



NOTICE OF RACE

2020 Katrina Memorial Club Wave Championship August 29 - 30, 2020

Organizing Authority:
Ocean Springs Yacht Club

1. RULES

The regatta will be governed by the rules defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing. The US Sailing Prescription to RRS 63.2 and 63.4 are deleted.

2. CLASSES AND ELIGIBILITY

This will be a Hobie Wave one design regatta. Hobie Waves that meet the Hobie or Formula Wave class rules will be eligible for this regatta. OSYC club boats will be available to OSYC members on a first come first serve basis. If a boat is available on the day of the races a non-member may use an OSYC boat. Coordinate with the Fleet Captain for boat reservation.

3. ENTRY FEES AND REGISTRATION

The Registration Fee is \$30, payable on regattanetwork.com.

4. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, August 29th, 2020		Sunday, August 30th, 2020	
Onsite Check in:	0800-0930	Competitor's Meeting:	0930
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5. COMPETITOR'S MEETING

There will be a competitor's meeting both days under the clubhouse at 0930.

6. VENUE

This regatta will take place in Biloxi Bay and the Mississippi Sound.

7. SCORING

The Low Point Scoring System of Appendix A of the RRS will apply.

8. PENALTY SYSTEM

Rule 44.1 is changed for all boats so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One Turn Penalty (including one tack and one jibe). This changes RRS 44.1.

9. TROPHIES

Trophies will be awarded

10. SAFETY

In addition to the requirements of RRS Rule 40 and its U.S. Sailing Prescription, a condition of entry and participation in this regatta is the wearing of a U.S. Coast Guard approved PFD, properly secured at all times while on the water, except for brief periods while removing or adding clothing. Wet suits, dry suits and inflatable PFD's do not constitute adequate personal buoyancy. Failure to comply is not grounds for protest, however boats will not be checked in, started, or scored unless all members of the crew comply with this rule.

11. RADIO COMMUNICATION

All vessels are encouraged to have a VHF radio and to monitor the race management channel as well as VHF channel 16. Except in case of emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio transmissions not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

12. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

13. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Preliminary sailing Instructions may be available online, and final official sailing instructions will be available onsite at check-in. The courses to be sailed will be contained in the sailing instructions.

14. COURSES

We will be sailing windward-leeward courses in Biloxi bay on Saturday and Sunday.

15. LODGING

Check availability of local hotels. Primitive camping is available on the grounds of the yacht club.

16. FURTHER INFORMATION

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