

J/105 NAs Update #1

The 2022 J/105 North American Championships will combine four days of great racing with numerous social activities and the NA's organizing committee has been working hard to make sure that it will be a memorable event! The purpose of this update is to remind you of the measurement and social schedule for the event and to make you aware of several important deadlines that are rapidly approaching.

Sail Measurement and Boat Inspection. Sail measurement and boat inspection will take place on Monday 9/26 and Tuesday 9/27 at the Cove House at SFYC. Please sign up for a timeslot here. Please arrive at the Cove House with your sails at the beginning of your selected time slot and be prepared to assist the measurement committee with the unrolling and rolling of your sails. Doug Bailey will separately coordinate with you to inspect your boat during this same time slot. Entrant boats are welcome to berth at the SFYC beginning Saturday 9/24.

Weigh-In. Weigh-in will take place as follows:

| 9/28 | Wednesday | 0830 - 1000 and 1600 - 1700 |
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| 9/29 | Thursday | 0800 - 0930 |
| 9/30 | Friday | 0900 - 0930 |
| 10/1 | Saturday | 0900 - 0930 |
| 10/2 | Sunday | 0900 - 0930 |

Social Calendar. We have organized a robust schedule of fun social events, including:

| 9/28 | Wednesday | 1700 | Competitor's meeting and Welcome Party |
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| 9/29 | Thursday | Post-racing | Appetizers and drinks |
| | | 1800 | Private offsite dinner for owners (RSVP required) |
| 9/30 | Friday | 1800 | Family BBQ / games / tequila tasting |
| 10/1 | Saturday | 1800 | Regatta dinner |
| 10/2 | Sunday | Post-racing | Awards presentation |

Each registered sailor will receive entry to all of the social events at the SFYC. Additional social tickets providing access to all of the onsite activities are available for purchase at on-site registration at a cost of \$90 per person.

Owner's Dinner. Tom and Bethanne Struttmann have graciously opened their Paradise Cay home to our 2022 NAs Owner's Dinner to be held at 1800 on Thursday 9/29. Each boat competing in the NAs is

entitled to two invitations to this intimate gathering catered by Insalata's restaurant with wine from Caymus Vineyards. Attire is post-racing yachtie casual. <u>Please RSVP by 9/9</u> so that we can give the caterer an accurate headcount.

Regatta Shirts. We have arranged with Pirate's Lair to create a special regatta shirt. The shirt will be a long-sleeved sun shirt featuring regatta branding and it would make a fantastic gift for your crew! The price is \$22 per shirt. Shipping is \$5 flat rate per order if you opt to have them sent to SFYC for pickup during registration on Wednesday 9/28. Place your order here by 9/19.

Regatta Video. We have hired a videographer (Vince Casalaina) to make a highlight video of the event and we hope to show raw video footage daily at the post-racing party. Vince will be soliciting onboard videos from the fleet so if you want to ensure your boat makes the video, bring your GoPro on board and get Vince your video daily!

Key deadlines:

Friday 9/9 at 1800 Deadline to RSVP for Thursday's Owner's Dinner

Sunday 9/18 at 1800 Regatta registration cutoff. No entries accepted after this time.

Monday 9/19 Deadline to order regatta shirts from Pirate's Lair

Wednesday 9/21 Please sign up here for your sail measurement time slot

Sunday 9/25 at 1800 Sail declaration deadline. You must provide the sail tag numbers for the

sails you will be using via the "Event Sail Declarations" link in your Owner's Corner on YachtScoring. No changes to sail declarations

allowed after this deadline.

Sunday 9/25 at 1800 Crew declaration deadline: Please declare all known crew by this time

using the *My Crew List link* in <u>YachtScoring</u>. Last minute crew changes will be accommodated via the weigh-in desk on each regatta morning. All sailors need a valid World Sailing ID and categorization prior to racing.

Please address any questions to:

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