# The Organizing Authority (OA) is Carlyle Sailing Association.

# NOTICE OF RACE

#### 1 RULES

- 1.1 The Junior Olympic Festival will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.2 For the purposes of the definition of rule, the class rules shall be the rules of the Laser 4.7, Laser Radial, Optimist, Open Bic and Club 420 class.
- 1.3 Certain rules may be changed and these changes will appear in full in the Sailing Instructions.
- 2. ADVERTISING Advertising shall be in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20. Competitors may be required to display graphics on the side of their hulls; these graphics will be supplied by the OA.

# 3. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

3.1 AGE : Applicants for all classes, except Club 420 must not turn 20 years old\* in the year of the event. Club 420 age limit is 22 years old.

# 3.2 US SAILING MEMBERSHIP

Membership in US Sailing is required for each competitor (helmsman and crew for doublehanded classes). Competitors may sign up at registration thru the Regatta Network event site. If you are already a member, bring your membership card to registration it will be checked. Sailors can join online at http://membership.ussailing.org/.

# 3.3 CLASS ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP

US Sailing recommends that competitors are members of their respective class associations (i.e., Optimist, Laser, Club 420, etc.).

# 3.4 GREEN REGATTA

This regatta is a Sailors for the Sea "Clean Regatta." As such, all competitors are encouraged to use non-single use water bottles and recycle all appropriate items. Competitors are reminded of rule 55 which states that competitors "shall not intentionally put trash in the water." No soap or detergents are to be used in the harbor for any reason.

# 4. BOATS/MEASUREMENT

- 4.1 The following boat classes will be used:
- 4.1.1 Laser 4.7 with crew of 1 including helmsman,
- 4.1.2 Laser Radial with crew of 1 including helmsman.
- 4.1.3 Optimist with crew of 1 including helmsman,
- 4.1.4 Open Bic with crew of 1 including helmsman,
- 4.1.5 Club 420 with crew of 2 including helmsman,
- 4.2 Competitors are encouraged to bring their own boats. A limited number of Optimist and Open Bics are available for charter.
- 4.3 All boats must have a floating bowline of appropriate length.
- 4.4 Each competitor will be responsible for their boats being in compliance with the class rules.
- 5. FEES The entry fee for all classes is \$50 per competitor. The entry fee includes lunch Saturday and Sunday, dinner Saturday (Pizza), participation in the CSA Luau, breakfast Sunday and trophies for the first three places in each class.

#### 6 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, June 27, 8:00 am – 9:00 am
Saturday, June 27, 9:30 am
Saturday, June 27, 10:30 am
Saturday, June 27, 11:00 am
First race of the series.

We will race as many races as possible in the available time.

Saturday, June 27, 6:00 pm Dinner (Pizza and Luau)

Sunday, June 28, 8:30 am Harbor Warning Sunday, June 28, 2015 1:00 pm Awards presentation

- 7. ADVANCE REGISTRATION Competitors shall register online at Regatta Network. Laptops will be available for registration and any corrections until 9:00 am. Wifi at the club will be available for online registration.
- 8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS The Sailing Instructions (SIs) will be available at registration and on the Regatta Network event site.
- 9. SCORING One race shall be completed to constitute a series. If 6 or more races are sailed, a boat's worst score shall be discarded.
- 10. COACHES Coaches may be asked to register at the event. Coaches who are able to bring proof of US Sailing certification will be given appropriate access to participants and recognition.
- 11. SAFETY A US Coast Guard approved personal flotation device shall be worn, properly fastened, at all times while launching and when sailing. Failure to comply with this rule may result in disqualification. A boat retiring from a race shall notify a Race Committee vessel before leaving the course, or when that is impossible, [Shore location will be noted in Sailing Intructions] immediately after arrival ashore.
- 12. MEDIA RIGHTS By participating in this regatta, a competitor (or parent/guardian if under age 18) grants to the OA and its sponsors the right in perpetuity to make, use and show, from time to time at their discretion, any photographs, motion pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproductions of him or her during the period of the competition without compensation.

# 13. DISCIPLINE

- 13.1 Per US Sailing Regulation 5.03 no contestant shall use, either on or off the water, during any US Sailing sanctioned event: marijuana or any other controlled substance (as defined in 21 U.S. Code 802) the possession of which is unlawful under 21 U.S. Code 841, or alcoholic beverages (distilled spirits, wine and beer, each as defined in chapter 51 of the U.S: IRC Code and intended for beverage use). This regulation is in effect from date and time of arrival through date and time of departure from the locale. The penalty shall be that the contestant after a proper hearing, be immediately removed from the regatta venue and, where practical, sent home.
- 13.2 All competitors are expected to maintain the highest level of conduct throughout the entire event. When the Protest Committee, from its own observation or a report received from any source believes that a competitor may have committed a breach of a rule, good manners, or sportsmanship, or may have brought the sport into disrepute, it may call a hearing. After a proper hearing the penalty may range from a reprimand to dismissal from the regatta and additional action may be taken under RRS 69.
- 13.3 Hearings will be held generally in accordance with the recommendations of Appendix M5 of the RRS. The officers for hearing a violation will consist of the Chief Judge, acting as chairman of the hearing, the Protest Committee and the event chair.

# 14. PRIZES

USA Junior Olympic medals will be awarded to competitors placing first through third in all divisions.

# 15. FURTHER INFORMATION

Contact: Troy Tolan, troytolan@videoop.co and check the web site for further information.

# Host Club:

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# ADDITIONAL RECOMMENDATIONS

# LIFE JACKETS

All support people on the water – race committee, mark and safety boat operators, parents, etc. – are strongly encouraged to wear PFDs.