



**Deep South
Regional Wave Regatta**

**Ocean Springs Sailing Squadron at Ocean Springs Yacht Club, Ocean Springs, MS
September 29-30, 2018**

1. **RULES:** The regatta will be governed by the rules defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing as modified in the Sailing Instructions.
2. **ELIGIBILITY:** The regatta is open to all Formula Wave and IHCA class legal Waves.
3. **ENTRY FEES AND REGISTRATION:** Eligible boats must register online at www.regattanetwork.com. Entry Fees are \$80 per Wave. The entry fee includes one regatta shirt, a Deep South Cajun Dinner Saturday night and breakfast Saturday and Sunday. **Tee-Shirt Sizes are only guaranteed to those registering prior to September 15th.** Fees shall be paid by credit card or PayPal online or by cash or check made payable to OSSS if registering on the first day of the regatta. **If registering on the day of the regatta, it will be done via Regatta Network at OSYC. Early registration online is strongly encouraged!**

4. **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:**

Friday	28 September	Saturday	29 September	Sunday	30 September
Check-In	1700-1830	Breakfast Served	0830	Breakfast Served	0830
		Late Check-In	0830-0930	First Signal	1000
		Competitor's Meeting	1000	No Start After	1400
		First Signal	1100	Trophy Presentation	As soon as possible at the conclusion of racing
		Deep South Cajun Dinner	1800		

6. **COMPETITOR'S MEETING:** There will be a competitor's meeting on Saturday, September 29th under the clubhouse.
7. **VENUE:** The sailing venue will be in Biloxi Bay.
8. **SCORING:** The Low Point Scoring System of Appendix A of the RRS will apply, (except that a boat's worst score will not be discarded unless 6 races are completed). One completed race shall constitute a regatta.
9. **PENALTIES:** RRS 44.1 is changed so that only one turn, including one tack and one jibe, is required.

- 10. TROPHIES:** Trophies will be awarded for 1st – 3rd in Men's and Women's divisions as well as Overall First place
- 11. SAFETY:** In addition to the requirements of RRS Rule 40 and it's U.S. Sailing Proscription, a condition of entry and participation in this regatta is the wearing of a U.S. Coast Guard approved PFD, properly secured at all times while on the water, except for brief periods while removing or adding clothing. Wet suits, dry suits and inflatable PFD's do not constitute adequate personal buoyancy.
- 12. 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.
- 13. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Official Sis will be available on the Regatta Network event page.
- 14. FURTHER INFORMATION:** For further information please contact:

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