

NOTICE OF RACE



Flying Scot® Fall 48 Regatta (F48)

Flying Scot® Carolinas District Championship (CDC)

FLYING SCOT® ATLANTIC COAST CHAMPIONSHIP (ACC)

November 3-4, 2018

Organizing Authority: Flying Scot® Sailing Association (FSSA)

Hosted by Lake Norman Yacht Club 297 Yacht Road, Mooresville, NC 28117

1. RULES:

This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined by the current edition of the *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS). US Sailing Prescriptions to RRS 63.2 and 63.4b will not apply. Participants agree to abide by the RRS and all other rules that govern this event and the host club. Payment of the Entry Fee acknowledges agreement and consent to this and the Disclaimer of Liability paragraph.

2. ELIGIBILITY:

ACC, CDC and F48:

FSSA Membership – The events are open to current Active, Life, Junior, Club, and Family Members as defined in the FSSA Class Rules (www.fssa.com). FSSA dues must be paid prior to the close of registration and may be done online at www.fssa.com or call 800-445-8629.

ACC and CDC:

Club Boats – For eligibility information see Class Rules, Article B-VIII, Paragraphs 8a, b and c. Club boats must be registered with the FSSA by November 2.

ACC:

- Chartering For eligibility see Class Rules, Article B-VIII, Paragraphs 9c and d. An FSSA member shall fill out a Chartering Approval Form (available on the FSSA website on the "Documents/Forms" page) and submit it to the FSSA Executive Secretary at info@fssa.com. The submission deadline of one-month prior is waived, but the form shall be submitted as soon as possible to ensure there is time to review it before the event. The charter request shall be approved by the FSSA before the boat's entry will be accepted.
- Co-owners For eligibility to compete see Class Rules, Article B-VIII, Paragraphs 6d, e and f. A co-owner shall fill out a Co-ownership Certification Form (available on the FSSA website on the "Documents/Forms" page) and submit it to the FSSA Executive Secretary at info@fssa.com. The one-month prior deadline for submission is waived, but the form shall be submitted as soon as possible to ensure there is time to review it before the event. The co-owner request shall be approved by the FSSA before the boat's entry will be accepted.

CDC: Helmspersons must reside in or belong to a fleet within the Carolinas District.

3. **REGISTRATION:** Advance registration is available online at Regatta Network ACC/District/Fall 48 or from the link listed on the FSSA event calendar at http://www.fssa.com/events. Registration must be completed by October 31 to avoid a late fee. Check-in (mandatory) and registration at the regatta site will be available from 1700 - 1900 on Friday, Nov. 2 and from 0900-1030 on Saturday, Nov. 3. Sailing Instructions will be available at registration. If necessary, the registration desk may assist registrants with joining FSSA.

- Registration includes the Friday clinic, continental breakfasts Saturday and Sunday, socials with beer, wine and soda after racing on Saturday and Sunday, and a **Halloween costume party Saturday night.**
- 4. <u>FEES</u>: The registration fee is the same regardless of whether or not the helmsperson is eligible for one, two or three of the regattas. Shirts can be ordered through Sunday, October 21. Please go to the online Registration page for designs, options and pricing. The discount for early regatta registration is available through October 31, and late fees apply November 1 and thereafter. Please see the table below for details and prices.

	Member - U.S. Sailing		Non-Member U.S. Sailing	
Item	By 10/31/2018	After 10/31/2018	By 10/31/2018	After 10/31/2018
Friday On-the-Water Clinic	FREE	FREE	FREE	FREE
Friday Taco Bar with beverages (per person)	\$10	\$12 If Available	\$10	\$12 If Available
Registration	\$65	\$75	\$70	\$80
Continental Breakfasts and Socials	FREE	FREE	FREE	FREE
Lunch - Saturday or Sunday (per meal) Submarine Sandwiches	\$6	N/A	\$6	N/A
Saturday Dinner (per person)	\$12	\$15 If Available	\$12	\$15 If Available

5. **SCHEDULE:** The Fall 48, Carolinas District Championship and the Atlantic Cost Championship will be sailed concurrently. Friday there will be informal practice racing with multiple starts on a short course. Racing will be Saturday and Sunday with a maximum of five races. Three races are scheduled for Saturday and two races are scheduled for Sunday. No Warning Signal will be made after 1400 on Sunday. On-shore events will be held at the clubhouse. See the schedule below.

Friday, Nov 2 nd , 2018	1300 – 1345	Clinic brief	
	1400	Warning Signal for practice race	
	1400 - 1600	On-the-water clinic/video/coaching	
	1700 – 1900	On-site registration	
	1730 – 1830	Clinic debrief, video replay, refreshments	
	1830 – 2000	Taco Bar and Beverages	
Saturday, Nov 3 rd , 2018	0800 - 0930	Continental breakfast	
	0900 – 1030	Check-in and Registration	
	1030	Competitors' Meeting and lunch pick-up	
	1200	Warning signal for first race of the day	
	1700	Social, RaceQs, round Table w/ beverage	
	1830	Dinner, Montreal Chicken, Baked Beans, Broccoli, Rice & Cheese, Brownies and Ice Cream	
		Halloween costume party so come dressed as you dare!	

Sunday, Nov 4 th , 2018	0730 - 0830	Continental breakfast	
	930	Warning signal for first race of the day	
	1400	No warning signal after this time	
	After racing	Awards Ceremony and social	

- 6. **MEASUREMENT:** Boats must conform to the specifications in the Class Rules. Each boat must carry equipment required by Class Rules, Article S-V Racing Restrictions, Paragraph 2 and US Coast Guard requirements.
- 7. **VENUE:** Racing will take place on Lake Norman within a mile of the club.
- 8. **THE COURSES**: The courses to be sailed will be windward-leeward as described in the Sailing Instructions.
- 9. **PENALTY SYSTEM:** RRS Appendix V, Alternative Penalties, Rules V1 and V2 will be in effect. This changes RRS 44.1.
- 10. **SCORING:** The low point scoring system of RRS Appendix A will be used. All races will be scored. This change RRS A2.1. Five races are scheduled of which one shall be completed to constitute a series for the F48, CDC and ACC.
- 11. **TOWING:** Boats may be towed to and from the race area only if towing is made available to all participants. Otherwise, a boat accepting a tow without consent of the Race Committee shall be disqualified without a hearing. This changes RRS 63.1. Exceptions to this rule may be made by the Race Committee in extenuating circumstances, i.e. breakdown, illness, or other factors that may be appropriate. Protests under this rule may be made only by the Protest Committee or the Race Committee. This changes RRS 60.1(a).
- 12. **LAUNCHING, BERTHING AND PARKING**: Boat storage and parking are available on the lawn west of the clubhouse, and on the north side of the cove east of the hoist. Avoid parking near launch ramps. Space to leave your boat in the water overnight is available on L shaped docks on a first come, first serve basis. Launch ramps are located on the south and north sides of the cove. Hoses are available to wash off boats.
- 13. **RADIO COMMUNICATION:** While racing, the Race Committee may use VHF radios to communicate with competitors. Channel information will be communicated at the competitors' meeting. See Class Rules, Article S-V Racing Restrictions, Paragraph 7 for more information regarding electronic equipment.
- 14. PRIZES: Prizes will be awarded as follows:

Atlantic Coast Championship – 1st through 5th places, skipper and crew

Carolinas District Championship – 1st Place, perpetual trophy

Fall 48 – 1st through 5th places, skipper and crew

15. **CONTACT INFORMATION:**

Regatta Chair: Carol Sandke Regatta Co-Chair: Mark Evans

Phone: 704-201-3707 Phone: 336-817-4891

16. LODGING & CAMPING

Free camping is available on site. Showering facilities are available at the clubhouse downstairs as well as at the pavilion. No pets or open fires are allowed on Lake Norman Yacht Club property.

Local Hotels: Quality Inn and Suites 704-664-6556 Hampton Inn and Suites 704-660-7700

17. <u>DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY</u>: Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority and host club 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.