

# 2018 Sunfish Florida State Championship

May 19 – 20, 2018

Daytona Beach, FL

Organizing Authority: Halifax Sailing Association

## 1. Rules

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

1.1 The following are the only prescriptions of US Sailing that will apply: the prescription to RRS 61.4 (no fees for protests), the prescription to RRS 67 (results of jury are not liable decisions), and the prescription to RRS 76.1 (non-discrimination). The prescriptions are contained in their entirety at:

[https://www.sunfishclass.org/documents/2017-2020 US Prescriptions - final 10.4.2016.pdf](https://www.sunfishclass.org/documents/2017-2020_US_Prescriptions_-_final_10.4.2016.pdf)

1.2 RRS 40 is changed as follows: All competitors are required to wear a personal flotation device while racing except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. The "Y" flag will not be displayed

## 2. Eligibility and Entry

2.1 The regatta is open to all class legal boats of the Sunfish Class.

2.2 Entry will be via Regatta Network.

2.3 An entry will be considered complete only when the online entry form is submitted and the regatta entry fee is paid.

2.4 Day of race entry will be allowed at the regatta site.

## 3. Advertising

Advertising will be permitted in accordance with World Sailing Regulation 20.

## 4. Fees

4.1 The entry fee will be \$65.00.

4.2 Entries received after May 12, 2018 will be subject to an additional fee of \$10.00.

4.3 The fee provides for an event hat and hosted post-race hors d'oeuvres Saturday and Sunday.

## 5. Schedule

5.1 A maximum of nine (9) races may be sailed.

5.2 The Schedule of events is as follows:

Saturday, May 19, 2018

0900 – 1100 Registration

1100 Competitors Meeting

1155 1<sup>st</sup> Warning Signal

After Racing – Hosted Beverage Social / Hors d'oeuvres

1900 Informal Meeting at the North Turn Restaurant for Dinner

Sunday, May 20, 2018

1055 1<sup>st</sup> Warning Signal

1400 No further Warning Signal shall be made

1530 Awards Ceremony with Hosted Beverage Social / Hors d'oeuvres

## 6. Sailing Instructions

6.1 Sailing instructions will be available at registration.

6.2 The Official Notice Board will be located at the Halifax Sailing Association pavilion.

## 7. Venue and Courses

7.1 Races will be conducted in the Halifax River south of the Halifax Sailing Association.

7.2 The courses will be specified in the Sailing Instructions.

## 8. Scoring

8.1 Each boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores excluding her worst Score, except that no scores will be excluded if fewer than six (6) races are completed. This changes RRS A.2.

8.2 One (1) race shall constitute a regatta.

## 9. Awards

9.1 Prizes shall be awarded to the top (5) finishers overall and the top junior sailor under 21 years of age. At the discretion of the Organizing Authority other categories may be recognized.

## 10. Berthing

10.1 Sunfish will be accommodated on the grounds of the Halifax Sailing Association. Trailers may be stored in the adjacent city park to the north of the club.

## 11. Housing

11.1 There are numerous hotels and motels located on the beach near the regatta site. Some suggestions are:

Perry's Ocean Edge Resort (386) 255-0581

Streamline Hotel (386) 947-7470

Tropical Winds Oceanfront Hotel (386) 258-1016

## 12. Disclaimer of Liability

12.1 Competitors shall participate entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4. The Organizing Authority does not accept any liability for material injury, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior, during, or after the regatta. Competitors compete entirely at their own risk.

## 13. Further Information contact Regatta Chairman: Dave Dunn (386) 679-5202

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