



Navy Jacksonville Yacht Club

Wave Regatta



WOMEN'S SAILING SERIES

RACE #1

Saturday April 2, 2005

NOTICE OF RACE



1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) 2005-2008, the prescriptions of US SAILING and by the Sailing Instructions.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The Performance Handicap Racing Fleet (PHRF) system will be used to calculate corrected times. The fleet will be divided into Spinnaker, Non-spinnaker and Cruiser Classes. Spinnaker and Non-spinnaker Classes will be all female crew. Cruiser Class is mixed crew with a max of 50% male, a female must be at the helm from the preparatory signal to the completion of the race.
- 2.2 All boats are encouraged to have a valid First Coast Sailing Association (FCSA) PHRF rating, but may obtain an uncontested temporary WSS rating for the Women's Sailing Series.
- 2.3 All boats shall have sail numbers, RRS Appendix G.
- 2.4 The following restrictions on the number of boats apply: Must have a minimum of three boats to form a class.
- 2.5 Eligible boats may enter by submitting the FCSA Standard Entry Form together with entry fee to NJYC before the close of registration. Copy of entry form can be found on www.sailjax.com or at registration table.
- 2.6 Advance registration Post Marked by March 28th, entry forms can be mailed with fee to:
Navy Jacksonville Yacht Club
PO Box 29 Attention George Alston
Naval Air Station
Jacksonville FL 32212-0029

3. FEES

- 3.1 \$35; US Sailing members \$30. Provide US Sailing Number on entry form. Make checks payable to Navy Jacksonville Yacht Club.

4. SCHEDULE

- 4.1 0930-1100 Registration
 1100 Skippers meeting
 1155 Warning signal for first class
 ASAP Awards presentation and social after the race at NJYC.

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 5.1** The sailing instructions will be available at 0930 on race day. Changes to this notice or the Sailing Instructions will be posted in the NJYC by 1000 on race day.

6. VENUE

- 6.1** The racing area will be in the St. Johns River as depicted on NOAA Chart 11492 between the Buckman Bridge to the south and the Fuller Warren Bridge to the north.

7. THE COURSES

- 7.1** The courses to be sailed will be displayed on the committee boat.

8. PENALTY SYSTEM

- 8.1** Competitors must comply with the RRS. Decisions of the protest committee will be final as provided in rule 70.4.

9. SCORING

- 9.1** Low-point Scoring System, RRS Appendix A, Rule A4.1 of the racing rules, will apply for this regatta.
9.2 Results will be posted at NJYC and on www.sailjax.com

10. PRIZES

- 10.1** First, second and third place prizes will be awarded in classes of seven or more entered boats. First and second place prizes will be awarded in classes of four to six entered boats. First place prize will be awarded in classes of less than four entered boats.

11. BASE PASSES

- 11.1** A person from NJYC will be at the NAS JAX Main Gate 9:30 to 10:30 am the day of the race to help with base entrance. All persons entering the base must have a picture ID. All vehicles must have and provide proof of current registration and insurance.
11.2 The docks at NAS Jax (Mulberry Cove Marina) have been repaired from storm damage last year. Free docking on the day of the race is available on the face of F dock (first dock west of river channel).

12. INSURANCE

- 12.1** Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.

13. INFORMATION

- 13.1** Point of contact: George Alston phone 904 317-1744 NJYC phone 904 778-0805

WSS #2	Jun 11 th	EFYC	Jessie Ball Regatta
WSS #3	Sep 17 th	NFCC	Hands on the Helm Women's Regatta
WSS #4	Oct 23 rd	RC	Women On Water Regatta
	May 21 st	NJYC	Armed Forces Day Regatta
	Oct 8 th	NJYC	Navy Day Regatta