



# Notice of Race – Inshore Series

## ST. AUGUSTINE RACE WEEK

March 23 & 24, 2017  
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**NOTE— This Notice of Race is for Inshore Races—boats 30 ft and under. However, boats 24 ft & under are preferred, since boats over 24 ft are encouraged to participate in the offshore events.**

The St. Augustine Race Week Regatta (Inshore Events) is two days of inshore sailing, March 23 & 24, with multiple races per day, on the Tolomato River north of the Vilano Bridge. Race courses will be set between Tolomato River markers #57 and #55). These races will be followed by Invitational Races on Saturday and Sunday for Juniors racing 420s and Optimists and will be run concurrently with Offshore Races taking place on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. Race Week includes daily live entertainment, drinks, and food at the Event Tent adjacent to the Municipal Marina. The final awards party will be held Saturday evening, March 25 at the St. Augustine Yacht Club.

A Competitor's Meeting is scheduled for 1800 March 22nd at the St. Augustine Yacht Club.

- 1 RULES** The First Coast Sailing Association (FCSA) is the Organizing Authority for the St. Augustine Race Week Regatta. The Regatta shall be governed by the "2016-2017 Racing Rules of Sailing" (RRS) as amended by the US Sailing Prescriptions; the PHRF rules of the FCSA (<http://www.sailjax.com>); and class rules for any One-Design class established.
- 2 ADVERTISING** Comply with current ISAF Regulation 20: <http://www.sailing.org/documents/regulations/isafregulations/index.php>
- 3 FEES** The Regatta Fee of \$150 + tax will cover two days of racing; four Bayfront Event Passes for Thursday and Friday including drink tickets; two Awards Event Passes for Saturday at SAYC; and a Skipper's Bag with two Regatta hats and shirts, local discount coupons, and other goodies. Inshore registration fee after January 30 is \$175 +tax Withdrawals after March 10 will forfeit \$60. No refunds will be made for withdrawals after March 17a, and entries tendered after that are subject to acceptance at the discretion of the Race Committee. Additional Award Dinner Event Passes will be \$25 + tax.
- 4 ENTRY FORMS AND OTHER DOCUMENTATION** Prior to racing, each yacht shall be registered and shall submit (1) the proper Fee; (2) a Crew Declaration form including a landside emergency contact (which may be updated at the Competitors' Meeting); and (3) a copy of a current PHRF certificate or similar (if not issued by FCSA) for possible adjustment to conform to FCSA ratings. Register and obtain forms at ( [www.staugustineraceweek.com](http://www.staugustineraceweek.com)) or link from ( <http://www.sailjax.com> ).
- 5 CLASSES** **Class 1** will consist of lighter boats including daysailers and sport boats. **Class 2** will consist of heavier displacement boats. A minimum of three entrants are required to establish a class. Yachts using performance sail materials (non-Dacron) cannot compete in Class 2. If there are too few to form any One Design class, those boats shall compete in Class 1. The Race Committee reserves the right to assign any boat to a particular Class or combine classes as necessary.
- 6 PRIZES** Trophy flags for individual races will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishers in each class or division of class. Regatta trophies will be awarded for overall 1<sup>st</sup> thru 3<sup>rd</sup> place in each class.
- 7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS** Obtain SI's and scratch sheets from the regatta website or at the Competitors' Meeting.