



2025 ODOM NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP REGATTA

NOTICE OF RACE

September 5th – September 7th

Hosted by

San Francisco Model Yacht Club, AMYA #195

Spreckels Lake, Golden Gate Park

1217 John F. Kennedy Drive

San Francisco, Ca 94121

1. ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

1.1. The 2025 ODOM National Championship Regatta is organized by the San Francisco Model Yacht Club (SFMYC), with approval from the American Model Yacht Association (AMYA), and the ODOM Class Secretary.

2. RULES AND GOVERNANCE

2.1. The event will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2025-2028 (RRS) as changed by Appendix E, Heat Management System (HMS) 2022 V1, and the 2020 ODOM Class Rules.

2.2. No US Sailing Prescriptions apply except Appendix R and prescriptions to rules 60.3, 61.4, 67, 70.5(a), 76.1.

3. CHANGES TO RULE

3.1 Rule 90.3(e): Replace “24 hours” with “5 minutes”.

4. EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

4.1. All boats and equipment shall be inspected by the technical committee prior to racing in this event.

4.2. No boat shall be eligible to race until it has been registered and has passed inspection by the technical committee.

4.3 At the discretion of the PRO, any boat may be selected for inspection during the event.

5. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

5.1. The regatta is open to all ODOMs, registered with the ODOM class secretary.

5.2. AMYA membership is required for entry to the regatta.

6. SAIL NUMBERS

6.1. Sail numbers may be one, two or three digit numbers. This modifies §E8 of the 2025-2028 RRS.

6.2. Sail numbers shall be present on both sides of the mainsail and jib with size and spacing as specified in the 2020 ODOM Class Rules. Sails made prior to 1/1/20 are encouraged, but not required, to have sail numbers on the jib. This modifies §12.1.1b of the 2020 Class Rules

6.3. In the case of conflicting sail numbers, priority will be given to sail number registered with class association. Remaining conflicts will be resolved by the order in which entry forms are received.

7. REGISTRATION AND FEES

7.1. The event registration fee is \$65 per boat and \$15/guest per day.

7.2. The entry form must be received by SFMYC no later than 8/22/25.

7.3. The entry fee includes lunch and beverages on race days and trophies for the first 5 low point finishers.

8. SITE FACILITIES

8.1. The SFMYC clubhouse will be available for boat and equipment storage during the regatta, and on request may be available for boat storage up to 14 days before the Regatta.

9. SCHEDULE

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY
Friday 9/5/24	10:00 – 16:00	check in & equipment inspection SFMYC clubhouse
Friday 9/5/25	11:00 – 16:00	open waters & practice races
Saturday 9/6/25	8:30 – 10:00	check in & equipment inspection SFMYC clubhouse
Saturday 9/6/25	10:30	skippers meeting
Saturday 9/6/25	11:00	first warning signal
Saturday 9/6/25	16:00	no race starts after 16:00
Sunday 9/7/25	11:00	first warning signal
Sunday 9/7/25	15:00	no race starts after 15:00
Sunday 9/7/25	15:30	awards ceremony SFMYC clubhouse

10. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

10.1. Sailing Instructions will be available on the AMYA web site by 8/15/25.

10.2. Copies of the Sailing Instructions will be available at the scorer's table during the regatta.

11. SCORING AND RACE FORMAT

11.1. The regatta will be raced and scored under the Heat Management System 2022 V1.

11.2. If there are insufficient entries to warrant multiple fleets, the regatta will be sailed with a single fleet and scored as outlined in HMS 2022 V1.

11.3. A minimum of five races must be completed for the event to constitute a national championship regatta.

12. REGATTA STAFF

Regatta Chairman: Rob Weaver

Principal Race Officer: Dick Hunter

Technical Chairman: Jim Wondolleck

Protest Chairman: Don Wieneke

Scoring: Ron Saxon

Regatta information: contact Rob Weaver at rnweaver@pacbell.net or Dick Hunter at rhunter4@gmail.com.

13. CONDUCT

13.1. Poor competitor behavior can reflect negatively on the sport, and all competitors are advised that their actions will be under strict scrutiny by race officials. In the event race officials witness any behavior, which they deem to be a breach of good manners or sportsmanship, or which may bring the sport into disrepute, the Race Director, assisted by race officials, will protest the party (or parties) in accordance with RRS 2 or 69.1. Penalties available to the Race Director include exclusion from the Race in question or expulsion from the regatta as per RRS 69.2 and 69.3.

ENTRY FORM

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9/5/25 -9/7/25

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Email Address: _____

Emergency Contact: Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____
Relationship: _____

Sail Number: _____ AMYA No: _____

Transmitter Band: 2.4Ghz _____ Other _____

Entry Fee:	Competitor (\$65)	\$ _____
	Other/Guest (\$15/day)	\$ _____
	Total	\$ _____

Registration must be received by SFMYC by 8/22/25. Checks payable to SFMYC may be mailed, with this registration form, to:

San Francisco Model Yacht Club
1800 Taraval St., PO Box 16762
San Francisco, Ca 94116-16762

Payment may be made via PayPal to San Francisco Model Yacht Club at:

<https://www.paypal.com/ncp/payment/CL6VKSK85QZ3J>.

If payment is made via PayPal, this registration form shall be emailed to Robert Weaver, regatta chairman, at: RNWeaver@pacbell.net.

Waiver of Responsibility: In consideration of accepting this entry, I hereby waive and release for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, any and all rights to claims that I may have for damages that I may have or acquire against the City and County of San Francisco, and San Francisco Model Yacht Club, its members, officers and agents from any claim for injury or other damages to me or my family or guests arising from this regatta.

Date: _____ Participants Signature: _____