Monday, May 30, 2022

Race Around Lido

A Fun Family Friendly Regatta

Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions

1. Rules

The Race Around Lido Regatta is a Fun Family Friendly Regatta governed by the rules of good sportsmanship, a little slapstick and loads of laughs.

2. Entries

Competitors REALLY SHOULD pre-register at Regatta Network. https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/24569# home.

All registered Sailors will receive a meal wristband at check-in the morning of event. Sailors that *do not* have a wristband will not be served. Pricing is per individual not by boat participation. Five years old and under are free. <u>Notice to Parents and Youth Participants: This is a parent supervised event. No Youth should be dropped off and unsupervised. Parents must provide supervision on and off the water. This is not an SYS coaching event. All youth participants must have 100% knowledge and competency in the boat they are chartering/sailing.</u>

Pre-registration prices

Prior to May 29, 2021 Late Registration after May 29, 2022

Per boat \$35.00 Per boat \$40.00 (includes one meal wristband)

3. Boats Eligible to Compete

All Sailboats classes, Kayaks, Paddle Boards, Windsurfers are eligible to participate. Motorboats are welcome for spectating purposes or for being Safety/Chase Boats.

4. Schedule

Registration & Check-In	Monday, May 30, 2022	0830-0930
Chase /Safety Boats	Monday, May 30, 2022	0900-0915
Skippers Meeting	Monday, May 30, 2022	0930
Launch Boats	Monday, May 30,2022	10am
Lunch (Walt's Fish Market)	Monday, May 30, 2022	1300-1500
Boats return by	Monday May 30, 2022	1500

5. Notices to Competitors

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located in or near the pavilion.

6. Signals Made Ashore

Signals made ashore will be displayed on the flagpole or announced on the Club PA system.

7. Racing Area

The racing area will be from the SSS to/around Lido Key (see chart). There will be two courses to choose from as indicated below or modified and announced at the Skippers Meeting and/or Posted on the Official Notice Board.

Course Choices:

- 1. Around Lido (SSS, New Pass, Lido Beach, Big Pass, South Lido, Ringling Bridge, SSS) Recommended for Opti, Sunfish, other small boats Scow and Crewed Boats.
- 2. Bird Key Bridge to South Lido (SSS, Bird Key Bridge, South Lido, Bird Key Bridge, SSS)- Recommended for Kayaks, Stand Up Paddleboards and Wind Surfers.
- 3. New Pass, Bascule Bridge: **High Tide 12:40pm. Bridge opens on the hour 20 min and 40 minutes after the hour.**

8. The Start, Check in Point, & Finish

The **start** will take place immediately following the skipper's meeting. Each boat is required to check in with an Official at the Registration table and the halfway point in the race. The **finish** will be near the SSS flagpole when the registered sailors ring the bell and **checks in** with the **Check-in** Official.

9. Time Limit

The time limit will be 3 hours from the start of the race. Please be sure to check-in. Please also return in a timely manner to participate in all the festivities. Boats that have not checked in by 1600 will be termed late. Late skippers will be notified via cell phones and if the skipper cannot be located by 1600 a **search boa**t will be sent out to locate the boat. This is to ensure the safety of all sailors are accounted for.

10. Personal Flotation Devices & Protests

Personal Flotation Devices (PFD's) shall be worn by all participants while on a boat or in the water. No protests shall be heard or addressed. Have fun, be safe, and play fair.

11. Scoring & Prizes

There will not be Scoring at this event. Prizes will be awarded at shore games. This is a race in name only.

12. Meal and Activities

Meal (Fish fry and Salad) will be served at SSS immediately after the Race. On-shore activities & games will take place after the Race. The Kona Ice Truck will be on site from the hours of 12 p.m. - 3 p.m. Meals may be purchased for non-sailors. Landlubber Adult (Food & games) \$20.00. Landlubber twelve and under (Food & games) \$15. Landlubber under five years old free.

13. 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.!

14. Photographers and TV Rights

Competitors give absolute right and permission for any photographs or video footage taken of themselves or their competing boat to be published in any media whatsoever for either editorial or advertising purposes, or to be used in press information.

^{*}Proceeds from the event are used to support the Luffing Lassies Women's Sailing and Sarasota Sailing Squadron

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