



Seagulls swarm toward the CFJs racing in the Rose Bowl Regatta at Long Beach



28th annual

Rose Bowl Regatta

Jan. 5-6, 2013

Host club: Alamitos Bay Yacht Club

Host school: USC Varsity Sailing Team

Organized by U.S. Sailing Center, Long Beach

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Saturday's weather: wind 3-6k NE-SW; temp. 65-55 F.
Sunday's forecast: wind 12k WNW; high temp. 59 F.; 60% chance of rain.

Charleston leads; Stanford sniffs roses again

LONG BEACH, Calif.

It's been a rosey New Year for Stanford. Four days after whipping Wisconsin, 20-14, in the Rose Bowl football game in nearby Pasadena, the Cardinal are in contention in the 28th annual Rose Bowl Regatta after the first day of racing at Long Beach Saturday.

They'll go into the last races Sunday in second place with 39 points, 13 behind College of Charleston (S.C.) followed by Eckerd College of St. Petersburg, Fla., 41; Roger Williams of Bristol, R.I., 42, and top-ranked Georgetown of Washington, D.C., 53. Defending champion Boston College is seventh at 59, behind Old Dominion at 56.



High school Gold class starts



Eckerd College of Florida leads

Stanford coach John Vandemoer said, "It's great to be able to go to the football game and see our team win. We hope we can do the same. It played great defense."

So did the Cardinal sailors.

"We didn't win any races," Vandemoer said, "but with 30 teams you can afford mistakes."

The teams are all Southern Californians: Kevin Laube with crew Michelle Catanya and Kieran Chung with crew Haley Kirk.

Among the 60 high school teams from California,

As expected, the wind was light at 3-6 knots from southwest and the air temperature had chilled to the mid-50s by the time the day's racing ended with a colorful sunset at 5 o'clock. The boats returned to the docks at ABYC in darkness.

The colleges and high school Gold fleets are sailing two-person 13-foot CFJ dinghies off the Belmont Veterans Memorial Pier in the Long Beach outer harbor. The high school Silver fleet is racing inside Alamitos Bay. Each team has two crews that alternate after every two races.

The second and last day of racing will start at 11 a.m., conditions permitting. The pier will be open to spectators, with concessions and comfort stations available.

The event is based at the Alamitos Bay Yacht Club, hosted by the USC Sailing Team and organized by the US Sailing Center of Long Beach.

The leaders

College

High Shool Gold

fleet to windward mark (top) and then to finish line



MIT girls lead at leeward gate



Los Altos HS (41) and Alameda HS duel for lead in High School Silver fleet on inside bay



The Arizona State ... Pandas?



Teams switch boats behind the pier

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High School Silver

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The US Sailing Center, once envisioned solely as a training site to help sailors fulfill their Olympic dreams, has developed into a center of training for sailors of every ability, from developmental clinics and hosting of world-class regattas to coaching area high schools and the USC collegiate sailing team. Programs also include Youth At-Risk activities, Learn-to-Sail classes for all ages and disabled sailing opportunities through the center's own Disabled Sailing Association. [Learn more](#)

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