US SAILING One Day Judges Workshop and Test
12 November 2010

This is a newly sanctioned* US SAILING One Day Judges Workshop and Test required for initial certification as a US Sailing "Club Judge." Some protest committee experience is helpful, but not required. The objectives of the club judge program are to improve the quality, consistency and fairness of protest hearings and results, at the club level.

The workshop will begin at 0830 and last until approximately 1700. Topics in the club judge program will include: deriving a set of facts from testimony, managing a hearing with proper procedures, applying applicable rules, and arriving at conclusions and a decision. The workshop will concentrate on three areas of development: Mock Hearings, Part 2 rules, and Part 5 and Appendix M rules. A test and debrief will be conducted at the end of the day.

The instructors for this workshop will be Chris Petracco (SJ, NU, US SAILING Race Administration Director) and Don Becker (IJ, IU, Chairman, US SAILING Judges Committee).
When: 12 November 2010
Where: Balboa Yacht Club 1801 Bayside Drive Corona del Mar, CA 92625
Time: Registration 0800 Friday, 0830 - 1700 Friday
Cost: Cost of the workshop and exam is $55.00. This includes continental breakfast, lunch, beverages, and handout materials, and test processing. US SAILING membership is not required to attend this workshop but the cost for a non-member is $85(6 month US SAILING Membership Included)
What to Bring: You should bring the current edition of *The Racing Rules of Sailing.*

Advanced registration is required. The deadline for registration is 5 November 2010. Registration and payment can be completed online.

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*The "club judge" program is intended to be adopted at the 2010 US SAILING Annual General Meeting (October 2010). Anyone participating in this workshop will be grandfathered into the program, even if the final structure of the program is not complete, at the time it is held. This includes attending the workshop and taking the test.