changed as follows:
The first and second sentences of RRS 40 are deleted and replaced by: "Each competitor shall wear an approved personal flotation device (PFD) per 29er Class Rules C 3.1, properly secured at all times while on the water except when temporarily adding or removing clothing." [DP]
- 1.6. International 29er Class Rule C.10.3(a)(vi), concerning all-women teams carrying a red rhombus shape on their mainsail, shall not apply.
- 1.7. RRS G3 (Chartered or Loaned Boats) shall apply. Non-complying sail numbers must be approved in advance by the RC or OA.
- 1.8. RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.
- 1.9. The Sailing Instructions will be available on June 21, 2024, at the event website.

2 VENUE

- 2.1. All on-shore activities will occur at Coronado Yacht Club 1631 Strand Way Coronado, California 92118.
- 2.2. The racing area is South San Diego Bay.

3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1. The online official notice board is located at the [Racing/Clinics - Coronado Yacht Club \(coronadoyc.org\)](https://coronadoyc.org)
- 3.2. [NP] From the first warning signal until the end of the last race of the day, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make or receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats. This modifies RRS 41.

4 ELIGIBILITY

- 4.1. The Championship is open to all competitors sailing boats of the 29er Class who have met all relevant class membership requirements, completed registration and check-in, and paid all event fees before beginning official competition.
- 4.2. All competitors that are residents of the United States shall be current members of the US 29er class association. Competitors shall be current members of the US 29er class association or their home country's class association.

5 ENTRY & FEES

- 5.1. Entry is available on-line via <https://theclubspot.com/regatta/V2IMT5z1Y2>
- 5.2. All competitors, or their parent or guardian if the competitor is under the age of 18 as of the start of the event, must complete a waiver of liability as a condition of eligibility.
- 5.3. All competitors under the age of 18 as of the start of the event shall be accompanied for the duration of the regatta by a responsible adult who shall be named in the Parent/Guardian Consent Form.
- 5.4. The entry fee is \$375.00 for entries completed with payment on or before July 5, 2024.
- 5.5. The entry fee is \$450.00 for entries completed or paid after July 6, 2024.
- 5.6. Entry fees include complimentary boat storage during the regatta, Monday night regatta kick-off dinner, post-racing refreshments all three days, regatta-shirt for skipper and crew.
- 5.7. Coach Event Registration Fee \$75 per person includes site fee, Monday night kick-off dinner, post-race refreshments all three days, and regatta-shirt.

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available on the event website no later than June 21, 2024.

7 SCHEDULE

- 7.1. (12) races are scheduled. Three (3) races must be completed to constitute a series.
- 7.2. The schedule of events is as follows:

Monday, July 22nd

1:00 – 5:30 pm	Registration / Check-in/ Practice
6:00 – 9:00 pm	Regatta Kick-off Dinner

Tuesday, July 23rd

9:30 – 10:30 am	Registration / Check-in
10:30 am	Competitors Meeting
12:00 pm	First Warning Signal
ASAP after racing	Post racing Snack

Wednesday, July 24th

12:00 pm	First Warning Signal
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ASAP after racing Post racing Snack

Thursday, July 25th

12:00 pm	First Warning Signal
15:30 pm	Last Warning Signal Time Limit
ASAP after racing	Awards Giving / post racing Snack

- 7.3. Teams may not arrive earlier than Sunday, July 21st. Please contact CYC Jr. Program Director if you need to arrive early: Jill at (619) 435-0522 or jroffice@coronadoyc.org.

8 COURSES

The courses will be windward-leeward with a gate at the leeward end of the course. The race target time will be 30 minutes.

9 SCORING

- 9.1. The Low Point Scoring System (Appendix A) shall be used except as modified below.
- 9.2. When fewer than six (6) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. When six (6) or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

10 AWARDS

- 10.1. Awards will be given to both skipper and crew of the top 3 boats, the top all female boat and the top junior boat (both skipper and crew under 17 years of age on December 31, 2024).
- 10.2. The top boat (both skipper and crew) will be awarded the 2024 29er National Championship title.

11 BOAT LAUNCHING AND EQUIPMENT STORAGE [DP]

- 11.1. 29er boats shall be kept in the designated areas of Coronado Yacht Club.
- 11.2. Support boats may launch from public ramps or hoist at Coronado YC.
- 11.3. Trailers and other equipment is/are permitted at Coronado Yacht Club for the period 7/21/24-7/25/24 in association with this event.

12 SUPPORT BOATS [DP]

- 12.1. All support boats must register with the OA prior to the event start date. Further emergency plan instructions for support vessels will be provided electronically after registration. Support boats may be required to display flags supplied by the OA for identification purposes.
- 12.2. During racing, support boats shall monitor the race committee VHF channel and remain more than 150 yards from the course area, except when asked to assist by the race committee.
- 12.3. All support boats shall act as rescue boats if so instructed by the Race Committee (more details in Sailing Instructions).

- 12.4. All other boats (e.g. spectator) will be permitted in the racing area, and 200 yards from the course area, per conditions detailed in the Sailing Instructions.

13 RISK, DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY, & PERSONAL CONDUCT

- 13.1. Competitors participate in the regatta at their own risk. See RRS 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.
- 13.2. Competitors shall accept full responsibility for all their actions during any activity related to this event. This includes on-shore activities before, during, and after the regatta.

14 RIGHT TO USE NAME & LIKENESS

By participating in this event, all competitors automatically grant the organizers and sponsors the right to make, use and show, at any time and at their discretion, any photographs or videos of him or her produced during the period of the event without compensation.

15 FURTHER INFORMATION

- 15.1. For further information about the 29er International Class Association, visit www.29er.org.
- 15.2. For more information, please contact Regatta Chairman, Jill Powel at (619) 435-0522 or jroffice@coronadoyc.org.

16. HOTELS

Hotels nearby in Coronado, California.

The Crown City Inn	www.crowncityinn.com	1-619-675-0087
The Hotel Del Coronado	www.hoteldel.com	1-800-468-3533
Glorietta Bay Inn	www.gloriettabayinn.com	1-619-435-3101
Hampton Inn Imperial Beach	www.hilton.com	1-619-295-1004