

59th Annual Bullship Race

EL AÑO QUINCUAGÉSIMO-NOVENO GRAN CONCURSO BARCO-TORO

Freely Translated: the FIFTY-NINTH Bullship Race



2012 Race Instructions

Date Saturday, April 14, 2012 ↓↓
Time Warning 8:50 a.m. PDT
Preparatory 8:55 a.m. PDT
Start 9:00 a.m. PDT

A.B.R.A.
FUNDADORES - 1953
Sr. Pedro Newell
Sr. Carlos O'Gara
Sr. Liño Pera

OFICIALES - 2012

Gran Almirante de la Regata
JUAN AMÉN

Almirantes de los Barco-Toros
FRAN DEFAYMOREAU
ARNOLDO QUAN
RUTH SUZUKI

Almirante de las Barca-Vacas
JUAN FRASERO

Vicealmirantes y Vigilantes de los Vientos
VICKIE GILMOUR
GREGORIO MORRELL
GORDITO NASH

Jefa de Boom Boom
FRAN DEFAYMOREAU

Tesorero
ARNOLDO QUAN

Registrador
PAULO FLOWERMAN

Propagandista
TONI RICARDO-HIJO

Maestro de Toro Mercado
GARIO HARTSOCK

Presentadores de los Trofeos
PAT Y GARIO

Indicador de las Resultas
GARIO HARTSOCK

Inspectoras de los Aparatos
MARGARITA DARNALL
GARIO HARTSOCK

Inspectoras de los Cafe Creditos
MARGARITA DARNALL
VICKY HARTSOCK
TONI RICARDO-HIJO

Estadista Jubilado
DUNCAN CARTER
Registrador 21 Años

OFICIALES EMERITOS
Sr. Carlos Ackerman
Sr. W. Scott Cauchois
Sr. Bernabe Conrad
Sr. Gario Gates
Sr. Douglas Johnson
Sr. Carlos Keiser
Sra. Norma Keiser
Sr. Carlos Merrill
Sr. Jorge Martin
Sr. Emmeto Murphy
Sra. Maria Gracia Selbacho
Srta. Tempest Storm
Sr. Rogero E. Towne

- Start** Starting line will be located in the vicinity of the Horizons Restaurant dock in Sausalito. An International Orange flag on the dock will mark the onshore end of the line. The Race Committee flag on the committee boat will mark the offshore end of the line. ADDITIONAL detailed starting instructions may be provided when your application is accepted.
- Course** From the starting line in Sausalito, proceed toward San Francisco, leaving Alcatraz to port and the Golden Gate Bridge to starboard.
- Finish** Between two markers, one an International Orange flag placed onshore at the end of the St. Francis Yacht Harbor breakwater, and the other an orange tetrahedron float marked "Bullship Race" in the water easterly from the end of the breakwater. The float is to be left to port. The SPECIAL BULLSHIP RACE RULES AND INSTRUCTIONS printed on the reverse side of this page (and any additional starting instructions) MUST BE OBSERVED. Otherwise, current USSA racing rules apply.
- Cowships** Toro Skippers are responsible for engaging friends and family members with seafaring and skipper-saving boats and crew.
- Los Viejos** To ensure your safe passage, those 70 years and older are encouraged to have dedicated cowships.
- Prizes** Sweatshirts to the top 1/3rd of finishers . . .
- Lino Pera El Matador Perpetual BS Race Trophy for the 1st boat to finish . . .
 - Monterey Peninsula Herald Professor Toro Perpetual Sirena Award for the 1st woman to finish . . .
 - Joaquin Koepler Memorial Perpetual for 2nd overall to finish . . .
 - Jorge Gutekunst's Ondine Perpetual for the 1st Maiden Voyager to finish . . .
 - El Viejo for the oldest skipper to finish. . . .
 - and many more dispensed in the BS tradition.

CURRENT INFORMATION APRIL 14, 2012

Slack 0830
Max Ebb 1150 3.4
Slack 1548

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VENCEDORES		SPECIAL BULLSHIP RACE RULES AND INSTRUCTIONS 2012	
1954	Liño Pera		1
1955	Pedro Newell		
1956	Russ Humphrey		
1957	Danilo Herb		2
1958	Russ Humphrey		
1959	Danilo Herb	(2)	3
1960	Lynne Murphy		
1961	Jaime DeWitt	(3)	4
1962	Danilo Herb		
1963	Ricardo Jacobson		
1964	Roberto Jacobs	(4)	5
1965	Danilo Herb		
1966	Milton Morrison		
1967	Don Yost		
1968	Austin Gibbon	(2)	
1969	Enrique Jotz	(3)	
1970	Enrique Jotz	(4)	
1971	Enrique Jotz	(2)	
1972	Nancy Farnum	(3)	6
1973	Enrique Jotz	(4)	
1974	Nancy Farnum	(2)	7
1975	Donald Hebard		
1976	Jaime Warfield		
1977	Ronald Romaine		8
1978	Dennis Silva		
1979	Howardo Robinson		
1980	Jaime Warfield	(2)	9
1981	Enrique Jotz	(5)	10
1982	Enrique Jotz	(6)	
1983	Enrique Jotz	(7)	
1984	Aad Rommelse		11
1985	Ningun Toro		
1986	Ningun Toro	(2)	
1987	Dennis Silva	(2)	
1988	Dennis Silva	(3)	12
1989	Vickie Gilmour		
1990	Russell Shroff		
1991	Jaime Warfield	(3)	13
1992	Walt Andrews		
1993	Arnie Quan		14
1994	Mark Darley		
1995	Ningun Toro	(3)	
1996	Ningun Toro	(4)	15
1997	Jaime Warfield	(4)	
1998	Jaime DeWitt	(2)	
1999	Vaughn Seifers		
2000	Walt Andrews	(2)	
2001	Walt Andrews	(3)	16
2002	Gordon Nash Jr.		
2003	Rufas Sjoberg		
2004	John Amen		
2005	Kit Stykett		
2006	Chris Straub		
2007	Will Paxton		
2008	Art Lange		
2009	Skip Shapiro		
2010	Max Fraser		
2011	John Liebenberg		
2012	You!		

COWSHIPS Restricted Area: All Cowships kindly remain away from the immediate vicinity of the Starting Line and clear of the Finish Line.

TORO launching is available at the SYC dock. After rigging, **DO NOT REMAIN TIED UP AT THE DOCK.**

FINISH LINE CAUTION: All TORO skippers are warned to respect the tidal surges and submerged rocks in the vicinity of the onshore end of the Finish Line.

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Bullship Race 2012 Toro Entry

THIS SIDE IS FOR **TORO** SKIPPERS ONLY! (SEE OTHER SIDE FOR COWSHIP ENTRY)

FILL IN ALL SPACES - PLEASE PRINT

I certify the following to be true and correct:

Name _____ Age _____ Phone () ____ - _____
Address _____ City _____ St _____ ZIP _____
Sail No. (No Changes after 4/12/12) _____ Yacht Club _____
Maiden Voyager Yes/No Number of Bullships You Have Sailed _____
Wood Hull Yes/No My Cowship is _____
Clydesdale (>199lbs) Yes/No My Cowship Skipper is _____

I enclose my \$25.00 entry fee and apply to compete in the TORO racing fleet which is limited to the first 100 entries. I understand that the Comite de la Regata may reject my application for any formal defect, failure to supply a return envelope, or any other reason. I have read all race instructions. I assume the risk of all hazards of the Race if my application is accepted and I compete in the 59th Annual BULLSHIP Race on Saturday, April 14, 2012 or any postponement thereof. I agree that if my entry is accepted I shall hold the Annual BULLSHIP Race Association (ABRA) harmless for any injury, damage, or loss incurred by my entry into this maritime event and related festivities, releasing and waiving any and all claims that might arise from my participation. Further I agree that I am solely responsible for my decision to start and to continue in the Race.

- Skippers 70+ years are expected to arrange a dedicated Cowship for themselves .

Date _____ Signature of Applicant _____

BY AGREEMENT WITH THE U.S. COAST GUARD THIS EVENT IS LIMITED TO 100 RACING PARTICIPANTS! Only the first 100 proper entries will be considered for competition in the 2012 **BULLSHIP** Race. If your entry is accepted you will receive by mail your **2012 BULLSHIP** patch, which will constitute notice of your acceptance as a member of the 2012 **TORO** Racing Fleet. **YOU MUST PROVIDE A SELF-ADDRESSED, 45-CENT STAMPED ENVELOPE WITH THIS ENTRY FORM.** If for any reason your application is rejected, your check will be returned in the reply envelope.

Note: We encourage individual skippers to secure a cowship and indicate the cowship on the skipper entry. If this is impossible (and we mean impossible not just difficult!), the registrar will allocate available cowship slots in the order in which he received entries. Allocation occurs Thursday before the race.

Deadlines: April 7th Receipt of your request to cancel your entry and obtain a refund.
April 12th Receipt of your entry form.

Please return this entire **TORO** ENTRY FORM COMPLETE with ALL INFORMATION and your SIGNATURE (with check for **\$25** payable to "ARNIE QUAN-ABRA") for your entry fee, **and a self-addressed, 45-cent stamped envelope** to:

Sr. Paul Flowerman, ABRA Registrador
P. O. Box 538
Forest Knolls, CA 94933
Phone (415) 488-0244 E-mail: bullship_registrar@yahoo.com

ATTENTION MAIDEN VOYAGERS! Include with your application a brief summary of your qualifications to enter the **BULLSHIP** Race. State how many years you have sailed in the El Toro class . . . when you last sailed in a regatta under USSA rules . . . your ocean or S.F. Bay sailing experience . . . your ability to swim . . . and the name and phone number of a person familiar with the **BULLSHIP** Race who knows your El Toro sailing skills.

PHOTO COPIES OF THIS FORM ARE ACCEPTABLE

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BULLSHIP RACE 2012 COWSHIP ENTRY

THIS SIDE IS FOR COWSHIP SKIPPERS ONLY! (SEE OTHER SIDE FOR TORO ENTRY)

FILL IN ALL SPACES - PLEASE PRINT

Name _____ Phone _____
_____ Email _____
Address _____ City _____ St _____ ZIP _____
Cowship Name _____ Length _____
() Sailboat Sail no: _____ Class _____
() Powerboat HP _____ Make _____
Radio Call Sign _____ Yacht Club _____

I hereby apply to be a **COWSHIP** for the 59th Annual **BULLSHIP** Race. I understand each El Toro must be assigned to a COWSHIP in order to enter the regatta, and not more than 3 El Toro skippers may be assigned to the same COWSHIP. I assume the risk of all hazards of the Race to be held on April 14, 2012 or any postponement thereof. I shall hold the Annual **BULLSHIP** Race Association (ABRA) harmless for any injury, damage, or loss incurred by my entry into this maritime event and related festivities, releasing and waiving any and all claims that might arise from my participation.

DATE _____ **COWSHIP** SKIPPER SIGNATURE _____

Please circle and complete PART A or B below:

- A. I intend to be a general escort **COWSHIP** for all El Toros without obligation to escort any individual member of the El Toro Fleet listed below by me, or by ABRA. However, I agree to be named a COWSHIP for up to 3 El Toro skippers.
- B. I have listed the sail numbers and skippers' names for 1*-3 members of the El Toro Fleet below and ABRA may fill in any blanks: without consulting me after consulting me.

	El Toro 1	El Toro 2	El Toro 3
El Toro Sail Number			
Skipper's Name			

* If your skipper is 70+ years of age, you are expected to be a dedicated Cowship for that Bullshipper

Please return this entire **COWSHIP** ENTRY FORM COMPLETE WITH ALL INFORMATION and your SIGNATURE by April, 12th 2012 to:

Sr. Paul Flowerman, ABRA Registrador
P. O. Box 538
Forest Knolls, CA 94933
Phone (415) 488-0244 E-mail: bullship_registrar@yahoo.com

COWSHIPS will be using VHF Channel 72 as their main communications channel