



**Coconut Grove Sailing Club
1st Annual
Halloween Howler Regatta
Biscayne Bay, Coconut Grove, FL
Saturday, October 29 - Sunday, October 30, 2011**

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1 The Organizing Authority and regatta host is the Coconut Grove Sailing Club.
- 1.2 The regatta will be governed by *the Racing Rules of Sailing*, including the *US Sailing Prescription* except as any of the above may be properly changed by the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.3 Sail numbers must be displayed on both sides of the mainsail in sharp contrast to the sail and clearly legible.

2. CLASSES AND ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 International Optimist dinghies may enter by completing registration and paying all entry fees.
 - 2.1.1 Classes will include:
 - Red, White & Blue Fleet
 - Green Fleet
 - 2.1.2 Opti competitors shall have been born on or after January 1, 1996
- 2.2 Lasers may enter by completing registration and paying all entry fees.
 - 2.2.1 Classes will include:
 - Laser 4.7
 - Laser Radial
 - 2.2.2 Laser Radial and Laser 4.7 fleets are open for all junior sailors, up to 18 years of age.

3. REGISTRATION AND FEES

- 3.1 Registration shall be online only at the Regatta Network website
- 3.2 Registration includes completing the Registration Form, the Waiver Form, the Medical Form and paying the entry fee.
- 3.3 Entry fee for all Competitors is \$60.00.
 - 3.3.1 Late registration fee is \$75.00 after October 15th
- 3.4 Fee includes a daily continental breakfast, water, lunch and dinner and a movie Saturday evening.

4. SCHEDULE

Friday, October 28 th	
1600 - 2000	Check in
Saturday, October 29 th	
0730-0930	Continental Breakfast
0800-0900	Check in
0845	Competitors' Meeting
1030	First Warning Signal
1700	Dinner & a Movie
Sunday, October 30 th	
0730-0930	Continental Breakfast
1000	First Warning Signal
1330	No Warning Signal after this time
ASAP following last race	Awards Presentation

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available online prior to Registration with printed copies available at check in.

6. VENUE AND COURSES

- 6.1 The racing area will be on Biscayne Bay, near the entrance to Brennan Channel.
- 6.2 The courses will be included in the Sailing Instructions.

7. SCORING

7.1 The Low Pont Scoring System of RRS Appendix A will apply.

7.2 Six races are scheduled. One race must be completed to constitute a regatta.

7.3 If six or more races are completed, each competitor's worst score will be excluded. If ten races are completed, each competitor's two worst scores will be excluded.

8. AWARDS

Trophies will be awarded to top Five finishers by class. Additional trophies may be awarded at the discretion of the RC.

9. FACILITIES

9.1 Boats may be kept on dollies or on their bottoms on the Club lawn.

9.2 Parking inside the Club entrance gate is reserved for Club Members. Offsite parking is available on the circle just outside the Club's main gate or at the parking garage next to the Library for a \$6 daily rate (with ticket stamped by CGSC).

9.3 Support and Coach boats shall register with CGSC during check in.

10. FURTHER INFORMATION & REGATTA CONTACT

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