



One Design Midwinter Regatta
Sarasota Sailing Squadron
Notice of Race
March 16-18, 2018

1. Organizing Authority

The organizing authority is the Sarasota Sailing Squadron.

2. Rules

The regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) for 2017-2020 and applicable One Design Class Rules.

3. Eligibility

3.1 The regatta is open to one design classes with seven (7) or more paid entries. Expected classes include, but are not limited to: E-Scow, MC Scow, Albacore, Windmill, Viper 640, VX One, RS Aero, and Windsurfers.

3.2 For classes not achieving the 7 boat minimum, refunds are available through Regatta Network. Processing fees will apply.

4. Registration and Fees

4.1. 3-day racing: \$150.00 per boat; includes Friday Opening Social , 1 Saturday Dinner Ticket & 1 T-Shirt (open to E-Scow, MC Scow, RS Aero, Viper 640, VX One, Windmill and Albacore – other classes may be added)

4.2. 2-day racing: \$95.00 per boat; includes Friday Opening Social , 1 Saturday Dinner Ticket & 1 T-Shirt

4.3. \$25 Late Fee for paid registrations received after midnight on March 4, 2018. For those that pay after this date, we cannot guarantee the availability of T-Shirts, dinners, or lunches.

4.4. Extra Dinner Tickets are \$22.

4.5. Extra T-Shirts are \$15.

4.6. Lunches \$6 each for Friday and Saturday.

4.5. Early registration is available at
<http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/15782>

5. Schedule of Events

Thursday March 15, 2018

1700-1800 Registration

Friday, March 16, 2018

0800-0930 Registration

0930 Registration closes for 3 day sailors

1000 Competitor's meeting for 3 day sailors

1130 Warning Signal for first race of the day

1700 Opening Social

Saturday, March 17, 2018

0800-0900 Registration

0900 Registration closes for 2 day sailors

0930 Competitor's meeting for 2 day sailors

1100 Warning Signal for first race of the day

Dinner to Follow Racing

Sunday, March 18, 2018

1030 Warning Signal for first race of the day

1400 No new races to start after this time

Awards to Follow Racing

6. Sailing Instructions

The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions, and supplementary sailing instructions that will be on the official notice board located on the north patio of the club house.

7. Race Area

Racing will be in Sarasota Bay.

8. Boats and Measurement

For all classes, boat hulls, sails and foils shall meet the measurement standards as prescribed by the class association.

9. Scoring

9.1 One race will constitute a regatta.

9.2 Scoring instructions for each fleet will be in the SIs.

10. Prizes

Awards will be given out according to the number of registrants in each class and will be at the discretion of the Organizing Authority.

11. Disclaimer of Liability

Competitors participate in a regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 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.

12. Parking

The Sarasota Sailing Squadron is a very active sailing club. Parking is available for trailers and cars outside of the main entrance. Any cars/trailers parked inside the club blocking a member's boat/trailer will be towed at the owner's expense.

13. Accommodations

Limited tent camping and RV parking is available at the event, on a first come first serve basis. Tent/car camping is \$10 per night, and RV spots are \$30 per night. Please make your reservations early with the club management at 941-388-2355.

14. RS Aero Charter

Limited charter boats available, \$225 for the regatta for first time RS Aero sailors. Contact Marc Jacobi USA@RSAEROSAILING.ORG for more information and visit www.eventzilla.net/user/aerotour

15. Further Information

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