

UPPER KEYS SAILING CLUB
Commodores Regatta
RS Aero class
March 7th and 8th, 2020
NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in 2017-2020 *Racing Rules of Sailing*.
1.2 RRS A4.1 and A5 are changed noting that boats starting later than 5 minutes after her starting signal will be scored DNS. RRS 35 is changed to allow the Race Committee to finish boats in place on the race course if they are unreasonably delaying the completion of a race.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the RS Aero class.
2.2 Eligible crews may be entered by completing entry form, registering with the organizing authority and paying the entry fee.
2.3. All competitors should be a current member of the RS Aero Class Association.

3. FEES

- 3.1 The registration fee is \$60. Lunches, dinners and post sailing beverages are the responsibility of the individual participants.

4. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

4.1 Skippers' Meeting

will be held on Saturday March 7th, 2020 at 1200 on the porch at the UKSC.
If necessary, another skipper's meeting will be held on March 8th at 1100 . This will be announced after racing on Saturday.

4.2 Races

First signal on Saturday will be 1300 and 1200 on Sunday. There will be no racing after 1600 on Saturday and 1530 on Sunday.

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1 Sailing Instructions

Sailing instructions will be available at the Skipper's Meeting and a copy will be posted on the official Notice Board.

5.2 Courses

The course will be included in the sailing instructions and posted on the notice board.

5.3 Scoring

The Low Point Scoring System (Appendix A) shall be used. Number of races scheduled will be 5. One completed race will constitute a regatta.

6. Safety

6.1 All competitors shall wear a U.S. Coast Guard approved life jackets or a life jacket approved by the country of their citizenship or residence, at all times while on the water. Failure to do so is protestable by the Race Committee and may result in disqualification

7. AWARDS

Winners will be announced after the racing on Sunday March 8th at the awards ceremony. Trophies will be awarded to the top 3 finishers in the RS Aero class.

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DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

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