Windmill Midwinter Championship

Clearwater Community Sailing Center

Clearwater, Florida March 19-21, 2021

NOTICE OF RACE

1. Covid-19 Guidelines

- All CDC, State of Florida, County and City of Clearwater guidelines/restrictions will be strictly followed along with the CCSC COVID-19 rules and regulations.
- On March 12th, we will have a Go / No Go decision based on two factors: Covid-19 situation, and a minimum of 10 boats registered by that date.
- DUE TO COVID-19, THIS EVENT MAY BE CANCELLED AT ANY TIME. If cancellation becomes necessary, entry fee will be refunded.
- All persons on CCSC property shall wear a mask/face covering at all times while on site. This includes the parking lot, breezeways, classrooms, restrooms, and docks.
- Temperature checks may be performed on all persons entering any CCSC facility.
- It is critical to be mindful of how you feel, and particularly when ANY of the potential COVID-19 symptoms are present, to please stay home.

2. Organizing Authority

Clearwater Community Sailing Center (CCSC) and Windmill Class Association.

3. Venue

Clearwater Community Sailing Center,1001 Gulf Boulevard Clearwater, Florida 33767. The racing area will be on the Gulf of Mexico, directly north-west of the Clearwater inlet, or in the basin SE of the CCSC.

4. Rules

This event is governed by the *Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024*, except as changed by this notice of race, the sailing instructions, the prescriptions of US Sailing or the rules of the Windmill Class Association. The WCA also reserves the right to change this notice of race.

5. Eligibility

The regatta is restricted to members of the Windmill Class Association.

6. Registration

- a. Competitors may register online at https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/21873
- b. A late fee of \$25 applies after March 12th.
- c. Signed liability waivers must be received no later than 1030, March 19th. Waivers can be executed online or at check-in.
- d. Registration can be completed online at

7. Entry Fee

- a. Entry fee includes three days of racing, but no evening meals.
- b. Entry fee will be \$90 for each team. The entry fee may be paid on the Club's secure site.

8. Schedule of Events

Date	Time	Activity
March 19	1030	Competitor's Meeting
	1200	First Start
March 20	1100	First Warning Signal
March 21	1100	First Warning Signal
	March 19 March 20	March 19 1030 1200 March 20 1100

Awards upon completion of racing, CCSC.

No warning signal will be made after 1430, Sunday, February 9.

9. Event Format

a. The courses will be windward/leeward, with finishes to leeward, or Triangle windward/leeward with finish to leeward. Final details will be in the Sailing Instructions.

10. Sailing Instructions

a. Sailing instructions will be available at CCSC March 18th, and a digital version should be made available.

11. Advertising

a. This event will be governed by the World Sailing Regulation 20.

12. Scoring

a. The Low Point Score System of RRS, Appendix A will apply.

13. Prizes

a. Prizes will be awarded to the drivers and crews placing first through third. The winning team will also be loaned the Midwinter Championship perpetual trophy. Their names will be etched on the trophy.

14. Disclaimer

a. Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. Neither the organizing authority nor the host organization, nor the sponsors will accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

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