



# The Bruce Watters Green Fleet Regatta September 24-25, 2022

## NOTICE OF RACE

### 1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current *Racing Rules of Sailing* and the rules of The United States Optimist Dinghy Association.

### 2. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

- 2.1. The regatta is open to all competitors who do not turn 16 during the 2022 calendar year.
- 2.2. The 2022 Bruce Watters Regatta will be open to all sailors in the Green Fleet.
- 2.3. Sailors intending to compete in the green fleet must meet all green fleet eligibility requirements.

### 3. BOATS/MEASUREMENT

- 3.1. Optimist class sailboats will be used.
- 3.2. All Competitors are required to bring their own boats.
- 3.3. Each competitor will be responsible for their boats being in compliance with the Optimist class rules.

### 4. FEES

- 4.1. The entry fee is \$85 per sailor.

### 5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 5.1. **Saturday September 24th**
  - 0830 – 0900 Registration
  - 0900 – Competitors Meeting
  - 1000 – Warning signal for first race
- Sunday September 25th**
  - 0930- Warning signal for first race

**1200 No race started after this time  
After Sailing Awards at SPSC**

**6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

**6.1. The sailing instructions will be available at registration.**

**7. SCORING**

**7.1. If 5 or more races are sailed, a boat's worst score shall be discarded. This changes RRSA2.**

**8. SAFETY**

**8.1. A US Coast Guard approved personal flotation device shall be worn, properly fastened, at all times while launching and when sailing. Failure to comply with this rule can result in disqualification as deemed appropriate by the protest committee.**

**8.2. A boat retiring from a race shall notify a Race Committee vessel before leaving the course, or when that is impossible, immediately after arrival ashore.**

**9. PRIZES**

**9.1. The sailor finishing first overall will be awarded the Bruce Watters perpetual trophy.**

**10. FURTHER INFORMATION**

**10.1. Contact Todd Fedyszyn at [todd@spyc.org](mailto:todd@spyc.org) or by phone at 727-822-3113 for further information.**

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