



# Jessica Uniack Memorial Beach to Bay Race

Long Beach Yacht Club  
July 26, 2024

## NOTICE OF RACE

The Organizing Authority will be the Long Beach Yacht Club (LBYC). LBYC is located at 6201 Appian Way, Long Beach CA 90803. Phone number is (562) 598-9401. Club and Event information are available at [www.lbyc.org](http://www.lbyc.org).

### 1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the RRS, this Notice of Race (NoR) and the Sailing Instructions (SI).
- 1.2 USCG-approved PFDs shall be worn at all times by competitors while on the water, other than brief periods while adding or removing clothing. The 'Y' flag will not be flown. This changes RRS 40 and the preamble to Part 4.
- 1.3 US Sailing Prescription 63.2 is deleted.

### 2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be posted to the Official Notice Board (ONB), located online at [www.lbyc.org](http://www.lbyc.org), prior to the competitors' briefing. Printed course charts will be available at check-in on Thursday morning.

### 3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 The online official notice board is located at: [2024 Jessica Uniack Memorial Beach to Bay Race](#).
- 3.2 As a courtesy, notices may also be posted on the physical notice board located on the north-facing window of the Regatta Room at Long Beach Yacht Club.
- 3.3 [DP] While racing, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.
- 3.4 Oral changes to the SI per RRS 90.2 (c) may be made on the water by the RC by raising the Lima Flag and making announcements via loudhailer.

### 4 ELIGIBILITY and ENTRY

- 4.1 The regatta is open to all sailors under the age of 18 on the scheduled date of the event.
- 4.2 Eligible boats may enter by submitting a completed entry form and paying the entry fee online.
- 4.3 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements, pay all fees, and check in at the registration desk by the specified time.

### 5 FEES

- 5.1 Entry fee payments shall be made in USD by credit card.

Registration Type	Before 1700 on July 19	After 1700 on July 19
Single-handed	\$40	\$50
Double-handed	\$80	\$100

- 5.2 If an entry is cancelled by the competitor, or if the regatta is cancelled for reasons outside the control of the organizing authority, the entry fee will be refunded as follows:

Cancellation Date	Refund Percentage
On or before July 12	100%*
Between July 13 and July 19	50%*
After July 19	0%

\*less credit card processing fees

## **6 SCHEDULE (PROVISIONAL)**

### **6.1 Schedule**

- (a) Late registration / check-in desk opens on Alamitos Beach at 8:00am Friday, July 26
- (b) Registration desk closes at 9:00am Friday, July 26
- (c) Competitors' briefing at 9:15am on Alamitos Beach
- (d) Coaches/spectator briefing immediately after the competitors' briefing
- (e) First warning will be 10:00am
- (f) Pool Deck opens at 12:00pm
- (g) The Prize Giving will be held approximately one (1) hour after the last boat finishes

### **6.2 Unless excused by the OA, attendance at the following is mandatory:**

- (a) Check-in for skippers
- (b) Initial briefing for all competitors

## **7 VENUE**

The venue will be the vicinity of the Long Beach Outer Harbor and Alamitos Bay.

## **8 COURSE**

The course diagram will be posted to the ONB and hard copies will be distributed to all competitors at check-in. The course is a 5 nautical mile race starting from the west end of Alamitos Beach near Island Grissom. Competitors race along the beach, pass the Belmont Veterans Memorial Pier and enter the Alamitos Bay Jetty, finishing in front of Long Beach Yacht Club.

## **9 SCORING**

The regatta will be scored in accordance with RRS Appendix A.

## **10 SUPPORT PERSONS**

- 10.1 Support person vessels shall display identification of the club/team they represent.
- 10.2 Support person vessels must be equipped with a VHF radio and be prepared to monitor the VHF channel designated in the sailing instructions.
- 10.3 If called upon, support person vessels are required to act as rescue boats.
- 10.4 Any interference by a support person with a competitor or race official may result in a penalty applied at the discretion of the PC to the associated skipper or team.

## **11 BERTHING**

- 11.1 The OA may provide limited berthing for competitors and support vessels during the event, subject to availability.
- 11.2 To request berthing, please contact the Waterfront Office prior to the event at [waterfront@lbyc.org](mailto:waterfront@lbyc.org).

## **12 ASSUMPTION OF RISK; WAIVER AND RELEASE**

All participants in this event, including but not limited to skippers, crew and support personnel, must review and sign and return to the LBYC Race Office, a copy of the Long Beach Yacht Club [Regatta Waiver and Release of Liability](#), available at the LBYC Race Office, or online at the time of entry, or on the Official Notice Board.

## **13 DEPICTION RELEASE**

Participants, by entering in this event, grant to the Long Beach Yacht Club perpetually and irrevocably, the unconditional and exclusive right, title and interest throughout the world to use, simulate and portray Participant's name, likeness, voice, personality, personal identification and personal experiences, incidents, situations and events, whether visual and/or audio, including without limitation photographs, videotape, film and other recordings, electronic or optical-based media, or any other form or medium whatsoever, whether now or hereafter existing, and of every kind and character (collectively "The Images"), which may be taken or taken of Participant while participating in any aspect of the event.

## **14 PRIZES**

- 14.1 The principal prize will be the Jessica Uniack Perpetual Trophy, which will be awarded to the winner of the largest fleet. Prizes will be awarded to the top finishers in each fleet based on the number of competitors.

14.2 The OA may reduce or eliminate a prize in the case of misconduct, refusal to comply with any reasonable request, including attendance at the official functions.

**15 MEALS**

Each paid regatta registrant will receive a wristband for entry to the pool party and one meal ticket redeemable after racing. Additional tickets available for purchase at registration and/or on-site the day of the event.

**16 FURTHER INFORMATION**

<b>Race Office</b>	Cameron MacLaren	<a href="mailto:raceoffice@lbyc.org">raceoffice@lbyc.org</a>	(562) 294-5161
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