



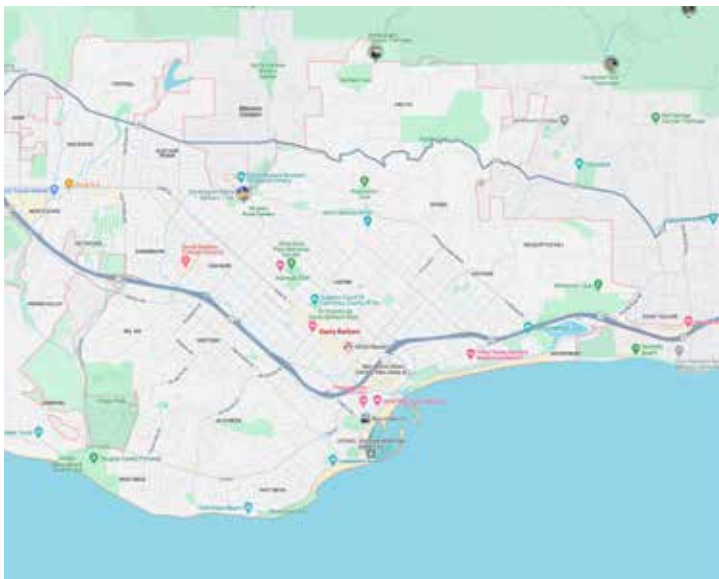
2024

US NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP  
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## HOW TO DO MELGES 24 NATIONALS – SANTA BARBARA STYLE! LOGISTICS, ACCOMMODATIONS INFO AND MORE



It is time to start making your team's housing arrangements for the 2024 US National Championship in Santa Barbara, CA. Santa Barbara is a very popular coastal vacation destination known throughout the world which makes it very important to make your arrangements ahead of time. We have partnered with a few hotels and we do have vacation housing options available through VRBO and AirBNB. The Santa Barbara Yacht Club members have opened their houses and boats and we do have about 30 beds available for visiting sailors. If you would like to enquire about being hosted email [communications@sbyc.org](mailto:communications@sbyc.org).



### HOUSING RENTALS

If you are considering a house. The East Mesa and East beach areas are in close proximity to the Santa Barbara Yacht Club and local grocery stores. Biking distance to the Club!!

### HOTEL SPECIALS

We have a group rate for the event through the Courtyard Marriott in downtown Santa Barbara. Book your rooms at this link:

<https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1712080414923&key=GRP&app=resvlink>

### WATCH THE RACING ACTION

Santa Barbara Yacht Club will be providing spectator boats to come out and watch the racing action. If you would like to sign your friends or family up to come out on the water email us ([gfargo@containeralliance.com](mailto:gfargo@containeralliance.com)) to reserve your places and get more information.



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### RESTAURANTS

**The Lark** - Innovative, seasonal New American cuisine in a stylish, rustic-chic setting.

**Los Agaves** - Authentic Mexican dishes with a modern twist, known for their flavorful tacos and margaritas.

**Brophy Bros.** - Seafood restaurant with waterfront views, famous for their clam chowder and fresh catches.

**La Super-Rica Taqueria** - Casual Mexican eatery renowned for its handmade tortillas and delicious tacos.

**The Lucky Penny** - Trendy spot offering wood-fired pizzas and craft cocktails in a hip atmosphere.

**Santa Barbara Shellfish Company** - Casual spot for seafood lovers, offering fresh catches and scenic ocean views.

**The Palace Grill** - Lively Cajun restaurant featuring dishes like gumbo, jambalaya, and blackened fish.

### FOR SANDWICHES AND ON THE WATER SNACKS:

**Lazy Acres** - Grocery store with great sandwiches on the “Mesa”

**On the Alley** - Sandwiches, burgers and wraps located in the Santa Barbara harbor

**Tino's Italian Grocery** - Perfect for sandwich pickups and online ordering



### THINGS TO DO AROUND TOWN

**Santa Barbara Zoo** - Home to over 500 animals, including giraffes, lions, and elephants, with beautiful views of the Pacific Ocean.

**Stearns Wharf** - Historic pier offering shops, restaurants, and beautiful views of the harbor and coastline.

**Santa Barbara Botanic Garden** - Tranquil garden featuring native plants, winding trails, and scenic vistas.

**Santa Barbara Museum of Art** - Cultural institution showcasing a diverse collection of art, from classical to contemporary.

**Santa Barbara Maritime Museum** - Learn about the region's maritime history through exhibits, artifacts, and interactive displays.

**Lotusland** - Spectacular botanical garden featuring rare and exotic plants, sculptures, and themed gardens.

**Santa Barbara County Courthouse** - Architectural gem with stunning Spanish-Moorish design, offering free tours and panoramic views from the clock tower.

**Santa Barbara Historical Museum** - Explore the history of Santa Barbara through exhibits, artifacts, and multimedia presentations.

**Santa Barbara Trolley Tour** - Hop-on, hop-off tour of the city's landmarks, including the Mission, State Street, and the Funk Zone.

**Santa Barbara Harbor Kayak Tour** - Paddle along the coastline, spotting marine life and enjoying views of the Santa Ynez Mountains



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### WINERIES AND BREWERIES

**Figueroa Mountain Brewing Co.** - Local brewery with a variety of craft beers on tap, including IPAs, lagers, and stouts.

**Topa Topa Brewing Co.** - Hip brewery with a laid-back atmosphere, known for their West Coast-style ales and seasonal releases.

**Third Window Brewing** - Cozy brewery in the Funk Zone offering a rotating selection of small-batch beers and artisanal snacks.

**Telegraph Brewing Co.** - Innovative brewery specializing in Belgian-inspired ales and sour beers, with a spacious tasting room.

**M. Special Brewing Company** - Family-owned brewery with a lively taproom, known for their creative brews and friendly atmosphere.

**Brass Bear Brewing & Bistro** - Up-and-coming brewery and restaurant in downtown Santa Barbara, offering a unique selection of house-made beers and elevated pub fare.

### WINE TASTING IN SANTA BARBARA

**Santa Barbara Urban Wine Trail** - Explore tasting rooms in downtown Santa Barbara, showcasing wines from local vineyards.

**Deep Sea Wine Tasting Room** - Situated on Stearns Wharf, this tasting room offers panoramic ocean views and a selection of wines from the Central Coast, including Deep Sea Wines crafted by Conway Family Wines.

**Au Bon Climat** - This renowned winery specializes in Chardonnay and Pinot Noir, offering tastings of their exceptional wines in a cozy and inviting setting in downtown Santa Barbara.

**Grassini Family Vineyards** - Experience the charm of Santa Barbara's wine country at this tasting room located in downtown Santa Barbara, where you can sample their acclaimed Bordeaux varietals in a picturesque courtyard setting.

**Margerum Wine Company** - Located in the heart of downtown Santa Barbara, this tasting room showcases a selection of wines crafted by winemaker Doug Margerum, known for their quality and elegance.

### BIKE RENTALS

Most hotels and VRBOs are within walking or biking distance to the Santa Barbara Yacht Club.

You can reserve rental bikes for your team here: <https://www.calcoastadventures.com/bike-rentals/>

