



2018 Flying Scot Wife Husband Championship

October 26-28, 2018

Flying Scot Sailing Association (FSSA)
Organizing Authority (OA)

Hosted by Jackson Yacht Club (JYC)
Ridgeland, Mississippi



NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 The FSSA Class Rules shall apply.
- 1.3 Rule 32.1 is changed so that a minimum of 3 legs shall be sailed before a course will be shortened.
- 1.4 RRS 44.1 is changed so that Appendix V Alternative Penalties rules V1 and V2 will be in effect.
- 1.5 RRS 64.4 is changed in accordance with the Support Boat paragraph (see Section 12).
- 1.6 U.S. Sailing Prescriptions to RRS 63.2 and 63.4b will not apply.
- 1.7 RRS A2.1 is changed so that no races will be thrown out.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to current Active, Life, Junior, Club, and Family FSSA Members. Either spouse may be the required FSSA Member.
- 2.2 FSSA dues fees must be paid to the FSSA by the close of registration.
- 2.3 Flying Scot Co-owners shall submit the Co-owner Certification Form found on the documents page of the FSSA website at www.fssa.com/docs. The Co-owner Certification shall be approved by the FSSA before the boat's entry will be accepted.
- 2.4 The registration fee for a club owned boat must be paid to the FSSA by the close of registration.
- 2.5 If you charter or borrow a boat, you must submit an approved Borrowed or Chartered Boat Form available at www.fssa.com/Documents.
- 2.6 An entrant who does not own a Flying Scot or belong to a club that owns a Flying Scot may request a one-time exemption from FSSA to participate by emailing ncc@fssa.org. The entrant must become an FSSA Club Member by the close of registration.
- 2.7 Registrants shall be members in good standing of FSSA.
- 2.8 The crew shall consist only of a helmsman and his/her spouse.
- 2.9 Entrants shall select either the Championship or Challenger Division, subject to the approval of the National Championships Committee (see Class Rules Article B-X, Paragraph 1), prior to the close of registration.
- 2.10 Eligible competitors may enter by completing the online entry form at Regatta Network using the following link, or by registering at the regatta site during the registration period.

<http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/15389>

3.0 FEES

3.1 Early registration, on or before October 5, 2018:

US Sailing members:	\$130.00
Non-US Sailing members:	\$135.00

3.2 Registration after October 5, 2018:

US Sailing members:	\$180.00
Non-US Sailing members:	\$185.00

3.3 Registration includes:

- Welcome reception Friday for skipper and crew
 - Full Southern Breakfast Saturday and Sunday for skipper and crew
 - Saturday dinner and entertainment for skipper and crew
 - Keg beer after racing Saturday and Sunday
 - Additional event tickets (for all of the above): \$50.00
- Lunch Saturday and Sunday available a la carte.

4.0 SCHEDULE

4.1 Five races are scheduled. No more than three races will be held on any day.

4.2 Friday, October 26, 2018

- 1200 - 1600 Registration and Check-in.
- 1530 - 1630 Sail Fast clinic (tentative)
- 1630 Competitors' Meeting and welcome party sponsored by Quantum Sails

4.3 Saturday, October 27, 2018

- 0800 - 0900 Breakfast
- 1055 Warning signal for the first race of the day. Additional races to follow.
- Following racing – Racing Recap/Chalk Talk
- 1630 Barbeque party with live entertainment

4.4 Sunday, October 28, 2018

- 0800 - 0900 Breakfast
- 0955 Warning signal for the first race of the day. Additional races to follow.
- 1300 No warning signal will be made after this time.
- Trophy presentation – as soon as possible after racing is complete.

5.0 MEASUREMENT

Boats and sails must conform to the Official Plan in the Class Rules. Each boat must carry equipment required by Class Rules, Article S-V Racing Restrictions, Paragraph 2.

6.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available on-site during registration hours at the registration desk.

7.0 VENUE

Racing will be in the Ross R. Barnett Reservoir East and Northeast of the JYC.

8.0 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be Windward-Leeward or Triangle courses.

9.0 PENALTY SYSTEM

9.1 Appendix V "Alternative Penalties" V1 and V2 will apply. This changes RRS 44.1

9.2 The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the NOR or SI means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

10.0 SCORING

10.1 The Low Point Scoring System A4 will be used, except that no races will be excluded. This changes RRS A2.1.

10.2 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.0 BERTHING

Boat trailers shall be kept in their assigned places while they are in the boat park. [DP]

12.0 SUPPORT BOATS

A competitor shall not use support or spectator personnel or their equipment, including tow boats, while away from the dock unless they have been pre-approved by the Protest or Race committee, or made available to all competitors by the Organizing Authority. This changes RRS 64.4. Violations of this provision may be subject to [DP].

13.0 RADIO COMMUNICATION

13.1 Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats. [DP]

13.2 It is the intention of the Race Committee to use VHF radios to communicate with competitors in accordance with Class Rules, Article S-V Racing Restrictions, 7c.

14.0 PRIZES

14.1 A registrant who does not own a Flying Scot and who enters the regatta through receiving a one-time exemption, is not eligible for perpetual trophies.

14.2 Prizes will be given as follows:

- The top five finishers in each Division.
- Perpetual trophies provided by FSSA:
 - Championship Division 1st: Ted and Florence Glass Trophy
 - Challenger Division 1st: Cal and Anita Hudson Trophy
 - Best finish by spouses whose combined age equals or exceeds 100: Eric and Mary Amman Trophy.
 - Additional Prizes will be awarded.

15.0 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

16.0 FURTHER INFORMATION

16.1 Limited free accommodations (in JYC Members homes) are available on a first come, first serve basis for registrants who have paid in full. Discounted rates at nearby hotels are being negotiated.

16.2 For further information contact:

- Regatta Chairman: Jim Leggette (601) 212-7578, jim.leggette@gmail.com
- Principal Race Officer: George Hero (504) 427-5856, GHero@GeorgeHero.com
- Jackson Yacht Club: 700 Yacht Club Road, Ridgeland, MS 39157, (601) 856-8844
manager@jacksonyachtclub.com
- Lodging: Terre Schriver at terre7258@att.net.