

Bull Session

News and comment for the El Toro Class

July#424

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PICYA has invited the El Toro Class to race next Sunday. July 15th. This is a race series is raced between yacht clubs. So, one from each club. I will not be able to represent Richmond YC. Buzz will be out in the Pacific Ocean racing his big boat with Skip.

The following is the information:

Pacific Inter-Club Yacht Association

ANNOUNCEMENT OF YOUTH REGATTA

OPTIMISTS (Div. A & B)

Division A - Ages up to 10
Two entries per PICYA club

Division B - Ages up to 13
Two entries per PICYA club

LASER 4.7s (Div. C)

Division C - Ages up to 16
Two entries per PICYA club

FLYING Js (Div. D)

Division D – Grades 8-12

Two entries per PICYA club if one entry is all female crew.

Dave Diola Memorial Trophy awarded to first crew to finish.

Jan Horne Memorial Trophy awarded to first all female crew to finish.

Hosted Sequoia Yacht Club

July 28, 2012

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF CHISPA REGATTA

EL TOROs

All sailors welcome – no age restrictions
One entry per PICYA Club

*The Youth and CHISPA Regattas Final Registration and Skippers meeting shall be at Sequoia Yacht Club following the \$5.00, 0800-1000 Breakfast on the day of the event. The racing begins approximately at 1200 and no races shall start after 1600. A Lunch provided by the **PICYA** shall be delivered to all on the water participants by boat. After the full day of Racing there shall be prizes and an awards presentation at the Sequoia Yacht Club.*

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2012 El Toro North American Championship Series

Fred has been to the lake to set things up. The reports of problems with the authorities has been blown out of proportions. The Lake is open for sailing. The racing fleet of El Toro's will be able to be stored on the beach overnight during the series. There are anchored boats on the lake for overnight. So be ready for a good time. Fred has not been able to arrange a dinner for Friday or Saturday evening. We may need to have the dinners as 'put-lucks' so bring food. If this changes we will know. The entry fee for the series will be lowered if a dinner can not be provided.

Racing will be held on Pinecrest Lake,,,August 3-4-5. We need to help Fred all we can. Pinecrest is a very tricky lake to race on,,,no lead is "to big" to be safe when you are out-in-front-of-the-fleet!!!

With Fred making decisions be ready for the start to be on time, the line to be square and the course to be interesting!

2012

Senior Nationals	August, 3-4-5	Pinecrest Lake
El Toro Worlds	August 6-7	Pinecrest Lake
Fremont Sailing Club	August 12	Lake Elizabeth
Richmond Stampede,	October 7	RYC
Cork Screw	October 20	Redwood City

2012 NORCAL “TORO MASTER” SERIES

April 14th * Bullship * Sausalito

May 6th * Fremont Series * Fremont Sailing Club

May 12th * Flight of the Bulls * Foster City

June 16th -17th * Clear Lake Regional Championship * Clear Lake

June 23rd * Mayor's Cup * Lake Merritt Sailing Club (date change)

August 3rd-4th-5th * National Championship * Pinecrest

August 6th - 7th * El Toro Worlds * Pinecrest

September 15th * Totally Dinghy * Richmond Yacht Club (Saturday results only)

October 7th * El Toro Stampede * Richmond Yacht Club (Stampede results only)

October 20th * Corkscrew Slough * Sequoia Yacht Club

Three throw outs: Final result of each regatta to count