

EARLY WINTER TRAINING REGATTA

Organizing Authority: Miami Yacht Club Youth Sailing Foundation
DEC 3rd and 4th, 2016

NOTICE OF RACE

1. VENUE

The waters of Miami Beach located off Miami Yacht Club as well as Atlantic Ocean South of the Government Cut.

Miami Yacht Club is located at 1001 MacArthur Causeway, Miami, FL, 33132

2. RULES

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the 2016 Racing Rules of Sailing

3. ADVERTISING AND BOW NUMBER

Boats may be required to display bow numbers and/or advertising chosen and supplied by the Organizing Authority.

4. EVENT FORMAT

The event shall consist of up to 9 scheduled races.

5. EVENT SCHEDULE

Saturday, Dec 3rd

Competitor:

Check In & Registration 08:30-10:00

Competitors Meeting 10:00

First Warning Signal 12:00

Sunday, Dec 4th

Competitors Meeting 09:00

First Warning Signal 11:00

Awards Upon Completion of Racing.

On the Dec 4th, no warning signal will be made after 14:00

6. ELIGIBILITY

6.1 The Training Regatta is open to all boats of the International 420 Class, 29er, RSX, Techno and Multihull (SGL)

6.2 All sailors must be current members of US Sailing (www.ussailing.org)

7. REGISTRATION

7.1 Competitors shall register on-line ON Regatta Network

7.2 Entry fee per boat: \$75 (29er/I420), \$45(Windsurf & Multihull /SGL)

8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available for each competitor and Team Leader at registration.

9. SAFETY REGULATIONS

Competitors shall wear a US Coast Guard approved lifejacket at all times when afloat (see Class rule C.3).

10. COURSES

Depending on class size and weather conditions, the courses sailed will be at the discretion of the PRO.

11. SCORING

11.1 The Low Point Scoring System, Appendix A2, shall be used except as modified below.

11.2.1 A minimum of 3 races must be completed to constitute a regatta.

11.2.2 (a) When fewer than five (5) races have been completed a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

(b) When five (5) or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

12. PRIZES

12.1 The first three teams in each fleet shall receive an award.

12.2 The first all-female team shall receive an award.

12.3 Prizes will be given to both members of a team.

13. COACH BOAT AND SUPPORT PERSONNEL

All registered support boats shall act as rescue boats in case of need (more details in Sailing Instructions).

Private Spectator Boats will be permitted with specific conditions outlined in the sailing instructions.

14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY AND INSURANCE

Competitors participate in the regatta at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The Organizing Authority shall not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during or after the event. Each competitor shall have valid third party insurance with a minimum cover \$1,000,000.

Each participant warrants the suitability of his or her boat for the event.

15. RIGHTS TO USE NAMES & LIKENESSES

By participating in the regatta competitors automatically grant the Olympic Development Team, the Organizing Authority and their sponsors, the right in perpetuity to make, use and show, from time to time at their discretion, any motion pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproductions of the athlete during the period of the competition without compensation.

16. REGATTA CONTACTS

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