



*Santa Barbara Yacht Club*  
**Santa Barbara Skiff Festival**  
May 17<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>, 2014

## NOTICE OF RACE

The Organizing Authority for the 2014 Santa Barbara Skiff Festival will be:  
The Santa Barbara Yacht Club (SBYC), 130 Harbor Way, Santa Barbara, CA 93109

### 1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- 1.2 The US Sailing prescriptions to rules 60, 63.2, and 63.4 will not apply.

### 2. ELIGIBILITY and ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the 49er, 29er, International 14, 505, Weta, and kite board classes in addition to any other one-design 'skiff' class with at least four entries registered no later than May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2014.
- 2.2 Fleet representatives should contact SBYC no later than May 12th, 2014, with an estimated turnout.
- 2.3 A link to online entry through Regatta Network may be found online at <http://sbycracing.org/2014-skiff-fest/>.

### 3. FEES

- 3.1 There will be a \$15 entry fee per boat that must be paid online during the registration process.

### 4. SCHEDULE

#### ***Saturday, May 17<sup>th</sup>***

<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Dinghy Location</b>	<b>Kite Location</b>
930	Registration and check in opens	Harbor Launch Ramp	SBYC Parking Lot
1030	Registration closes	Harbor Launch Ramp	SBYC Parking Lot
1040	Competitor Meeting	Harbor Launch Ramp	SBYC Parking Lot
1230	First warning signal for dinghy classes, as many races as possible will be raced		
TBD	Kite Board's first warning signal will be based on breeze velocity and will be verbally announced on Leadbetter beach to the west of SBYC.		

#### ***Sunday, May 18<sup>th</sup>***

1215	First Warning for dinghy classes, as many races as possible will be raced		
1530	No Warning Signal for dinghy classes after this time		
1630	Awards presentation at SBYC		
TBD	Kite Board's first warning signal will be based on breeze velocity and will be verbally announced on Leadbetter beach to the west of SBYC.		

### 5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 5.1 Sailing Instructions will be available on the event page at (<http://sbycracing.org/2014-skiff-fest/>) approximately one week prior to the event. Copies will also be available at registration.

### 6. VENUE & SAILING AREA

- 6.1 Registration and check in for all dinghy classes will take place at the Santa Barbara Harbor launch ramp located at the east end of the city waterfront parking lot as seen in 'Attachment A – Parking, Boat, Trailer, and Dolly Storage'. Kite boards registration will take place in the SBYC parking lot as shown in 'Attachment B – Kite Board Launch'. All post-sailing activities will take place at the Santa Barbara Yacht Club.

6.2 All classes will sail on a course within two miles of the Santa Barbara harbor entrance.

## 7. THE COURSES

7.1 The courses to be sailed will be a windward-leeward configuration.

7.2 Kite Board courses will be slalom or windward leeward configurations.

## 8. PENALTY SYSTEM

8.1 For all classes except Kite Boards, the penalty system shall be as described in Rule 44.1.

8.2 Kite Board Penalties shall be as described in Appendix F2 under rule 44.1 and 44.2.

## 9. SCORING

9.1 The low-point scoring system of Appendix A will apply.

9.2 Two races must be completed to constitute a series.

9.3 When fewer than six races are completed, a boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores.

## 10. COACH BOATS

10.1 Coach boats may be stored on trailers overnight in the Santa Barbara public harbor lot and are subject to the lot fees. There will be limited overnight water dockage at the UCSB Sailing docks available on a first come-first serve basis. Other arrangements for water storage may be made with the Harbor Department.

10.2 Coach boats must supply their own VHF radio for safety purposes and should not be left unattended at the dock space at the launch ramp or at the adjacent docks.

## 11. BERTHING - BOAT STORAGE AND DOLLIES

11.1 Competitors boats may only be stored in the launch ramp parking lot in designated areas during the event as seen in 'Attachment A – Boat, Trailer, & Dolly Storage'. Trailers may not be accessible for overnight storage. **Each sailor must provide their own boat dolly or alternate means of boat storage.** Boats may only use the docks for immediate launching and retrieval.

11.2 Kite Board competitors should take their equipment with them at the end of each day.

## 12. PARKING

12.1 **Parents and participants must comply with all parking regulations and will be responsible for any parking fees.** Boats and trailers must be stored in designated spaces only as shown in 'Attachment A – Boat, Trailer, & Dolly Storage'. If the designated space is filled, parking attendants may require participants to use other available lots in the area. No boats, trailers, or cars may impede traffic in the launch ramp area for any reason. No boats or equipment may be stored on the beach overnight. Boats shall not be left at the launch ramp dock, except when actively launching or retrieving for the day. Failure to comply with these policies may result in citations for vehicles.

## 13. PRIZES

13.1 Take home trophies will be awarded to the top finishers in each class.

13.2 Top youth award will be given out in the kite board class.

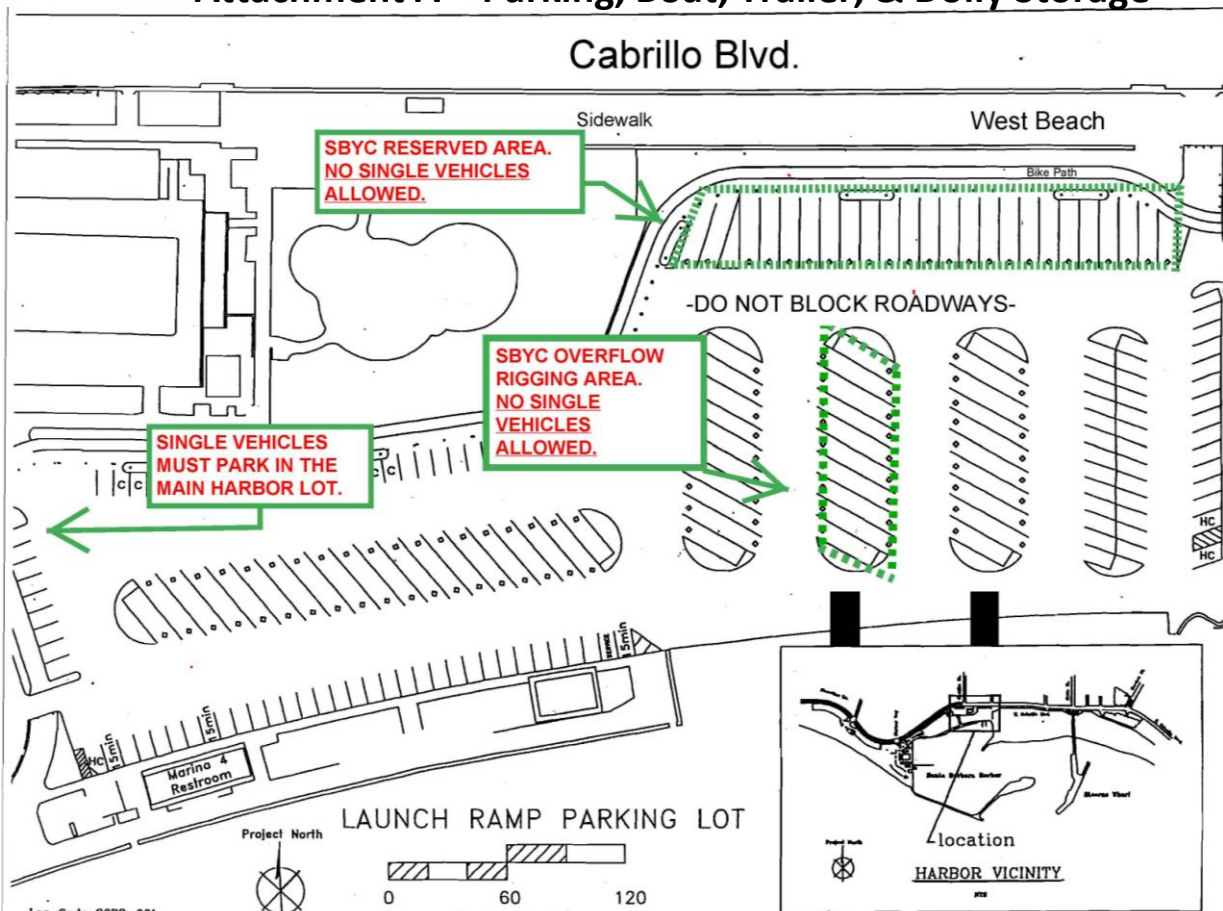
## 14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

14.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 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.

## 15. FURTHER INFORMATION

15.1 For further information please contact Brad Schaupeter, SBYC Race Director at (805) 965-8112 x14 or [racing@sbyc.org](mailto:racing@sbyc.org).

# 'Attachment A – Parking, Boat, Trailer, & Dolly Storage'



- Do not block roadways while coaming, rigging, loading, or unloading, etc. Rig only in designated areas.
- No single vehicles may be parked in the yellow trailer stalls. Trailers and cars with trailers only.
- Please launch from east most ramps only and return dollies to the rigging areas after launching.

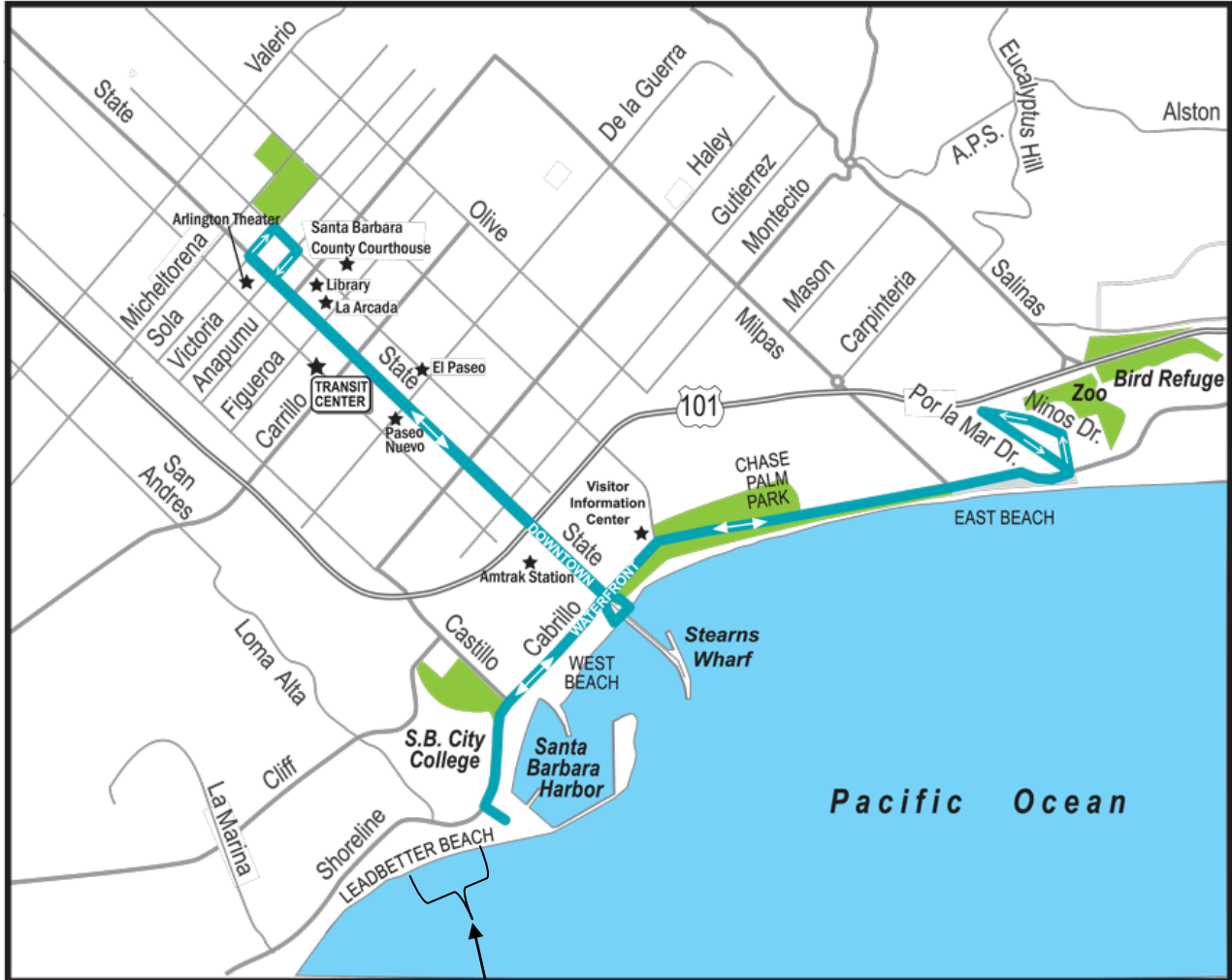


## Visiting Boater's Map to Santa Barbara Harbor

★ Harbormaster	M4 Marina Area	Fish Station	Yacht Club	--- Bike Path
P Parking	ADA Restrooms	PP Porta Potty	m Mini-mart	mta Bus Shuttle Stop
V Valet Parking	☎ Telephone	P Pumpout	bd Battery Disposal	- - - Bus Shuttle Route
ATM Automatic Teller	PLR Loading Ramp	B Bilge Station	W Waste Oil Station	Public Pool

City of Santa Barbara | Waterfront Department  
 132-A Harbor Way, Santa Barbara CA 93109  
 Harbormaster's Office: (805) 564-5530  
 Map last updated: 04/21/2010

## 'Attachment B – Kite Board Launch'



Kite Boards' base of operations will be the west end of the SBYC parking lot. They will launch off Leadbetter beach. Launch time will be verbally announced. Cars should be parked in the public lots off of Leadbetter beach