



Just 4 Fun Regatta  
October 4 and October 25, 2009  
**NOTICE OF RACE**  
San Diego Bay

**NOTICE:** A gang of sailing friends are creating a “Just 4 Fun” series of ‘fun sailing regattas’, formerly known as ‘races’. These events are targeted to those boat owners and families to go “racing” with other families and friends where the focus is on providing a low key, enjoyable event for everyone... especially so for those who are young, just learning or need a break from the usual ‘grind’.

**Most importantly there are no entry fees, ratings or scores!  
Prizes for the boats and kids are awarded by raffle!**

**1. Rules**

- a. The “FUN Sailing Rules” will apply. The Fun Sailing Rules are:
  - i. It must be fun.
  - ii. Don’t hit anything or anyone.
  - iii. No yelling! Only pleasantries or constructive verbal exchanges
  - iv. Engines and spinnakers are OK but only if you are not in compliance with Rule “i” above.
  - v. Promote sailing. Bring your friends, kids, co-workers or strangers off the dock.
- b. When Vessels Meet: A vessel has right of way when another vessel is required to keep clear of her. The four basic relaxed rules of sailing are as follows:
  - i. On Opposite tacks or Gybes – *When vessels are on opposite tacks or gybes, a vessel on a port tack or port gybe shall keep clear of a starboard gybe vessel.*
  - ii. On The Same Tack while overlapped - *When vessels are on the same tack or gybe and overlapped, a vessel to windward shall keep clear of a vessel to leeward.*
  - iii. On The Tack or Gybe, Not Overlapped - *When vessels are on the same tack or gybe and not overlapped, the vessel clear astern shall keep clear of the vessel clear ahead.*
  - iv. When Rounding or Passing a Mark –
    - a. *When vessels are about to pass or round a mark of the course, the outside vessel shall give the inside vessel room to round the mark. This includes room to tack or gybe if that is an integral part of the rounding maneuver.*
    - b. *If the outside vessel cannot give room because of vessels outside of her, the inside vessel is not required to round the mark and may simply proceed to the next mark.*

**2. Schedule:**

**“JUST 4 FUN” FALL SERIES:**  
**October 4, 2009 – Hat Day Race**  
**October 25, 2009 – Halloween Race**

**3. Registration:**

Open to any sailboat. *Registration is required to add your name to the raffle hat and to get the pre-race Sailing Instructions and Course Chart. If you can’t register online, call us at 619-758-6309 and we’ll take your ‘registration’ over the phone.*



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**4. Fall Series Start:**

1300: "Not as fast as the fast boats"; any monohull boat up to 30'

1310: "Fast boats"; monohulls greater than 30' to 45' and multi-hulls up to 21'.

1320: "Faster than Fast boats" monohulls greater than 45' and multi-hulls greater than 21'.

**5. Course:**

To Be Announced ... subject to wind conditions.

Basically a 6-8 mile course that will take 1 ½ hours. Starts will be either in La Playa basin or in vicinity of SD 17, course will go out the channel, then back down to the city front and return to finish at SD 17 or La Playa.

Engines and spinnakers are OK, but not required.

**6. Future Event 'Themes':**

Novice Day - Bring someone who has never sailed before.

Hat Day - Entire crew needs wear a creative hat of some sort.

Hawaii Night – Appropriate Hawaiian attire

**7. Post Race Party:**

Pot luck food in the SDYC pavilion

Prizes awarded by boat name drawing (per registration)

Kid's prizes (15 and under)

**8. Contact Info:**

SDYC Sailing Office p) 619-758-6310

e) [sailing@sdyc.org](mailto:sailing@sdyc.org) w) [www.sdyc.org/raceinfo](http://www.sdyc.org/raceinfo)



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**REGISTRATION FORM**

OWNER (S) \_\_\_\_\_ YACHT CLUB \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/ST/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

BEST PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

BOAT NAME \_\_\_\_\_ BOAT TYPE \_\_\_\_\_

LOA \_\_\_\_\_ SAIL # \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF KIDS ABOARD (UNDER AGE 15) \_\_\_\_\_

We will be sailing on \_\_\_\_\_ October 4<sup>th</sup>, and \ or \_\_\_\_\_ October 25<sup>th</sup> (please X the box)!

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