



American Cancer Society and Fiesta of Five Flags Regatta

Including the Pensacola Bay Championship #6 and
PYC Championship #2

April 27, 2019

Pensacola Yacht Club
Pensacola, FL

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

1.1 This regatta will be governed by rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).

1.2 The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in the *Pensacola Bay General Sailing Instructions* that are posted on the official notice board located on the deck of the Watson Sailing Center at the Pensacola Yacht Club (PYC) and on line at the yacht club website (<https://pensacolayachtclub.org/>). Supplemental sailing instructions, as applicable to this regatta, will be posted and uploaded prior to the event.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1 The regatta is open to boats with a GYA PHRF rating certificate. Absent a certificate, a boat must accept a temporary provisional rating, as assigned by the race committee, in order to register.

2.2 Classes are: Spinnaker and Non-Spinnaker. Classes may be divided into divisions by the race committee based on the number of entries and their PHRF ratings.

2.3 Boats can registration online until 1000 on April 27 at <https://www.regattanetwork.com/html/calendar.php#> or on race day during open registration at the yacht club.

2.4 Late entries or on-the-water registration will be accepted under the following conditions:

Registration must be completed prior to the first warning signal of the first race of the day and a late fee of \$10.00 will be charged.

3. FEES

3.1 Required fees:

The fee for the PHRF class is \$50. The fee includes a \$10 tax deductible donation to the American Cancer Society. Thank you for your donation.

3.2 Other fees:

Additional donations to the American Cancer Society are encouraged and can be made at registration or by phone to PYC at (850) 433-8804 to adjust a boat's current PHRF rating upward. An adjustment of three seconds will be made for each \$10 in additional donations. These adjustments will apply to scoring for awards. Each skipper is encouraged to ask their crewmembers to pitch in a little for this most worthy cause.

4. SCHEDULE

April 27, Saturday:

0900 - 1000	Registration at PYC.
1000	Competitors meeting at PYC.
1155	Warning signal for first race of the day. Two races are scheduled.

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1 Supplementary sailing instructions will be available by 1800 Friday, April, 26.

6. THE COURSES

6.1 The courses to be sailed will be windward/leeward using dropped marks.

7. SCORING

7.1 Scoring for the regatta will be based on adjusted PHRF ratings.

7.2 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series for the regatta.

7.3 Scoring for the Pensacola Bay Championship Series #6 and PYC Championship Series #2 will be based on a boats' unadjusted PHRF rating.

8. PRIZES

8.1 Prizes will be given for the regatta as follows:

5 or more boats in a division: 1st – 3rd place.

4 boats in a division: 1st – 2nd place.

3 boats in a division: 1st place.

The Amanda Werner Trophy will be awarded to the overall regatta champion. Trophy presentations will be at PYC as soon as possible after the scoring is final.

9. FURTHER INFORMATION

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