



# Butte Sailing Club

## 1<sup>st</sup> Table Mountain Regatta

October 15, 2022

Thermalito Forebay, Oroville, CA

For additional and current club and race information go to <http://buttesailingclub.org>.

### NOTICE OF RACE

1. **Rules:** The Regatta will be governed by the Rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
  - i. RRS Rule 40: Personal Flotation Devices. The “Y” flag will be flown.
  - ii. All boats must check in with the committee boat before the start
2. **Eligibility & Entry:** The Regatta is open to sailboats under 22 feet. Four starts will be given. The first three starts will be for on-design classes in which a minimum of four boats compete. The last start will be for a mixed fleet racing under Portsmouth handicaps.
  - a. Competitors enter by completing an Entry Form available on <http://buttesailingclub.org> under the “Race Info” tab, and delivering it by 0830, Saturday, October 7, 2022.
  - b. Fees The fee to race in the Regatta is \$25.00 per boat. The late registration fee for entries received after October 6<sup>th</sup> is \$35.00.
3. **Race Schedule:**
  - a. Saturday, October 15
    - i. 0800 – 0930 Registration, Skipper Check-in at BSC clubhouse, Thermalito Forebay
    - ii. 1000 Skippers meeting at Regatta Headquarters.
  - b. 10:45 Committee boat on station and sounds several short horns. The warning signa for the first start may be given at any time.
  - c. Three morning races will be followed by a 40-minute break. Two afternoon races will be followed by an interclub race in BSC Vagabond 14s for the Richard Silvera Perpetual Memorial Trophy.
4. **Race Sailing Instructions:** Sailing Instructions will be available after 1600 hours, Friday, October 14, 2022 at the BSC Clubhouse. Instructions will also be available on the BSC, <http://buttesailingclub.org> on or before Friday, October 14, 2022. Any changes to the sailing instructions will be given at the skipper’s meeting.

5. **Venue and courses:** The racing area shall be the main body of water of the Thermalito North Forebay. A detailed map is available at <http://buttesailingclub.org> under the "Regatta" tab.
  - a. The diagram in Attachment "A" of the Sailing Instructions shows the location of the racing area, and the courses, the order in which marks are to be passed, and the side on which each mark is to be left.
  - b. The courses to be sailed will be displayed from the Race Committee Signal Boat.
  - c. The marks shall be cylindrical floats bearing a number corresponding to the course chart. Marks "A", "B" and "C" will be inflatable orange marks.
6. **Penalty System:** The RRS Appendix "V" shall apply.
7. **Berthing:**
  - a. Contact BSC, 530-XXX-XXXX, for yard availability.
  - b. Two launching ramps are available at the Thermalito Forebay
  - c. Dry storage is available at the Thermalito Forebay
8. **Scoring:** One race is required to constitute a regatta. When 6 races are completed a boat's series score will be the total of her races scored excluding her worst score. If fewer than 6 races are completed a boat's series score will be the total of her races. This changes RRS A2.
9. **Prizes:** Three trophies shall be awarded for each class. A perpetual trophy will be given to the interclub Vagabond 14 race.
10. **Decision to Race:** The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone. RRS 3 .
11. **Acknowledgement of Risk:** I agree to abide by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). I certify that I am fully capable of participating in this activity. Therefore, I assume and accept full responsibility for myself, including all minor children in my care, custody, and control, and all competitors on my boat, for bodily injury, death, damage or loss of personal property and expenses as a result of those inherent risks and dangers (see RRS3, Decision to Race) and those inherent risks and dangers not specifically identified, and as a result of my negligence in participating in this activity.
12. **Insurance:** All competitors shall maintain marine liability insurance throughout the regatta
13. **Photography:** I understand that Butte Sailing Club members and/or their associates will photograph boats sailing in the regatta, and that photos which include my boat may be used in future promotional materials.