

Sail Life Focus on Focus on the moment. Read the waves Hold tight Visualize the Start. Pound the moment. Work together as a team. Keep the book steady. Anticipate the Lifts. Watch for the fulls. Steady when together as a team. Keep the book steady. Note the breeze clocking. Finish Fast,

2016 Hobie 16 Women and Youth North American Championships NOTICE OF RACE

Organizing Authority: Hobie Class Assn of North America and the Pensacola Beach Yacht Club.

Rules: The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).

Classes: International Hobie 16 for both Women and Youth.

Eligibility: All crew members must be current members of the IHCA. Both crew members competing in the Women's event shall be female. Both crew members competing in the Youth event must be under age 22 on 12/31/16. This modifies IHCA Rule 17.7(a) in accordance with IHCA Rule 17.

Schedule:

Saturday, 7/9 1600-1800 - Check-in at the venue

Sunday, 7/10 1000 - Youth Training and Coaching w/Tom Whitehurst

TBD - Women's Practice Racing 1500-1700 - Check-in at the venue 1800 - Welcome Party / Appetizers

Monday, 7/11 1130 - First warning signal for championships

1830 - Dinner

Tuesday, 7/12 Racing continues, first warning signal time TBA

Evening Women's Social Event TBA

Wednesday, 7/13 Racing continues, no warning signal after 1300 hrs

500 - Awards



Registration & Fees:

Hobie 16 Youth - \$60 Hobie 16 Women - \$195 \$25 Late fee after June 30, 2016

Register at www.RegattaNetwork.com/event/12665.

Youth Grants: Applications for youth grants must be submitted no later than 6/1/16 to hobieyouth@gmail.com. Information on the HCA grant program can be found at www.hcana.hobieclass.com

Measurement: Boats will not be weighed at this event. However, competitors are responsible for ensuring their equipment is HCA Class Legal. During the competition, any boat may be subject to inspection.

Sailing Instructions: The SIs will be available at registration.

Venue: The Pensacola Beach Yacht Club (PBYC), located at 715 Pensacola Beach Blvd, Gulf Breeze, FL 32561. Racing will be in English Navy Cove.

Insurance: Each participating boat shall have current third party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of not less than \$100,000. Proof of this insurance must be presented at registration.

Charter Boats:

Contact Michael McNeir - mcneir080605@centurylink.net, 850-585-3285

Accommodations and Information:

Limited RV parking available. Contact Chris Wessels for more info - xanderwess@yahoo.com. Unaccompanied youth contact Chris Bradshaw - hobieyouth@gmail.com for housing.