

**38th
ANNUAL**

HARDWAY RACE

May 19-20, 2018

**Organizing Authorities: Pierpont Bay Yacht Club & Santa Barbara Sailing Club
1st Race of PBYC's Island Series & 2nd Race of SBYC's Wilson Series**

SANTA BARBARA TO VENTURA HARBOR

The Race will be governed by the *rules* as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing*.
The Hardway Course is designated US Safety Equipment Regulations (USSER) US Coastal level as modified: 2.4.4 coated lifelines OK, 3.6.1 - 3.6.3 USCG flares OK, 3.1.2 no crotch strap OK. The other courses are designated US Nearshore level for PHRF boats as modified: add USSER 2.4.1 - 2.4.7, 2.4.4 coated lifelines OK.

THE HARDWAY

(Around Santa Cruz Island, 67 nm)

PHRF membership required. Five entries required to form class. If less than 5 entries, boats will sail Coastwise Spinnaker. (Area random leg rating). **Wilson Series PHRF A class entrants must race this course.**

COASTWISE NON-SPINNAKER

(Around platform C, 24 nm)

A minimum of 2 crew, including skipper. PHRF membership required **in order to be eligible to win trophies.** (Area random leg rating).

MULTI-HULL

(Around Anacapa Island, 47 nm)

ORCA TCF ratings will be used. Safety equipment as specified by ORCA Bylaws Section 6.

COASTWISE SPINNAKER

(Around Anacapa Island, 47 nm)

PHRF membership required. (Area random leg rating). **Wilson Series PHRF B entrants must race this course.**

HARDWAY CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY

The places of the top three PHRF Spinnaker boats from each club will be totaled and the club with the lowest points will be awarded the Hardway Race Club Championship trophy.

HARDWAY RACE OVERALL WINNER TROPHY

A perpetual trophy will be awarded to the skipper of the boat with the lowest corrected time among all PHRF classes sailing the Hardway course.

HARDWAY RACE FIRST TO FINISH TROPHY

A perpetual trophy will be awarded to the first boat to finish the Hardway Race around Santa Cruz.

COASTWISE NON-SPINNAKER PERPETUAL TROPHY

A perpetual trophy will be awarded to the skipper of the boat with the lowest corrected time among all boats sailing the Coastwise Non-Spinnaker course.

COASTWISE SPINNAKER PERPETUAL TROPHY

A perpetual trophy will be awarded to the skipper of the boat with the lowest corrected time among all boats sailing the Coastwise Spinnaker course.

Friday, May 18th

1700-2000: Registration @ SBSC

Saturday, May 19th

0930: Skippers Meeting @ SBSC

1055: 1st Warning

Sunday, May 20th

0900: Awards Ceremony @ PBYC



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Entry Fee \$60
(\$5 US Sailing Discount)
NOTICE OF RACE