

What is the status of the water quality at the USSCMC?

The United States Sailing Center is located on the Indian River in Florida, near Jensen Beach, and we have not experienced negative water quality ratings in recent days, weeks, or months. Our water quality is monitored by the Florida Oceanographic Society in conjunction with the Marine Resources Council and the Florida Department of Health. Once a week the waterways are tested for quality based on five parameters; temperature, salinity, dissolved oxygen, pH, and water clarity.

At the time of this posting (September 9, 2018) our body of water (**9. Indian River Lagoon**) has an “B” Grade meaning, “Good”. Updates can be found by clicking this link:

<https://www.floridaocean.org/uploads/files/Research/Water%20Quality/180913.pdf>

Water quality can change from day to day or even hour to hour, depending on the weather and other conditions. The ratings are only as good as the point in time of testing, so we continually monitor all reports to ensure our sailors and guests are safeguarded. Thankfully, since the inception of this rating tool, we have not been issued an “Advisory” indicating unsafe water conditions.

USSCMC is open for business and is pressing-on with hosting upcoming REGATTAS, SAILING PROGRAMS and INTRUCTOR CERTIFICATIONS. We believe with all sincerity the water conditions in our sailing area will continue to receive an overall good rating.