

Welcome to Monterey Peninsula Yacht Club Racing!

The 2019 racing season is upon us, and will be jam-packed with all the One Design and PHRF races traditionally hosted by MPYC, as well as a number of other prestigious regattas, such as the 2019 Spinnaker Cup, the Ocean Great Lakes Challenge (Shields) and the Laser US Master National Championships. The 2019 MPYC Race calendar includes information on the various racing activities at MPYC, including dates, racing classes, race committee assignments, etc. The 2019 MPYC Sailing Instructions and Notices of Race provide details on the conduct of racing at MPYC, and information specific to each racing event.

MPYC Race registration is now online! Registration and payment for the 2019 MPYC Race season is available through the Club's portal in Regatta Network ([MPYC 2019 Race Registration Packet](#)) The Race Registration Packet allows boat owners to register for races in specific divisions, select the appropriate payment options, including by credit card, check or charging their club accounts, and upload required MPYC race forms ([Liability Waiver](#), [Race Committee Duty Commitment](#) and, if applicable a Monterey Bay Performance Handicap Racing Fleet (PHRF) certificate). If you do not have a PHRF Certificate issued by the Monterey Bay PHRF committee, or if your boat is new to racing in the Monterey Bay, please contact Club members Mark Chaffey or John Mowry, or the Santa Cruz Yacht Club. Based on information entered online, boats will automatically be entered in the selected fleets and scored accordingly. Register early! A late registration fee will be levied after 25 January 2019.

MPYC Race Committee Training and Assignments. Regattas hosted and organized by the Club are serviced by voluntary race committees. Each race entry is expected to act as race committee for a few races during the course of the year. Race committee assignments will be published in consultation with the Fleet Captains once all boats have registered for the 2019 season. Early registrants will have earlier input to the race committee assignment schedule.

Race committee training, including how to enter scores using Regatta Network, will be offered on February 3, at 12 noon. It is mandatory for ALL skippers and crew not previously certified on Race.com, and strongly recommended for all skippers and crew members, especially those who have not been trained in Regatta Network scoring.

MPYC 2019 Race Committee. With the emphasis on improved race management, coordination and service to the MPYC racing community, an expanded MPYC Race Committee team has been established. We are dedicated to support MPYC racing with a view to an exciting, active 2019 race season. Please direct any questions about MPYC racing activities to race@mpyc.org.

Race Committee Chairperson	Jean du Preez	race@mpyc.org
Regatta Network registration and scoring	Jonathan Paul, Meryle Sachs, Ashley Hobson	
Race Committee coordination	Juli Alexander	
Protests and arbitration	Dick Clark, Mike Gross, Micheal Polkabra	
Race Committee training	Jerry Stratton	
Marks and courses	Garth Hobson	
Race Committee boats	Dave Morris, Randy Frey	
Webmaster	Louis Algaze	
Fleet Captains	Justin Nielson (S22), Michael Polkabra (Shields), Dave MacEwen (PHRF A), Todd Muck (PHRF B)	