Carlton Memorial Beach Bash, Thursday, Sept. 13

Hobie 16 North American Championships



NOTICE OF RACE

ORGANIZING AUTHORITY: Hobie Class Association of North America, in affiliation with HCANA Division 15.

RULES: The regatta will be governed by rules as defined by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). This will be an International Event, therefore pursuant to the US Sailing prescription to RRS 88.2, the US Sailing precription to RRS 40 is deleted.

ADVERTISING: Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY: The event is open to all class legal Hobie 16s. Per IHCA Class Rule 26 all crewpersons must be 2018 HCA-NA members. Enter on-line at regattanetwork.com.

FEES: All Classes: \$375 / \$425 after August 15. Youth teams \$175 (both crewpersons <21 years old as of Sept 10, 2018). Social tickets (including parties and banquet) will be available at the venue.

MEASUREMENT: Boats will be weighed at this event prior to check-in. Competitors are responsible for ensuring their equipment is HCA Class Legal. Crew members will be weighed in accordance with class rules. During the competition, any boat or crew weight may be subject to inspection by a designated technical official.

VENUE: Sound Side Park adjacent to Juana's Pagodas at the southern end of the Navarre Beach Causeway. Racing will be conducted in Santa Rosa Sound. **All social events will be at Juana's.**

RADIO COMMUNICATION: In accordance with IHCA General Class Rule 16.3, competitors may use a VHF radio to monitor RC courtesy broadcasts. Its use and restrictions will be described in the Sailing Instructions.

SCHEDULE:

Boat / Crew Weighing and Inspection

1200 – 1600 September 7 – 9 (weigh before stepping mast)

Registration / Check-In

1200 – 1700 September 9 (weigh before checking in)

0800 - 0900 September 10

Juana's Good Time Regatta - see separate NOR

Saturday and Sunday, September 8 – 9

Championship Racing

1000 First Warning Signal - September 10 – 14 There will be 5 days of championship racing with the objective of 3 to 5 races per day. Four races are required to consitute a series and there is no maximum number of races. On Friday, Sept. 14, no warning signal will be made after 1500.

AWARDS: The top placing team shall be named the 2018 Hobie 16 North American Champion.

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

ACOMMODATIONS: Beach Rentals at Navarre, 888-862-0034 www.beachrentalsatnavarre.com (the tall condos pictured above) Century 21 Island View Realty - Phil Babiak, 850-499-1757 Mention the Hobie 16 NACs for discounted rates on houses & condos Best Western Navarre Waterfront www.bestwestern.com - Booking code G61QX9T9

Primitive RV Parking at regatta site Limited space available Santa Rosa RV Resort Campgrounds, 888-936-4791 santarosarvresort.com

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