



Santa Barbara Yacht Club
is pleased to invite you to compete for the
Sir Thomas Lipton Trophy Regatta
August 3 & 4, 2019



Bring your family to beautiful Santa Barbara.

While you're enjoying the spectacular sailing on the waters of the "American Riviera", your family can visit some of Santa Barbara's attractions and shopping. In the evenings, enjoy one of Santa Barbara's renowned restaurants.

Star boats and only Star boats!

This is a single class regatta. It will have one line, one fleet, and great races. No waiting around between races and no courses set up for another fleet.

Is your name on this trophy?

Join the likes of Lowell North, Tom Blackaller, Dennis Conner, Vince Brun, Eric Doyle, George Szabo, Paul Cayard & Mark Reynolds and get your name on a trophy of unparalleled beauty and tradition when you win this regatta.

No hassles, no worries.

Show up Friday night or show up Saturday morning; it doesn't matter. Easy set-up in the SBYC parking lot. To register, simply visit <https://sbyc.org/lipton-star-regatta> and click the 'online entry' link. Sailors looking for housing on boats in the harbor should indicate this on the entry form and contact the Regatta Chair for assignments (contact information below).

SBYC looks forward to seeing you again this year!

NOTICE OF RACE

SANTA BARBARA YACHT CLUB

SIR THOMAS LIPTON TROPHY

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1. Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*.
- 1.2 ISCYRA rule 34.3.7, Format C, is changed to allow the minimum distance of a leg to be less than one nautical mile.
- 1.3 The last sentence of ISCYRA rule 34.3.7, Format C, is changed to "No more than 4 races per day".
- 1.4 Rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by a One-Turn penalty per ISCYRA rule 35.5.
- 1.5 RRS 63.7 is replaced with "If there is a conflict between a rule in the sailing instructions and one in the Notice of Race, the sailing instructions shall apply".

2. Entry & Eligibility

- 2.1 Boats eligible in accordance with the rules of the International Star Class may be entered by registering with Santa Barbara Yacht Club prior to 1045 on Saturday, August 3, 2019.
- 2.2 Online registration will be available at: <https://www.sbyc.org/2018-star-lipton>.
- 2.3 Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the Organizing Authority.

3. Fees

Class	Entry Fee on or before 7/31/19	Entry Fee after 7/31/19
Star	\$65	\$90

4. Schedule of Events

Time	Event	Location
<i>Thursday, August 1</i>		
0900	SBYC parking lot open for competitor boats	SBYC Parking Lot
<i>Friday, August 2 - Check-in & Weigh-in</i>		
1630-1830	Check-in and Race Packet Pickup	SBYC Front Desk
1700-1830	Complimentary hors d'oeuvres & no host bar	SBYC Upstairs
1800	No host dinner (reservations required)	SBYC Dining Room
<i>Saturday, August 3 - Racing Day 1</i>		
1000-1100	Check-in and Race Packet Pickup	SBYC Front Desk
1100	Competitor's Briefing	SBYC Upstairs
1300	Warning Signal first race	
After Racing	Complimentary drinks and hors d'oeuvres	SBYC Upper Deck
<i>Sunday, August 4 - Racing Day 2</i>		
1300	Warning Signal for first race	
1530	No warning signal for any race after this time	
After Racing	Awards & complimentary pasta buffet	SBYC Upper Deck

- 4.2 Number of Races: Seven races are scheduled with no more than four races to be sailed on any one day. This changes ISCYRA rule 34.3.7, Format C.
5. **Sailing Instructions**
Sailing Instructions will be available on the event website approximately one week before the event. Copies will also be available at registration.
6. **Venue**
Racing will be held in Santa Barbara Channel, within 2 miles of the entrance to the Santa Barbara Harbor.
7. **Courses**
The course(s) to be sailed will be windward-leeward, and variations thereof, as described in the Sailing Instructions.
8. **Mooring**
Boats may be hauled daily and stored at SBYC. Dock space will be available for those who prefer to remain afloat and raft.
9. **Scoring**
- 9.1 The low-point scoring system of Appendix A will apply. This is changed so that each boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding the worst score if more than five (5) races are completed.
- 9.2 Two races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
10. **Prizes**
Prizes will be awarded to the top boats overall (skippers & crew). The winning skipper and crew will have their names engraved on the Santa Barbara Yacht Club's Sir Thomas Lipton Perpetual Trophy to remain on display at the Santa Barbara Yacht Club.
11. **Disclaimer of Liability**
Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.
12. **Further Information**
For further information, please contact:
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