2022 SAISA HIGH SCHOOL SINGLEHANDED CHAMPIONSHIP

And Qualifier for the Cressy Trophy

The Florida Yacht Club, September 24-25

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024, the prescriptions of US SAILING, the ISSA Procedural Rules, the SAISA Supplementary Rules, this Notice of Race, and the Sailing Instructions. In the event of a conflict between the governing documents and the Sailing Instructions, the latter shall take precedence.

1.2. RRS Appendix P is in effect modified per ISSA Procedural Rule 14(c). 1.3. The Organizing Authority (OA) is the South Atlantic Interscholastic Sailing Association in conjunction with The Florida Yacht Club.

1.3 In accordance with rule 70.5(a), decisions of the protest committee are final. US SAILING's permission has been granted.

2. ELIGIBILITY 2.1. Competing schools must be members of ISSA and meet ISSA eligibility rules as prescribed in the Procedural Rules.

2.2. Teams must be accompanied by a designated adult team leader, who may be an advisor, coach or parent recognized by the school. Only 2 adult chaperones per school, these can be a combination of coaches and/or parents.

2.3. The event is open to all current SAISA member schools who have successfully completed all parts of the event registration.

3. ENTRY AND COMMUNICATIONS

3.1. Eligible schools and sailors must enter by registering at clubspot address and paying the entry fee and making their rig declaration by 8:00 PM on Wednesday September 21st.

3.2. Registered Sailors unable to compete must notify the regatta chairperson and ISSA as soon as possible.

4. ENTRY FEE

4.1. The entry fee is \$70.00 per competitor if payment is received before 8pm on Friday September 16th. The entry fee after September 16th is \$90 per competitor. No Entries will be accepted after September 21st.

5. BOATS

5.1. The regatta will be sailed in ILCA standard rigs and ILCA radial rigs.

5.2. Each competitor must provide his or her own class legal boat.

5.3. Competitors must choose their class of boat no later than the close of registration.

5.4. There will be no rotation of boats.

6. SCHEDULE

Friday September 23rd.

1200-1900 boat drop off & registration

1600-1900 waterfront open for practice.

Saturday September 24th

0800-0900 Check in and Registration at Sailing center

0930 Launch

1030 first warning signal for the day

Sunday September 25th

0930 first warning

1500 no warning after this time.

6.1. Changes to the schedule will be posted on the official notice board located on techscore

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

7.1. Sailing Instructions will be available on the tech score website before the skippers meeting.

8. RACING AREA

8.1. All races will be sailed near the front marina. Spectating will be on A dock. Sailors not allowed to sail between the orange buoys and the end of A dock.

9. COURSES

9.1. Based on conditions, the Race Committee will determine the courses to be sailed and will be published on the official notice board.

10. SCORING

10.1. The regatta will be scored in accordance with ISSA Procedural Rules.

11. HOUSING

11.1. Housing will not be provided. A year round rate is available at the Holiday Inn Orange Park for \$119/night and \$1/person for breakfast. Please call (904) 562-7400 and use the booking code "CQR".

12. COACHING

12.1. Team leaders, chaperones, coaches, parents, advisors and other support personnel shall not go afloat in the sailing area from 3:00 PM on Friday September 23rd until the conclusion of racing on Sunday afternoon unless explicitly permitted by the regatta chairperson. The penalty for failing to comply with this requirement may be the disqualification of all boats, competitors and teams associated with the infringing support personnel.

13. GUEST POLICY.

13.1 Any adults who are members of an FCYC club may use the Pirates Den to purchase drink or food during the day by ordering from the outside patio.

13.2 Any adults on site who are not FCYC members may apply for a guest card by filling out the credit card authorization form found on clubspot and sending it to <u>dustin@thefyc.org</u>. No cash, check or credit card payments are accepted at the yacht club.

14. PRIZES

14.1. Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 sailors in each division.

15. OFFICIAL NOTICE

15.1. No contestant shall use, either on or off the water, marijuana or any other controlled substance, as defined in 21 U.S. Code 802, the possession of which is unlawful under U.S. Code 841, or alcoholic beverages (distilled spirits, wine, and beer, each as defined in Chapter 51of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code and intended for beverage use). An alleged breach of this procedural rule shall not be grounds for a protest. However, when a report is received from any source, alleging such a breach a protest committee consisting of the regatta chairperson, a member of the ISSA Board of Directors, and the chairperson of the protest committee, shall follow the process described in RRS 69.1(b). If a hearing under RRS 69 is held, a competitor found to have breached this procedural rule shall be excluded from the remaining races of the series and, where practical, be removed from the regatta venues and sent home. Additional penalties consistent with RRS 69.2 may be imposed on the competitor or the competitor's team. This regulation is in effect during the entire event from the date and time of arrival through the date and time of departure from the regatta site.

15.2 RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS 15.1. By participating in this event, competitors automatically grant to the Organizing Authority and the event sponsors the right, in perpetuity, to make, use and show, at their discretion, any photography, audio and video recordings, and other reproductions of them made at the venue or on the water from the time of their arrival at the venue, until their final departure, without compensation.

16. WAIVER OF LIABILITY

16.1. Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race.

16.2. The race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or the injury to any competitor, including death, sustained because of participation in this event. By participating in this event, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

17. REGATTA CONTACT SAISA/Florida Yacht Club Representative: Dustin Domer

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