

Hobie Wave Intergalactic Championship

October 25 - 27 2019

Organizing Authority: Pensacola Beach Yacht Club
Host: Pensacola Beach Yacht Club & Key Sailing

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the current rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2. The first sentence of RRS A2 is changed to read "Each boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores except when 6 or more races have been scored, each boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score".
- 1.3. US Sailing Prescriptions to Rule 63.2 will not apply.

2. ELIGIBILITY, ENTRY, AND PLACEMENT

- 2.1. This event is open to all Hobie Waves.
- 2.2. Eligible boats shall register using online registration by the specified deadlines
- 2.3. Online registration is available at US Sailing: Regattanetwork.com

3. FEES

- 3.1. Entry fees received before on or **before OCTOBER 1, 2019** are as follows:

REGATTA FEES: \$ 95.00

- 3.2. Entry fees received **after OCTOBER 1st 2019** are as follows:

REGATTA FEES: \$125.00

- 3.3. Additional Social Package: non contestants for Daily Food & Drink

PER PERSON \$ 40.00

(Regatta Fees listed above include one social package for that entrant)

4. SCHEDULE OF RACES

- 4.1. Multiple back to back races are scheduled for each day. No race may be started after 2:00 pm on Sunday.
- 4.2. The **tentative** itinerary for the regatta is listed below but is subject to change by the Organizing Authority:

Date

Thurs. Oct 24 2:00 – 4:00 pm Practice races
4:00 – 7:00 pm Late Registration

Fri. Oct. 25 9:00 --10:00am Late Registration
10:00 am Skippers Meeting
11:55 pm RACING : First Warning
5:00 pm Beer on the Beach
7:00 pm Dinner: TBD

Sat. Oct 26 9:55 am RACING : First Warning
1:00-1:30 pm Lunch on the water (build your own sandwich)
1:55 pm RACING RESUMES
5:00 pm Beer on the beach
7:00 pm Dinner TBD

Sun. Oct 27 9:55 am RACING : First Warning
1:00 pm No races start after 1pm
3:00 pm Awards

5. MEASUREMENT

- 5.1. Each boat shall conform to the international class rules.
- 5.2. All sails will be subject to measurement.
- 5.3. Only one sail may be used during the regatta. If a competitor's sail is damaged beyond repair they may appeal to the Organizing Authority to substitute another measured and approved sail.
- 5.4. A boat and/or its equipment may be inspected, or directed to a place for inspection, at any time for compliance with Class Rules, the Sailing Instructions, and this Notice of Race.
- 5.5 Each boat shall display a bow number or letter on the outside of each hull. No two boats shall have the same number.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 6.1. Race packets, including Sailing Instructions will be available on Thursday, October 24th from 4:00 pm - 7:00pm as well as Fri. at the Pensacola Beach Yacht Club. Sailing Instructions MAY be posted on Regatta Network Prior to regatta.
- 6.2 In case of any discrepancy between the NOR and Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions shall take precedent.

7. VENUE

7.1. All racing will take place on the Near Shore waters of Quietwater beach by Key Sailing.

8. COURSES

8.1 The courses sailed will include: Triangle Windward- Leeward and/or Windward- Leeward.

9. SCORING

9.1. The Low-Point System of Appendix A will be used.

9.2. Also see Paragraph 1. Rules: Sec 1.3 of this NOR

9.3. One race will constitute a regatta with the intension to have 12–15 races or more if conditions allow.

10. HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

10.1. Unrestricted for all Competitors.

11. AWARDS

11.1. Prizes will be awarded for First - Fifth place Overall.

11.2. Prizes will be awarded for First - Third place Senior (over 65) division

14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Sailing is an activity that has an inherent risk of damage and injury. Competitors in this event are participating entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The race organizers (organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, host club, sponsors, or any other organization or official) will not be responsible for damage to any boat or other property or the injury to any competitor, including death, sustained as a result of participation in this event. By participating in this event, each competitor agrees to release the race organizers from any and all liability associated with such competitor's participation in this event to the fullest extent permitted by law.

15. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Organizing Authority Website/Entry: www.Regattanetwork.com

Regatta Chairman: Mark Smith – nacra20@cox.net – 850-291-2545

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