



LAUDERDALE YACHT CLUB  
OLYMPIC CLASS REGATTA (LOCR)

**LASER CLASS U.S. NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP**

**LASER, LASER 4.7, LASER RADIAL OPEN**

**JANUARY 11-14, 2019**

**NOTICE OF RACE**

**1.0 RULES**

1.1 This regatta is organized under the authority of the Lauderdale Yacht Club and will be sailed under the management of the Lauderdale Yacht Club Race Committee. The regatta will be governed by the current *Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*, the prescriptions of US Sailing, the rules of the classes competing as they apply to that class except as any of these are changed by the Notice of Race or the Sailing Instructions and properly posted amendments thereto. US Sailing Regulation 10 applies to the National Championship. The US Sailing prescriptions are available at [www.ussailing.org](http://www.ussailing.org).

1.2 The regatta will conform to the current World Sailing Regulation 20 and the respective Class Rules.

1.3 RRS Appendix P, Special Procedures for Rule 42, will apply.

**2.0 REGISTRATION / CLASSES**

2.1 International Laser Radial (open), International Laser Full Rig (open) and Laser 4.7. Each class must have a minimum of 5 entries. Laser and Laser Radial competitors who are members of the ILCA-NA (International Laser Association-North American Region), or their National Laser Class Association may enter.

2.2 Competitors shall enter by completing the entry form available on the event website <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/16691> and paying the required fees. On-line entry opens on June 30, 2018. Entry in the event is not final until registration is completed. All competitors must check in on site to complete registration.

2.3 On Site Registration and Check-in for competitors and coaches is scheduled for Thursday, January 10th between 1600-1830 and on Friday, January 11th between 0800-0900 at the LYC Main Clubhouse.

**3.0 ENTRY FEES**

3.1 Fees are stated in US Dollars and include Florida State Sales Tax. Entries for all classes received by 1200 Noon, January 2, 2018 will qualify for the early entry fee of \$200. Entries received after 1200 Noon, January 2, 2019 will have an entry fee of \$250. Support Boats will have a registration fee of \$50.

## 4.0 SCHEDULE

4.1 The Regatta Venue at the Lauderdale Yacht Club is open to competitors on Wednesday, January 09, 2019.

4.2 The briefing for competitors and coaches is scheduled for 0900 on Friday, January 11, 2019 at the Lauderdale Yacht Club Pavilion stage.

4.3 The First Warning Signal for racing on Friday, Saturday, Sunday, and Monday is 1100. On the last day of racing, no warning signal will be made after 1500. The Awards ceremony will follow the close of the protest deadline at the Lauderdale Yacht Club Pavilion on Monday, January 14, 2019.

## 5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available on or before on-site registration on Thursday, January 10, 2019. Other documents for the event will be published with the sailing instructions.

## 7.0 SCORING

7.1 The Low Point System, RRS Appendix A, will apply, modified so that each boat's regatta score will be the total of her race scores, with her worst score discarded if more than five races have been completed. Eleven races are scheduled, of which three races shall be completed to constitute a regatta.

## 8.0 SUPPORT BOATS

8.1 All support boats must register on-line or in-person and pay the \$50 registration fee.

8.2 Coaches and Support boats are required to monitor the course channel on a VHF radio and be available to assist with safety when requested.

## 9. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to the top 5 boats in each class, top junior in each class, top female in the radial class and 4.7 class. In addition, the overall winner in the Laser and Radial classes will be awarded the Tim ("Tiny") Miller Memorial Award, presented in recognition of Tim's dedication to excellence in Race Management at the Lauderdale Yacht Club.

## 10. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4 Decision to Race. The Lauderdale Yacht Club and organizers will not be liable for material damage, loss, death, or personal injury in conjunction with the event.

## 11.0 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

11.1 For further information, please contact LYC Fleet Captain Ted Morley [TMORLEY@mptusa.com](mailto:TMORLEY@mptusa.com)

11.2 Competitors and/or Coaches MUST contact the LYC Marina to make arrangements for launching and/or mooring of coach/support boats. Any boats stored or launched on site without approval are subject to removal at the owner's expense. Contact the Marina office at (954) 527-2209 or email Brandon Collura, [brandon.collura@lyc.org](mailto:brandon.collura@lyc.org).

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