



**Sailing Instructions
Tillo Cup
Spring Windsurfing Regatta
Hosted by Biscayne Bay Yacht Club
US Windsurfing (OA)
May 14-15, 2022**

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing including Appendix B, Windsurfing Fleet Racing Rules*.
- 1.2 If there is a conflict between languages, the English text will take precedence.

2. NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official Yacht Scoring Notice Board on the Official Notice Board located on the first floor of the BBYC Clubhouse.

3. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted before 9:00 on the day it will take effect, except to the extent that any change to the schedule of races will be posted by 20:00 on the day before it will take effect.

4. SCHEDULE OF RACES

Date	Day	Time	Event
May 14	Saturday	9:30 – 10:30	Check In – All Classes
		10:30	Skippers Meeting – All Classes
		12:30	First Possible Warning – All Classes
May 15	Sunday	11:00	First possible Warning – All Classes
		15:00	Last Possible Warning – Awards to follow last race

5. SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

- 5.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed on the BBYC flagpole.
- 5.2 When the fleet is onshore, the Class flag displayed indicates 30 minutes until the first possible warning for that class.
- 5.3 When “AP” is displayed ashore, “1 minute” is replaced with “not less than 30 minutes” in Race Signal “AP”. This changes Race Signal “AP”.

6. SCORING AND EXCLUDED RACES

When 4 or fewer races have been completed, a board's series scores will be the total of her races. When 5 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score. This amends Appendix A.

7. MINIMUM NUMBER OF RACES; TIME LIMITS

- 7.1. Three races are required to be completed to constitute a regatta.
- 7.2. The time limit for the first board to sail the course and finish is 30 minutes. Boards finishing 15 minutes after the leader will be scored TLE or finished in place.

8. THE START

- 8.1 Races shall be started by using the following signals. Times shall be taken from the visual signals; the absence of a sound signal shall be disregarded.

Minutes before starting signal	Visual signal	Sound signal	Means
3	Class Flag	One	Warning Signal
2	P, U, or black flag	One	Preparatory Signal
1	Preparatory flag removed	One long	One minute
0	Class flag removed	One	Starting signal

- 8.2 The Start Line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the Race Committee Signal Boat and an inflatable mark set to port.
- 8.3 The Green Fleet Course the Start Line will be between a staff displaying an Orange Flag on the Signal Boat and an inflatable mark set to leeward or astern.
- 8.3 A competitor that does not start within 3 minutes after her starting signal will be scored Did Not Start without a hearing. This changes RRS A5.1 and A5.2
- 8.4 The Class flags will be as follows:

Windfoil Class	Bright Pink Flag
Daggerboard Windsurfing Class	Bright Blue Flag
Green Windsurfing Fleet	Green Flag

9. THE FINISH

- 9.1 The Finish Line will be between a Race Committee boat flying a Blue Flag and an inflatable mark set to port.
- 9.2 On the Green Fleet Course the Finish Line will be between a staff displaying an Blue Flag on the Signal Boat and an inflatable mark set to leeward or astern.

10. RACING AREA

- 10.1 The course will be in Biscayne Bay.
- 10.2 All boards shall launch from Biscayne Bay Yacht Club .

11. COURSES

- 11.1 Courses are described in Appendix A.
- 11.2 Courses will be designated by course boards W1 and W2.

12. MARKS

- 12.1 The following are the colors of the marks; W – Green, O – Orange, L – Green
- 12.2 The start and finish pins will be Yellow inflatable marks
- 12.3 The Green Fleet Course will have a Yellow start/finish Mark and a Mark 1 - Orange

13. WIND MINIMUMS

For the foil classes only: In the event the leaders of a race are unable to foil for 5 minutes, Race Committee may abandon the race. Wind Minimums are not grounds for protest or redress.

14. SAFETY

- 14.1 Foiling Competitors will be required to wear helmets.
- 14.2 All competitors will be required to always wear a personal flotation device when afloat.

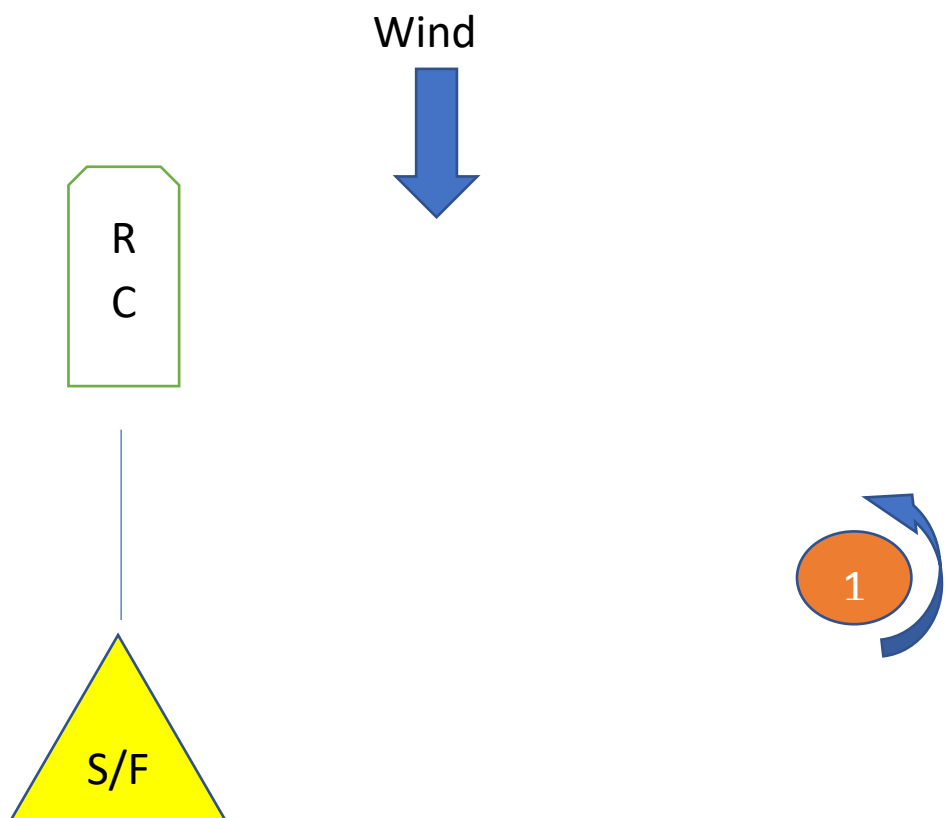
15. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 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.

Appendix A

Green Fleet Course

Start – 1 – Finish



Appendix A

Foiling Courses – Techno and Adult Green Fleet

Course	Rounding Order
W1	Start – WP – OP – LP – Finish
W2	Start – WP – OP – LP– WP – OP – LP – Finish

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