

PALM BEACH SAILING CLUB
FALL FESTIVAL REGATTA
TREASURE COAST YOUTH SPRING SERIES #2
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2018

OPTI SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1. RULES

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*, the Notice of Race & these Sailing Instructions.

2. Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located on the deck.

3. Signals made ashore will be displayed on the waterside flagpole.

4. Schedule:

Skipper's Meeting 1015
First Warning Signal 1100
No Warning after 1400

5. The Race Course, rounding marks, start & finish lines, and buoys will be announced at the Skipper's Meeting.

6. THE START (to be announced at the skipper's meeting)

Races will be started by using RRS 26 with the warning signal made 3 minutes before the start. The Class Flag will be a solid green flag. OR modified 3 minute sound signal sequence.

7. Boats failing to finish within 20 minutes of the first finisher will be scored DNF. This changes rules 35, A4, & A5. Stragglers may be scored in place and asked to return to the start area.

8. PENALTIES

RRS 44.1 is changed so that the two-turn penalty is replaced by a one-turn penalty.

9. PROTESTS

You must notify the signal boat upon finishing a race you intend to file a protest in. You must confirm your protest within 30 min. of the PROs arrival on the deck. Protests will be heard using Appendix T-Arbitration in an open forum.

10. SCORING

If 4 or fewer races are sailed, there is no throwout. If five or more races are sailed, there will be one throwout. This changes APPENDIX A SCORING A2.1.