

# NOTICE OF RACE

A USA Junior Olympic Sailing Festival - December 27-30, 2009 - Miami, Florida

# Orange Bowl

## International Youth Regatta

sponsored by The Orange Bowl Committee and hosted by



*Coral Reef Yacht Club*



### 1 RULES

- 1.1 The Organizing Authority of the regatta is Coral Reef Yacht Club.
- 1.2 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.3 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.
- 1.4 Competitors shall wear while on the water a properly secured US Coast Guard approved personal floatation device. This changes US SAILING prescription to rule 40.
- 1.5 Class rules regarding championships will not apply.

### 2 ADVERTISING

Boats may 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 the first day of the regatta who declare they are members of US Sailing Association, or their national authority, and their respective class association.
- 3.2 The regatta is open to all boats of the Club 420, Laser, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7 and Optimist classes.
- 3.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached entry form on line or mailing, together with the required fee, to Coral Reef Yacht Club, 2484 South Bayshore Drive, Coconut Grove, FL 33133 by 30 November 2009. Late entries will be accepted from 1 December to 15 December 2009, and entry will be closed after 15 December 2009.

### 4 FEES

- 4.1 Required fees by 30 November 2009 are as follows:

Laser, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7 and Optimist Classes	- \$220.00
Club 420 Class	- \$275.00
- 4.2 Required late fees from 1 - 15 December 2009 are as follows:

Laser, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7 and Optimist Classes	- \$275.00
Club 420 Class	- \$400.00

### 5 FLEETS AND FLIGHTS

Club 420, Laser Radial and Optimist fleets may be randomly divided into four or more flights per fleet.

### 6 SCHEDULE

- 6.1 Registration of competitors and support boats at Coral Reef Yacht Club  
Saturday, 26 December, 2009 1300 – 1800.
- 6.2 Dates of racing and scheduled time of warning signal:

Sunday, 27 December	To follow the competitors' meetings
Monday, 28 December	Warning Signal 1000
Tuesday, 29 December	Warning Signal 1000
Wednesday, 30 December	Warning Signal 1000

### 7 SUPPORT BOATS

Support and coach boats shall register with the organizing authority and provide the names of competitors they support.

- 8       **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**  
The sailing instructions will be available at registration.
- 9       **BERTHING (without exception)**  
9.1      Club 420 class will be launched, hauled and stored at Biscayne Yacht Club.  
Laser, Laser Radial, and Laser 4.7 classes will be launched, hauled and stored at US Sailing Center,  
Optimist class will be launched, hauled and stored at Coral Reef Yacht Club.  
9.2      Each boat is to have its dolly.
- 10      **VENUE**  
The location of the regatta will be on Biscayne Bay.
- 11      **THE COURSES**  
The courses to be sailed will be as follows:  
          Club 420 class - Windward/Leeward Course,  
          Laser, Laser Radial and Laser 4.7 classes - ISAF Trapezoid Courses,  
          Optimist Green fleet - Modified Olympic, Windward/Leeward and Triangle Courses,  
          Optimist Red, White and Blue fleets - IODA Trapezoid Courses with Reaching Finishes.
- 12      **SCORING**  
12.1     Scoring will be by the Low Point Scoring System of Appendix A.  
12.2     Twelve (12) races are scheduled. One race is required to be completed to constitute a series for a class or fleet.  
12.3     The worse score will be excluded with the completion of six (6) races. The next-worse score will be  
excluded with the completion of twelve (12) races.  
12.4     Should conditions make it impossible to complete the scheduled number of races, the regatta will be  
terminated and the results based on the races completed and scored.
- 13      **PRIZES**  
Prizes will be given as follows:  
          Club 420 – 1 through 10;  
          Club 420 - first place all female crew;  
          Laser – 1 through 5;  
          Laser Radial – 1 through 10;  
          Laser Radial female – 1 through 5  
          Laser 4.7 – 1 through 5;  
          Optimist White - 1 through 10;  
          Optimist Blue - 1 through 10;  
          Optimist Red - 1 through 10;  
          Optimist Overall - 1 through 10;  
          Optimist Green - 1 through 10.
- 14      **SAFETY**  
An adult (parent, guardian or designated adult) is responsible for the safety of the sailor. It is the sole  
responsibility of the adult to decide if the sailor is to sail in the sea and weather conditions that may arise during the  
regatta. The adults supervising the competitors are ultimately responsible for the risks.
- 15      **DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**  
Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 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.
- 16      **FURTHER INFORMATION**  
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