

Amendment 1

The following amendments apply to the 2018 Tampa Bay to Ft. Myers Sailing Instructions:

1) SIGNALS and COMMUNICATION

- a) ~~Signals made ashore will be displayed from the flagpole located west of the clubhouse. If a postponement is signaled ashore the warning signal will be made not less than 30 minutes after AP is lowered.~~ Signals will be displayed on the committee boat prior to the start.
- b) Race Committee will communicate with competitors on VHF Channel 69.
- c) Retiring yachts are requested to inform the Race Committee as soon as possible. Please call/text Brent Bacon at 813-363-6935 if you are retiring.
- d) Contact for RC on station at "SC" - Susan- #239-430-3643 Back-up #:404-769-0982

APPENDIX A – THE COURSE

2018 Tampa Bay to Ft. Myers			
Distance is 104-NM			
Mark	Chart Description	Rounding / Leaving	Approx. Location
Start @ Cut "J", Tall Range - Big "J"	Iso 6s 50ft Fl 4s 5M "A" Fl 4s 5M "B"	Start	N27° 45.050' / W82° 34.328'
Sunshine Skyway Bridge	Really Big Bridge	<i>Pass through</i> Center 3 Spans	N27° 37.220' / W82° 39.350'
SW 1	G "1" Fl G 2.5s Bell	<i>Round</i> to port	N27° 32.329' / W82° 48.597'
Venice Inlet	Fl G 6s 20ft 5M "1"	<i>Round</i> <i>Pass</i> to port	N27° 06.773' / W82° 28.215'
Finish @ San Carlos Mo (A) – "SC"	Mo (A) 16ft 7M "SC"	Finish	N26° 25.131' / W81° 57.550'

- From SW 1, pass to west of all government/navigation buoys. "Private" buoys or buoys marking obstructions such as fish havens ARE NOT marks of the course and DO NOT need to be honored.
- All coordinates provided as a reference. Any reliance on such coordinates shall not be grounds for redress.