WOMEN'S CASUAL FALL MATCH RACE

September 26th - 27th, 2015

NOTICE OF RACE

1 .ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

The Organizing Authority (OA) is the Titusville Florida Sailing Club

2. VENUE

The venue will be the Titusville Sailing Club, 10A Max Brewer Memorial Parkway Titusville, Florida USA 32781

3. EVENT GRADING

This event is a non-graded casual women's match race.

- 4. PROVISIONAL PROGRAM (all times are Eastern Daylight Time)
- 4.1 Schedule:
- 1st Day Skipper Briefing 0845 0900
- 1st Day Warning 12:00
- 2nd Day Warning 10:00

5. SKIPPERS ELIGIBILITY

- 5.1 The skipper must be female.
- 5.1 A maximum of 4 skippers can register for the event.
- 5.2 The registered skipper shall helm the boat at all times while racing, except in an emergency.

6. ENTRIES

- 6.1 Entering: Each team shall be considered entered only on completion of registration.
- 6.2 Each team shall consist of a female skipper and 2 co-ed or female crew.
- 6.3 Registration fee: Each skipper shall complete registration online at the website below. A non-refundable registration fee of \$60 for each skipper and crew shall be paid by credit card at:

www.regattanetwork.com/event/11010

- 6 Damage Deposit
- 6.1There is no damage deposit in this event.

7. RULES

- 7.1 The event will be governed by the current rules as defined in the 2013 2016 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), RRS Appendix C.
- 7.2 Conflicts between the Conditions for this regatta and this Notice of Race (NOR) will be resolved in favor of the Conditions. If there is a conflict between the NOR and the Sailing Instructions (SIs), it will be resolved in favor of the SIs. This changes RRS 63.7.
- 7.3 Competitors shall wear a U.S. Coast Guard (USCG) approved personal floatation device (PFD) while on the water, other than for brief periods while adding or removing clothing.
- 7.5 The rules for the handling of boats will apply, and will also apply to any practice sailing. Class rules will not apply.
- 7.6 Add to RRS 41: (e) help to recover from the water and return on board a crew member

provided the return on board is at the approximate location of the recovery.

7.7 RRS C8.6 and C6.3 will be changed in the Sailing Instructions

8. BOATS AND SAILS

- 8.1 The events will be sailed in 18 foot keelboats.
- 8.2 A mainsail, jib, and spinnaker will be provided for each boat.
- 8.3 Each boat will be supplied with a code flag "Y", a red protest flag, code flag "L" breakdown flag and both yellow and blue identification flags.
- 8.4 Boats assignments will be determined by the host race committee using a random Assignment process. Every effort will be made to have equitable boat assignments. The Process by which boat assignments are determined shall not be grounds for redress. This changes Rule 62.1.
- 8.6 Boats are supplied by the host club. It is of the utmost importance that they be treated with care at all times.

9. CREW (INCLUDING SKIPPER)

9.1 The number of crew including the skipper shall be 3.

A crew list shall be named at event registration and all registered crew shall sail all races unless permission is granted for an alternate as outlined in NOR 9.2 and 9.3 below.

9.2 After an event starts, with the permission of the OA, a designated alternate may replace any member of a team aboard before any race or flight of a given match, but only in the event of an emergency affecting a regular team member.

10. EVENT

- 10.1 The event will consist of the following stage: all skippers will sail a double round robin.
- 10.2 The OA may change the format, terminate, or eliminate any round when conditions do not permit the completion of the intended format.

11. COURSE

- 11.1 The courses will be windward-leeward with starboard rounding's and finishing downwind.
- 11.2 The intended course area is adjacent to the Titusville Sailing Club.

12. ADVERTISING

Teams are allowed to display their sponsors advertising.

13. DISCLAIMER

All those taking part in the event do so at their own risk. The OA, its sponsors, their agents, employees, representatives, trustees, members, race committee, and officials accept no responsibility for any loss, damage, injury or inconvenience incurred, howsoever caused.

14. OPTIONAL CASUAL MATCH RACING CLINIC

There is an optional match racing on the water clinics from held from 9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon on Saturday September 5th, 12th, and 19th. The clinics will cover the basic rules of match racing, the prestart sequence, and the course layout. Practice match races will be conducted to familiarize both the skippers and crew with the skills to participate in a casual match race. Register for the three Saturday clinics at www.regattanetwork.com/event/11014

14. INFORMATION AND RACE CONTACTS

For answers to questions, more information regarding this event pleases contact: Larry Landrigan: email: matchracingtitusville@hotmail.com
Cell phone 407-467-8787

Revision 1 8/82015