



Organizing Authority:

CORAL REEF YACHT CLUB, 2484 South Bayshore Drive, Miami, Florida 33133, USA

NOTICE OF RACE

DECEMBER 26 to 30, 2018

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.2 The US Prescriptions to RRS 60.3, 67, 70.5(a), 76.1, 61.4 and Appendix R shall apply.
- 1.3 In all Optimist classes RRS 61 will be changed as follows: The red protest flag required in Rule 61.1(a) shall be attached to the lifejacket in a manner that conceals it until displayed. Further changes to Rule 61.1 may be part of the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.4 If there is a conflict between languages the American English text will take precedence.
- 1.5 Competitors shall wear a properly secured personal flotation device at all times while afloat, except briefly while changing clothes. US competitors must wear USCG approved PFDs. Competitors from outside the US may wear a PFD approved by their nations' certification authority or a USCG approved PFD.
- 1.6 Appendix P will be in effect and may be modified by the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.7 Class rules regarding qualifying events and championships will not apply.
- 1.8 In accordance with RRS G3, a boat chartered or loaned for this event may carry national letters or a sail number in contravention of her class rules.

2 ADVERTISING AND BOAT IDENTIFICATION

Boats may be required to display additional identification numbers on their sail or bow. Boats may also be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organizing Authority.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to competitors 18 years of age or younger on December 26, 2018 who declare they are members of US Sailing, or their national authority, and their respective class association.
- 3.2 The regatta is open to all boats of the Club 420, RS Feva, Laser Standard, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7 and Optimist classes with a maximum number of boats in each class as follows:
 - 90 Club 420s
 - 30 RS Fevas
 - 150 Lasers (Standard, Radial and 4.7 combined)
 - 240 Optimist (Red, Blue and White combined)
 - 60 Optimist Green.

- 3.3 Optimist age groups are based on their age on December 26, 2018:
 White - Ten (10) years old or younger
 Blue - Eleven (11) or twelve (12) years old
 Red - Thirteen (13) to fifteen (15) years old
 Green – Novice sailors of any age who have not previously competed in RWB events
- 3.4 Registration will open:
 September 10, 2018 0900 EST for the Optimist Class (Red, White, Blue and Green Fleets).
 September 11, 2018 0900 EST for Club 420, Lasers and RS Feva.
- 3.5 After registration opens eligible boats may enter by completing the entry form at [REGISTRATION](#)
- 3.6 Online registration will close:
 December 14, 2018, 2400 EST. Additional entries will be at the sole discretion of the OA.
- 3.7 Registration is not complete until payment has been made and the Sailor Waiver has been signed online. A waitlist will be created when a class has reached the maximum number of entries. When a spot opens the next entry on the waitlist will be registered. To be placed on the waitlist, full payment and a Sailor Waiver is required. Sailors not moved off the wait list will receive a full refund.
- 3.8 Sailors who have not completed the Sailor Waiver by November 14, 2018 will not be registered and will forfeit their registration and their fee.

4 FEES

Class	Fee	Due Date	Late Fee	Due Date
Laser Laser Radial Laser 4.7 Optimist	\$375.00	If received on or before 1800 hrs, Nov 14, 2018	\$450.00	If received after 1800 hrs, Nov 14, 2018 and prior to 2400 hrs, Dec 14, 2018
Club 420 RS Feva	\$475.00	If received on or before 1800 hrs, Nov 14, 2018	\$550.00	If received after 1800 hrs, Nov 14, 2018 and prior to 2400 hrs, Dec 14, 2018

- 4.1 A refund, less a \$150 processing fee, will be granted to those entries canceled by 1800 hrs, November 14, 2018.
- 4.2 Coach and Spectator Boats -- All coach and spectator boats must register with the organizing authority on-site at Coral Reef Yacht Club on December 26 and provide the names of competitors they support. A fee of \$80.00 per boat is required at the time of registration and will be refunded when the issued ID flag is returned at the end of the regatta. In addition, each boat must carry a VHF radio, monitoring the channel provided for each of their sailors' course at all times while on the water.
- 4.3 All fees are USD. All fees include state and local taxes. All times and dates are EST.

5 CLASSES AND DIVISIONS

All classes may be divided into two or more divisions at the discretion of the OA.

6 VENUE

The location of the regatta will be on Biscayne Bay.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at registration and may be available online prior to the regatta.

8 SCHEDULE

Date	Time (hrs)	Activity
Dec 26	1200 – 1700	Competitor, Spectator, Coach Check-in
	1715 – 1800	Opening Ceremony
Dec 27	0730	Breakfast - CRYC
	0900	Competitor's briefing at the following locations: C420 and RS Feva – US Sailing Center Lasers – Shake-a-Leg Optimist - CRYC
	1100	First Scheduled Warning
	1700 – 1900	Welcome Party
Dec 28	0730	Breakfast - CRYC
	1000	First Scheduled Warning
	1730 – 1900	College Night – Monty's
	1900	Raffle and drawing for C420, Laser and RS Feva – Monty's
Dec 29	0730	Breakfast - CRYC
	1000	First Scheduled Warning
	1730 – 1900	Optimist Competitor's Dinner – CRYC
	1900	Raffle and drawing for Optimist – CRYC
Dec 30	0730	Breakfast - CRYC
	0930	First Scheduled Warning
	1300	No Warning after this time
	1500	Ice Cream Social - CRYC
	1600	Awards - CRYC

9 BERTHING

- 9.1 Club 420 and RS Feva classes will be launched, hauled and stored at the US Sailing Center.
- 9.2 Laser, Laser Radial, and Laser 4.7 classes will be launched, hauled and stored at Shake-a-Leg Miami.
- 9.3 Optimist class will be launched, hauled and stored at Coral Reef Yacht Club and the US Sailing Center.
- 9.4 Each boat is to have its own dolly.

10 CHARTERS

Club 420, RS Feva, Laser and Optimist charters are to be obtained from Orange Bowl International Youth Regatta approved charter companies only. Approved charter companies are:

McLaughlin - Optimists

Samantha Ash (800) 784-6478 sales@optistuff.com

Sturgis Boat Works – 420s and Optimists

Rob Simmons (508) 778-9187 rob@sturgisboatworks.com

KO Sailing – 420s, RS Fevas and Optimists

(800) 276-SAIL (7245)

TBD - Lasers

11 SCORING

11.1 Twelve (12) races are scheduled for Opti RWB, all Laser fleets, C420s and RS Feva. Total races for Opti Green will be at the discretion of the Race Officer.

11.2 A boat's worst score will be excluded with the completion of five (5) or more races.

12 PRIZES

Class	Prizes
Club 420	Gold – 1st through 5th Silver – 1st through 5th All female crew – 1st
RS Feva	1st through 5th All female crew – 1st
Laser Standard	1st through 5th
Laser Radial	Gold – 1st through 5th Silver – 1st through 5th Female – 1st through 3rd
Laser 4.7	1st through 5th
Optimist - RWB	White – 1st through 5th Blue – 1st through 5th Red – 1st through 5th Overall – 1st through 10th Overall Top Female – 1st
Optimist - Green	1st through 10th Participation ribbons for all competitors

13 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.

14 INSURANCE

Each participating boat is required to hold adequate insurance including third party insurance, and it is the owner's sole and inescapable responsibility to ensure insurance is in place and adequate prior to participating in this event.

15 FURTHER INFORMATION

Coral Reef Yacht Club, 305-858-1733, Email: obregatta@gmail.com

Website: www.coralreefyachtclub.org