

**Social Instructions (SIs) 2004 Vallejo Race
San Francisco J/105 Fleet #1**

For those twenty plus J/105s who are signed up for the YRA/ODCA Season or the one-time YRA Event (Vallejo) Race, here are the SIs (Social Instructions). For those who would still like to race Vallejo, see our Fleet #1 web site under Fleet Notices for YRA details. Ensure your entry form and money into the YRA Office before 5:00 PM, April 19, 2004 in order not to incur a late fee. Here are the important details that you must commit to memory if you and your crew are to have a fun filled weekend.

Saturday Pre Start Details

- Make sure you have a copy of these SIs and the other SIs (sailing instructions) that will be mailed from the YRA Office the week of April 26th.
- Make sure you have at least **one, unopened, cold six pack of beer** aboard and **write a toast, song, poem, etc. for you &/or your crew to recite to a fellow competitor.**
- Make sure you have a large crew aboard to enjoy the post-race festivities because in keeping with tradition and this year's YRA rules, **there is no restriction as to the number of crew for Saturday or Sunday's race.** The intent of this rule change is to encourage attendance. The more the merrier.

The Race (Saturday)

- Beat to weather, round the mark, hoist your chute and cruise to Vallejo on a predominately flood tide with sunny skies guaranteed. Bring sun tan lotion!

The Finish (Saturday)

- At the finish line, south of the VYC, write down which J/105 finished in front of you and which J/105 finished behind you.
- Follow the parade of J/105s north to the public marina. Upon entering the marina tell the dock people you are with the J/105 group. They should direct you to the general vicinity of our berthing. There is a \$10 charge for weekend dockage.
- Report your finish (between which J/105s) to the score keeper on Advantage3.

The Sixth Annual J/105 Toast Off !!!!!!!!!!!

- About one hour after you tie up and enjoy the keg of beer sponsored by **Sail California**, you will be partaking in the 6th Annual J/105 Toast Off. This is your and/or your crew's opportunity to toast the boat that finished in front of you. **You will perform your toast and present that cold six pack of beer mentioned above to the boat that finished in front of you.** We will start with DFL (what an honor).
- **Prizes by Sail California** will be awarded for first thru third places. Past winners:

1999	Alan Kelly	Joust	A poem
2000	Tom Thayer/Dick Watts & Crew	Speedwell	An Italian Opera
2001	Dave Liggett/Randy Paul & Crew	Bald Eagles	The song "Rawhide"
2002	Raja Singh & Crew	Nirvana	Jimmy Buffett song
2003	Bill Booth & Crew	Capricorn	"Life's Been Good"

Sunday

- Recover from Saturday; be careful at the reaching start at the VYC; tell stories about Saturday on the "Way to the Bay."

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