

# THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA YACHTING ASSOCIATION AND



## U.S. SAILING PRESENT: THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 2009 BASIC RACE MANAGEMENT SEMINAR SERIES

These seminars are sponsored by the US SAILING Race Management Committee and the Southern California Yachting Association. They are designed for people who have some race committee experience, but newcomers are also welcome. They will be hosted by the Clubs listed below on the dates shown. The material this year is in an *all new format* and reflects the changes to the *racing rules for 2009-2012*. These Basic Seminars meet the seminar and testing requirements for US Sailing Club Race Officer.

The topics covered include: RC objectives, RC responsibilities, sailing instructions, RC jobs, RC equipment, setting the course, starting system, starting penalties, before the start, during the race, finishing, scoring and advertising & eligibility.

The principal instructors for the various seminars will be Bruce Greene, Stan Betts or Jeff Johnson. All are US SAILING National Race Officers and Basic and Advanced Seminar instructors. All seminars start with check in at 08:00 and finish about 5:30 pm. They include continental breakfast, lunch. Class, all class materials and test. You **MUST** bring a copy of *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and a *completed copy* of the Basic Race Management Study Questions. These questions are available from the US SAILING Website at <http://www.ussailing.org/racemgt/documents/RMStudy-Basic.pdf>. Cost of the seminar will be approximately \$45 for US Sailing members and \$75 for non members. A special introductory 6 month US Sailing membership is available at sign up for \$30 You save \$30 on the seminar with your membership

### Preliminary Dates and locations:

San Diego - January 17, 2009 at San Diego Yacht Club

Orange County - Feb. 15, 2009 at Bahia Corinthian Yacht Club

Santa Barbara Channel - Feb 28, 2008 at Pacific Corinthian Yacht Club

Santa Monica Bay - March 1, 2009 at Del Ray Yacht Club

San Pedro Bay - To Be Decided

See the [SCYA](#) and/or [US Sailing](#) web sites for additional information