# NOTICE OF RACE

## OPEN WEST COAST CHAMPIONSHIP

**November 7-8, 2026**

**Mission Bay Yacht Club**

**1215 El Carmel Place, San Diego, CA 92109**




**RULES:** This regatta shall be governed by rules as defined in the current *Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*, the ICSA Procedural Rules (PR), and the PCCSC Standing Rules.

**ORGANIZING AUTHORITY:** The Organizing Authority (OA) is the Pacific Coast Collegiate Sailing Conference in conjunction with the Mission Bay Yacht Club (MBYC).

**HOST TEAM:** San Diego State University Sailing Team (SDSU).

**FORMAT:** The West Coast Championship will be a 2-division rotational event sailed in provided CFJ's. One division will be on the water while one is on land.

**BOATS/SAILS:** Boats will be CFJ's and will provided by MBYC and sails will be provided by the UCSD sailing team.

**ROTATIONS:** Rotations are available at https://scores.collegesailing.org/f26/west-coast-championships/rotations. Boat rotations will take place on the MBYC Junior dock.

**ELIGIBILITY / ENTRY:** ICSA Member Schools in good standing are eligible to enter the regatta and may enter by emailing their conference scheduler and the ICSA interconference scheduler (intersectionals@collegesailing.org). Sailors must meet all ICSA eligibility requirements. The drop deadline for the regatta is October 6, 2026. If berths are still available, they will be allocated per ICSA intersectional rules.

**FEES:** There are no fees for this event.

**SCHEDULE:**

*Saturday, November 7, 2026*

| Time | Event | Location |
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| 0930 | Report Time | MBYC |
| 0945 | Competitor Meeting | MBYC |
| 1030 | First Warning Signal | |

*Sunday, November 8, 2026*

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| 1000 | Report Time |
| 1030 | First Warning Signal |
| 1500 | No Warning Signal after this time |

**VENUE:** The sailing venue will be Mission Bay in San Diego to the east of MBYC.

**DOCUMENTATION:** Record of Participation (RP) forms must be completed online at ts.collegesailing.org by 11:59pm on the last scheduled day of sailing.

**PROTESTS & APPEALS:** In accordance with rule 70.5(a), decisions of the protest committee are final. US SAILING's permission has been granted. If the requirements are not met, the decisions of the protest committee may be appealed.

**SAFETY:** Competitor are reminded that PR 13 regarding personal flotation devices (PFD's) and team uniforms shall apply.

**PROVIDED HOUSING FOR STUDENTS:** The UCSD and SDSU sailing teams will attempt to provide housing for students from out of conference teams on a first come-first serve basis. Each team must provide their own transportation to and from the venue. Email Brendan O'Connor at b2oconnor@ucsd.edu with requests.

**HOTELS:** There are several hotels near Mission Bay at reasonable rates.

**CAMPING:** Camping is available on Mission Bay at Campland on the Bay – https://campland.com.

**FACILITIES:**

- Parking - There is limited parking outside MBYC. Carpools are encouraged.
- Bathrooms - Bathrooms are located at the MBYC Junior Clubhouse.
- Seating - Picnic tables with umbrellas are available.
- Please refrain from entering the main clubhouse and surrounding seating area.
- No pets allowed.

**POST EVENT ACTIVITIES:** The PCCSC will host / sponsor a grill out at MBYC following racing on Saturday.

**EVENT WEBSITE:** https://scores.collegesailing.org/f26/west-coast-championships/

**CONTACT:**

Organizing Authority: Mission Bay Yacht Club & the Pacific Coast Collegiate Sailing Conference
Host School: San Diego State University – sailing.sdsu@gmail.com
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