



2026 Harbor 20 Fleet 10 Championship

Organizing Authority: Encinal Yacht Club

Notice of Race (NoR)

October 17-18, 2026

The notation '[DP]' in a rule means that any penalty is at the discretion of the Protest Committee. The notation '[NP]' in a rule means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that rule. This changes RRS Rule 60.1

1 RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*. 1.2 The class rules of the Harbor 20 Association will apply.
- 1.3 Rule 60.4(a)(2) is changed as follows: "(2) if it alleges a breach of a rule of Part 2 or rule 31 and is from a boat that was not involved in and did not see the incident, or"

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1 The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions, and supplementary sailing instructions on the official notice board.
- 2.2 The sailing instructions will be available no later than 1600h on Oct. 15, 2026 on the official notice board.

3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 The online official notice board (ONB) is located at CLUBSPOT here:
<https://theclubspot.com/regatta/BDYleq39Ss>
- 3.2 [DP] All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on the VHF channel used by the EYC race committee.
- 3.3 The VHF channel to be used by the race committee will be stated in the Sailing Instructions (SIs).

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 This regatta series is open to all boats of the Harbor 20 class that are in compliance with their class rules. Each sailor must sign a Waiver and Release of Liability. These forms will be available online during the registration process.
- 4.2 Eligible boats may enter the event by registering online at URL in 3.1
- 4.3 All boats that registered for the Saturday Series Fall Series are already registered.

5 FEES

- 5.1 Boats other than previously registered: \$30.

6 SCHEDULE

- 6.1 Dates of racing are **Saturday, October 17, 2026** and **Sunday, October 18, 2026**.
6.2 First warning time for the first fleet to start will be 1300h
6.3 Up to 5 races scheduled for each race day.
6.4 Last warning no later than 1600h.
6.5 The OA reserves the right to modify the schedule for any reason.

7 VENUE

- 7.1 The intended race area is the Alameda/Oakland Estuary.

8 COURSES

- 8.1 Courses will be published in the SIs.

9 PENALTY SYSTEM

- 9.1 US Sailing Prescriptions V1 is in effect.

10 SCORING

- 10.1 RRS Appendix A is in effect, and A5.3 will apply.
10.2 Three races are required to constitute a series.
10.3 A boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores.

11 RISK STATEMENT

- 11.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. The Organizing Authority, EYC, volunteers, and any official sponsors 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. Attention is also drawn to RRS 46 and USSER 1.2, Responsibility.

12 [NP] INSURANCE

- 12.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.

13 PRIZES

- 13.1 The Harbor 20 Fleet 10 Perpetual Trophy will be awarded to the First Place boat.
13.2 The 1st, 2nd and 3rd place boats will be awarded take home prizes

----- END OF NOTICE OF RACE -----

14 FURTHER INFORMATION

- 14.1 For further information please contact: Small Boat Captain Aaron Lee, sailaaron@gmail.com or Regatta Chair Mike DiBella, at vicecommodore@encinal.org.