Notice of Race FOS Ideal Program 2016 Battle of the Sexes Suzan Brice Memorial Regatta Saturday, September 17, 2016 Hosted by: FOS/Tred Avon Yacht Club Oxford, Maryland

Rules:

This regatta is sanctioned by the FOS Ideal Program, and will be conducted by FOS and hosted by the Tred Avon Yacht Club. The Regatta shall be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016 (RRS).

Advertising and Sponsors:

The Regatta is designated Category A in accordance with Rule 79 of the RRS. There will not be a penalty for items that are approved by the Organizing Authority.

Eligibility:

The skipper shall have reached his/her 60th birthday and 2 skippers shall be a member in good standing of FOS, and have acknowledgement of payment of 2016 dues. Crew must have reached their 35th Birthday and are not required to be members of FOS.

Registration Fee:

Participants are encouraged to bring food that would likely be devoured at the end of the series. Cash contributions to FOS will be allowed and are encouraged.

Sailing Instructions:

Sailing Instructions will be available at the Club on day of race at the skippers' meeting.

Scoring:

The low point scoring system with no bonus points from the RRS Appendix A will be used. In the event that 4 races are sailed, there will be a provision for a throw-out. Three races shall constitute a series for the Battle of the Sexes.

Prizes:

TBD

Protests:

Protests will be held New Year's Eve at midnight at the Lighthouse.

Schedule of Events: 2016 Battle of the Sexes/Suzan Brice Memorial Regatta

Saturday, September 17, 2016 (<u>Rain/Wind Date</u> Sunday September 18, 2016) 8:30 am Sharp - Skippers' Meeting 9:00 am - First Warning Trophy Presentation, drinks and food to follow racing.

Food:

Please bring some.

<u>Communication:</u> Questions (only 2 per skipper, please): EMAIL/Call: Pucky Lippincott or Katrina Greer: <u>lippincottpucky@gmail.com</u> or <u>katrinahgreer@icloud.com</u>

Release From Liability:

Skippers and crew who are not regular sailing FOS members or who have not previously signed the FOS release form must sign release form before competing.