



2017 El Toro Junior and Senior North American Championships

August 2-5, 2017

Richmond, California

Organizing Authority: Richmond Yacht Club



Welcome Letter

Welcome ETIYRA sailors and families to the 2017 El Toro Junior and Senior North American Championships at Richmond Yacht Club! We are particularly happy to have a full complement of Junior and Senior sailors from Hawaii joining us.

We look forward to seeing you all. Registration will be online at Regatta Network starting on or about June 21, 2017. Here's the registration link: <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/14936>. The Notice of Race will be published on the ETIYRA and Richmond Yacht Club websites at the same time: <http://www.eltoroyra.org/regattas.htm> and <http://www.richmondyc.org/Page/13823~810808/RYC-Racing-Events-Schedule-2017>. Please refer to the NOR for entry fees, the event schedule, and race details.

Interested junior sailors will be able to request slots to crew on keel boats racing in Richmond Yacht Club's beer can race on Wednesday evening, Aug. 2. And local and visiting sailors and their families can partake in dinners at the Club on Aug. 2 and Friday, Aug. 4, in addition to the Awards Dinner on Saturday, Aug. 5.

We expect to have plenty of wind. All competitors should be experienced El Toro sailors.

We have several Richmond Yacht Club members who would be happy to host visiting junior sailors and their families or chaperones during the regatta week. Please let us know if you would like to connect with a host. For anyone who would like commercial accommodations, the motel nearest to RYC is Marina Bay Inn & Suites Richmond (510.237.3000), and the nearest hotel (quaint and old-style) is the Hotel Mac (<http://www.thehotelmac.com/>).

We look forward to seeing you in August!

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