12th Annual TOM COLLIER MEMORIAL REGATTA Hosted by King Harbor Yacht Club July 19, 2003

Proceeds from the Regatta benefit the Burns and Allen Cancer Research Institute at the Cedars-Sinai Medical Center

Purpose: Tom Collier was an avid sailor who contracted and died of cancer at the age of 30. This regatta is intended to remind us of the special person that Tom was while generating revenue for Cancer Research to fight the disease that took his life and the lives of many others like him.

NOTICE OF RACE

Format: One inverted start PHRF race will be held on Saturday, July 19th. All boats, including multi-hulls, will start at staggered intervals based on their PHRF rating. The first start will be at 1230 hours. (Warning at 1225). The course will be approximately 10 miles around the racing marks off of King Harbor, Redondo Beach.

Eligibility: This event is open to all sailboats (mono/multi-hull) 14 ft. or over in length rating 276 or less. If the boat does not have a valid PHRF Random Leg (RLC) rating, the race committee will assign a rating. There will be a Skippers' Meeting at 1030 on the day of the Race. Boats will be divided into A and B classes based on their handicap. Class split will be posted by 1030 the morning of the event. All classes will race together.

Fees: *Race entry: \$10.00 per crew member. Registration will be from 0800 to 1030 at KHYC on July 19th or by mail. Mail registrations must be received at KHYC by July 17th.

*On shore guests: \$20.00 for adults - \$10.00 for children under 12.

(Includes all on shore festivities, race viewing from KHYC, auctions, food, entertainment.)

*ALL PROCEEDS GO DIRECTLY TO A CANCER RESEARCH SCIENTIST AT CEDARS-SINAI MEDICAL CENTER!!!

Make all checks payable to Cedars-Sinai Medical Center. Please note Tom Collier Regatta on your check.

Start and Finish: The start and finish line will be in the vicinity of "S" mark as shown on current KHYC course chart.

Rules: The Racing Rules of Sailing 2001 - 2004, the prescriptions of USSA and the Sailing Instructions will apply. Boats that fail to finish MUST notify King Harbor Yacht Club as soon as possible after retiring. Detailed sailing instructions will be available at the time of registration.

On Shore Activities: Hors d'oeuvres, music, and a no host bar will begin at 1500 hours. The majority of the race is visible from the clubhouse. There will be a barbecue (included in entry fee), awards ceremony, live auction, and opportunity drawing immediately after the race. The overall winner will have his/her name inscribed on the Tom Collier Memorial Trophy, a Wyland original sculpture. Awards will also be given to the first 5 finishers overall and to the winners of A and B divisions.

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