2020 Kelly Park River Regatta

May 23 and 24, 2020 Indian River Yacht Club Merritt Island, FL

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2022*, and the regatta Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2 Racing rules as described will be changed as follows:
 - 1.2.1 For Part 2 rule violations, Rules 44.1 and 44.2 are modified to require only one turn to include one tack and one jibe.
- 1.3 An individual boat's Class Rules are in effect.
- 1.4 The Organizing Authority for this event is Indian River Yacht Club. The representative of the Organizing Authority is the Regatta Chairperson, or their designee.
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.
- 1.6 The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard. The sailing instructions may change other rules.

2 ADVERTISING

2.1 Advertising on boats and sails is permitted but are restricted to tasteful depictions. The OA has final judgement on appropriateness.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The KPRR is open to all single or multi-crew catamarans under 22.5 feet in length having current USSSAILING Portsmouth Number or with Provisional Portsmouth handicaps.
- 3.2 Competitors may enter by completing the online registration form and fee payment found at http://regattanetwork.com
- 3.3 All participants, or their parent or guardian if under 18, will be required to agree to a waiver of liability as a condition of eligibility
 - 3.3.1 Once a team's entry is accepted there may not be any substitution for members of the team except as provided below. If a crewmember is unable to attend, or continue in the event in progress due to sickness, accident, or other emergency, a replacement crewmember may, with the approval of the Organizing Authority, be substituted for the crewmember for one or more of the races. The substituted crewmember must be eligible to compete, and must be of a very close approximate weight to the substituted crew.
 - 3.3.2 The representative of the Organizing Authority will have the sole responsibility for determining if the reason for the substitution and

the proposed crewmember are acceptable.

4 BOATS/MEASUREMENTS:

- 4.1 Competitors are responsible for making sure their boat complies with their Class Rules. Measuring of boats will occur only at the direction of the Organizing Authority or the Protest Committee.
- 4.2 Teams are not permitted to take aboard the boats any gear, rigging, electronics or equipment except:
 - Watch or other countdown timer
 - Mechanical or simple electrical compass (units capable of displaying additional tactical information are prohibited)
 - Flags (except Protest Flags)
 - Non-permanent wind indicators
 - Normally equipped ditty bag
 - Personal effects
 - Trapeze Harness Continuous trapeze systems not allowed unless supplied with boats.
- 4.3 Only one set of sails per boat may be used for this regatta except for changes approved by the Protest Committee in the event of obvious sail damage.
- 4.4 Hulls and underwater foils may be cleaned with normal soap and water only. Friction reducing soaps/products are prohibited.

5 FEES:

5.1 The entry fee is \$95 double crew and \$75 for single crew. This fee includes racing, awards and food served Saturday evening.

6 SCHEDULE

| Saturday May 23 | 8:30 - 10:30am | Final Registration |
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| | 10:30am | Competitors meeting |
| | 11:30am | First race warning |
| | 5:00-7:30pm | Barbque will be served along side live |
| | | music. |

Sunday May 24 10:00 am First race warning

2:00pm No warning signals after this time

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

7.1 The sailing instructions will be available at event check in.

8 VENUE

8.1 The Banana River south of highway 528 causeway in Merritt Island, FL. We will be sailing out of Kelly Park, 2550 N Banana River Dr, Merritt Island, FL 32952. See Attachment A1.

9 THE COURSES

9.1 The courses to be around the buoys set by the race committee as described in the sailing instructions.

10 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 or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

11 MEDICAL RELEASE:

Competitors that are minors must provide a completed and notarized release at registration.

12 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$300,000 per event or equivalent.

13 RADIO COMMUNCATION

Except in an emergency a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

14 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact Chuck Harnden: chuckh@2ndlight.com or Gina McDonald: mattgina@cfl.rr.com

15 ATTACHMENT A1

