

PALM BEACH SAILING CLUB

FRED THOMAS MEMORIAL RACE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2016

NOTICE OF RACE

The Organizing Authority is Palm Beach Sailing Club.

The race will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-16*.

The classes to race are: SE FLORIDA PHRF with SPINNAKER (cert last few years) MAIN & JIB / GENOA TRUE CRUISING MULTIHULL TRUE CRUISING MONOHULL (don't usually race) (can run engine to finish)

Registration will be on Regatta Network on the following schedule:

REGISTRATION through Oct. 31 LATE REGISTRATION Nov 1 - Nov 4 @ 5 pm

Competitors are participating under "RRS Rule 4 **DECISION TO RACE** The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone."

A Competitor's Meeting will take place at 7 pm, Friday, November 4 at Palm Beach Sailing Club. Sailing Instructions will be available at 6:30 pm. Representation at the Competitor's Meeting is mandatory by each entrant.

This is a coastal offshore race on the Atlantic Ocean, south and north of the Lake Worth Inlet. The course length will be determined by the weather conditions. A course length of approximately 4 to 5 hours will be set. The starting area will be 1 mi. south of Lake Worth R"2" buoy Proceed to a south turning mark Proceed offshore to RW "LW" Mo (A) buoy Proceed to a north turning Proceed to finish between Lake Worth R"2" and a line flag on Singer Island

The first warning signal will be given at 1055.

In the event of un-sailable conditions on Nov 5 The RACE will be attempted on Sat, Nov 12 with a first warning at 0955.

Corrected times will be calculated according to PHRF Time on Distance calculations.

Trophies will be awarded based on the numbers of entries received by Nov. 1 in each class.

1 class trophy: 1-4 entries, 2 trophies: 5-8 entries, 3 trophies: 9-12 entries, etc.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

FRI, NOV 4 5 PM - ? CLUB BAR & GRILL OPEN

SAT, NOV 5	5 PM	CLUB BAR OPEN
	5:30 PM	APPETIZERS & ENTERTAINMENT
		STEEL DRUMMER GEORGE NEIL
	6:30 PM	CATERED AWARDS DINNER & DESSERT
	7:15 PM	AWARDS PRESENTATION
		MUSIC CONTINUES AFTER AWARDS

EXTRA DINNERS MAY BE ORDER ON PBSAIL.ORG OR CALLING THE OFFICE 881.0809

AS PART OF OUR 50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION A RAFFLE WILL BE HELD.

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