## 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Single-Handed Regatta of Jacksonville

A.K.A. Annual Bull Bay Single Handed Race

### A Fine Good Time For A Sailboat to Enjoy!

Wind in our sails, spray in our faces,

We sail to enjoy a small day of friendly races,

Be it first first to cross the line, to first overall, to fastest to down their grog,

Let us rejoice that the sea still pours through our vein,

We escape the daily mundane.

Like a fire on a cold day,

Come enjoy the fresh spray!

Another year to celebrate together the joys of sailing, Another day to show off the fastest way, To a tin of grog on a fine December day.

Making it glide so fine, Across that magical all telling final line! Prizes there shall be, Maybe something special from the Dollar Tree!



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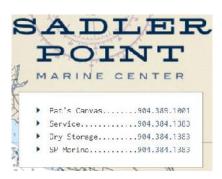






# Lamb's Yacht Center

Exclusive Yanmar Dealership Of Jacksonville – Meeting your Sailboat Motor's Needs



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## Saturday, December 15, 2018 Graciously Hosted by the St. Johns River

Best Pirate Costume wins a Pirate Flag!

### Eligibility and Entry and Classes

- -The Regatta is open to boats of all classes. If it floats and has a sail you're invited to participate!
- -All boats will race in a single class. We will assign a scoring system to make the race fair. However, this is a non-sanctioned, no point's race. The race is for fun, and the ARRR of it!
- -Best Pirate Costume wins a Pirate Flag, if we can find one for you!
- -Fly your club's flag if you have one, if not, who cares!

### Entry Fee/Registration:

- -Pre-Race Day Registration: \$20.00. It's a blue light Special!
- -Race day Registration: \$25.00.

Email: dralexmadsen@gmail.com or call 904-903-1099

Race Day Schedule:

Saturday, 12/15/2016: 10:00 A.M. – Registration;

11:00 A.M. – Skippers Meeting; 11:55 A.M. – 5 Minute Warning Signal Race Start will be at or near Green Marker 5 of the St Johns River.

### Sailing Instructions:

-Come out in your sailboat, and have some fun. For more info or questions use <a href="mailto:dralexmadsen@gmail.com">dralexmadsen@gmail.com</a>

### Course:

Will start at or near Green Marker 5. The actual course will be published in the Sailing Instructions or as changes thereto and signaled on the water by VHF or white board (last two options being the most likely scenarios). Just show up and we'll tell you where to go!

### Safety:

Prudent judgement always! You know your boat, and your sailing abilities, act accordingly. If you see another racing vessel in distress, give assistance, but no mouth-to-mouth unless requested or absolutely life-saving!

### Race Prizes:

First, Second and Third place prizes will be awarded at the finish line at the postrace raft up, pending weather conditions.

### Information:

Contact: Alex Madsen

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https://www.facebook.com/singlehandedregatta/

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# Saturday, December 15, 2016 Graciously Hosted by the St. Johns River Notice of Race

### 1.0 RULES

1.1 Sailing vessels participating in this event are to follow the inland navigation rules (Rules of the Road) of navigation. That's the only rule! Well...set of rules.

### **2.0 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 2.1 The regatta is open to boats of all classes. If it floats and has a sail you're invited to participate!
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing registration (below) with Alex Madsen: <a href="mailto:dralexmadsen@gmail.com">dralexmadsen@gmail.com</a> or just bring the registration form and money to the pre-race meeting!
- 2.3 All boats will race in a single class using a rating system parallel to the FCSA PHRF by the 'The Handicapper'. Just show up and sail! The sailing Gods will take care of the rest. That and some beer money for committee boat!

### 3.0 CLASSES

3.1 If it floats and has a sail, it's classy. All boats will race in a single class under a rating system parallel to the FCSA PHRF system created by the 'The Handicapper'. If you want to throw out a spinnaker, good luck with that. We'll try to save you if we can, but we suggest a backup survival plan.

### **4.0 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

4.1 Saturday, December 17: 10:00 A.M. Registration at or near Green Marker 5; 11:00 Competitors Meeting; 11:55 A.M. Five Minute Warning Signal

### **5.0 ENTRY FEE/REGISTRATION**

5.1 Entry fee is \$15 if registering before race day. Mail checks payable to Alex Madsen accompanied by an entry form (Standard Race Entry Form available at <a href="http://www.sailjax.com">http://www.sailjax.com</a> or below (last page)). Boats may also register between the hours of 10:00 a.m. thru 11:00 a.m. on the day of the race. Race day registration is \$20.

### **6.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

6.1 Changes to sailing instructions will be available on Race Day!

#### 7.0 COURSE

7.1 The Course will start at or near Green Marker 5 of the St Johns River be published in the Sailing Instructions or as changes thereto and signaled on the water by VHF or white board. Monitor VHF 72 before the race for any last minute changes. See Map Below for reference.

### 8.0 SAFETY

- 8.1 Rules of the Road apply, and all other applicable state and government regulations. Pay your Taxes!
- 8.2 Persons in charge with limited single handing experience are cautioned to withdraw if conditions are not favorable, lest Rán have her way with you.
- 8.3 It is mandatory that all participants wear a lifejacket or inflatable vest. A floating beer cooler tied to your waist works as well too! And, as you drink the beer waiting for your rescue, the cooler's buoyancy increases! It's a win-win in a losing situation. Unless you run out of beer and your buzz wears off before help arrives!

### 9.0 RACE PRIZES

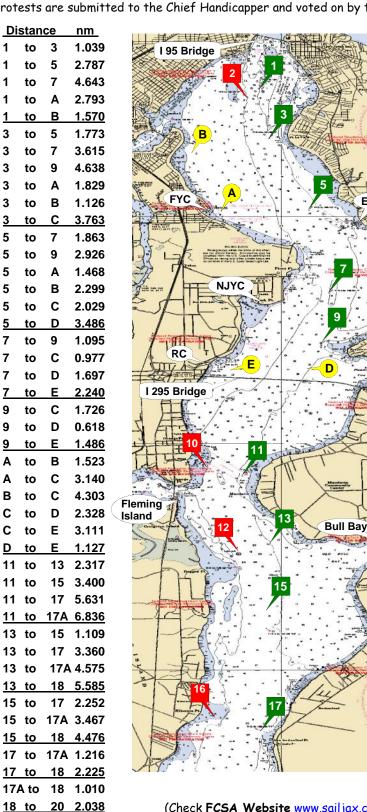
9.1 First, Second and Third Place prizes will be awarded at the finish line after the race. Unless we spent all the money on food and beer!

FCSA's purpose is to handicap sailboats (PHRF), make up the annual schedule, sponsor an Interclub Regatta, and hold an Awards and General Meeting in January. FCSA's Board of Directors is made up of one volunteer from each of the eight member clubs.

See a club handicapper to get a PHRF rating. New rating \$35, Renew by February 1st \$30, Change rating \$5.

The handicapping committee consists of one volunteer from each club and a volunteer Chief Handicapper. Requests for ratings are completed by a club handicapper and approved by the Chief Handicapper. Rating protests are submitted to the Chief Handicapper and voted on by the handicapping committee.





From 2011 USCG Light List

Green 1 N 30º 17.813 W 81º 40.411

Red 2 N 30º 17.628 W 81º 40.635

Green 3 N 30º 16.780 W 81º 40.259

Green 5 N 30º 15.142 W 81º 39.466

**FFYC** 

Green 7 N 30º 13.305 W 81º 39.077

Green 9 N 30º 12.216 W 81º 39.237

Red 10 N 30º 09.513 W 81º 41.399

Green 11 N 30º 09.305 W 81º 40.794

Red 12 N 30° 07.240 W 81° 40.800

Green 13 N 30º 07.036 W 81º 40.224

Green 15 N 30º 05.926 W 81º 40.283

Red 16

N 30° 04.038 W 81° 41.254

Green 17 N 30º 03.671 W 81º 40.393

Green 17A N 30º 02.457 W 81º 40.522

Red 18 N 30º 01.445 W 81º 40.551

Green 19 N 30º 01.335 W 81º 40.279

Red 20 N 29º 59.822 W 81º 39.126 FCSA offers three series of PHRF races: the Spring Series Trophy, the Fall Series Trophy, and the Offshore Trophy. When a rated sailboat is entered in a club race, noted as a FCSA points race, the boat is competing for a club trophy for that race and points toward the annual trophy for the series.

Rules for the annual trophies:

Spring and Fall Series Trophies: 6 races each, 1 throw-out race.

Offshore Series Trophies: 14 races, 7 throw-out races.

Note: There will be no throw out races in a series if less than four races are held due to cancellation or abandonment of races in that series.

Race scoring will be the low point system, 2012-2016 Racing Rules of Sailing, Appendix A, Rule A4.

Series scoring will be as follows:

DNF, RAF = # that started the race DNS, DSQ = # that came to the start DNC = # that attempted to race DNE = # entered in the series + 1 Ties decided under Appendix A8.

Trophies divided by Spinnaker, Non-Spinnaker, and Cruising classes. All competitors must have a current FCSA PHRF rating and be a member of one of the seven FCSA member clubs.

Race Can "C" Also From 2011 N 30º 13.564 **USCG Light List** W 81º 37.989 Race Can "D" Race Can "A" N 30º 11.648 N 30º 15.090 W 81º 41.160 W 81º 39.522 Race Can "B" Race Can "E" N 30º 16.581 N 30º 11.648 W 81º 41.539 W 81º 40.822

(Check FCSA Website <a href="www.sailjax.com">www.sailjax.com</a> for contacts, addresses, phone numbers of club representatives)

EFYC - Epping Forest Yacht Club www.efyc.com

FYC - Florida Yacht Club <u>www.thefloridayachtclub.org</u>
NJYC - Navy Jax Yacht Club <u>www.navyjaxyachtclub.com</u>

**RCoJ** - Rudder Club www.rudderclub.com

NFCC - North Florida Cruising Club www.nfccsail.com

SAYC - St Augustine Yacht Club www.staugustineyachtclub.com

HRYC - Halifax River Yacht Club www.hryc.com

SYC - Smyrna Yacht Club <u>www.smyrnayachtclub.com</u>



### FIRST COAST SAILING ASSOCIATION

### Standard Entry Form for Yacht Racing

Race			Race Date	
Yacht Name			Sail #	
			Color	
Yacht Make		Length	Hull/Trim	/
Owner			Home Phone	
Skipper			Work Phone	
Cell Phone		Vessel Docked at		
E-mail for Resul	ts			
Mailing Address	Street			
Mailing Address	City, St, Zip			
Emergency Contact		Phone		
Names of Crew				
Names of Crew				
Yacht Club Membership			US Sailing #	
Class Entered:	□ - PHRF Spinnaker			
	□ - PHRF Non-Spinnaker	PHRF Rating		
	□ - PHRF Cruiser	<u> </u>	_	
	□ - One Design Class		Portsmouth Rating	
THE UNDERSIGN agrees to be bour accident and expr to participants or indemnify and hollosses, costs, dai participation in the	others, or the loss or damage d the sponsoring yacht club and mages, attorney's fees, and lic	elf/herself, his/her gue g and by all other rules t g yacht club shall not be to any yacht. The unde First Coast Sailing Asso bility of any kind or n	sts, and the members of the cre hat govern this event; and hereb liable, under any circumstance, t rsigned further agrees to indem ciation free and harmless from a ature whatsoever growing out o	ew of his/her yacht, by assumes all risk of for any loss or injury nify and does hereby nd against any and all of or resulting from
Signature			Date	

Refer to Race Announcement for entry fee and registration instructions.

Race Schedule and Race Announcements may be downloaded from the FCSA website: <a href="www.sailjax.com">www.sailjax.com</a>