



**Miami Yacht Club Youth Sailing Foundation**

## **44<sup>th</sup> Annual Conch Cup Charity Regatta**

**Saturday, November 10, 2018**

### **NOTICE OF RACE**

#### **Organizing Authority**

The organizing authority is the Miami Yacht Club further referred to as MYC and the MYC Youth Sailing Foundation. The proceeds from this Regatta support the Foundation's programs, which promote youth sailing from beginning through advanced racing levels.

#### **1. Rules**

The race will be governed by current US Sailing Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)

#### **2. Classes**

Entrants are eligible to register for ONE Class. Organizing Authority reserves the right to assign or combine Classes if less than three entrants in a particular Class.

- PHRF
- OCR
- ARC
- Multi-hull
- One design (must have 3 boats)

#### **3. Advertising**

3.1 Competitor advertising will comply with RRS 80.

#### **4. Eligibility**

4.1 Each boat must be skippered by one person, who shall be at least 18 years of age by November 9, 2018.

4.2 Each boat entered must have a working marine VHF radio.

#### **5. Sailing Instructions**

Draft Sailing Instructions will be made available on [www.yachtscoring.com](http://www.yachtscoring.com). Final version will be available at Skippers' meeting.

#### **6. Start/Finish Area**

The Start and Finish will be on Biscayne Bay approximately 1 nm south of the Rickenbacker Bridge.

#### **7. The Course**

The course will be from the start line, 11.5nm south to a dropped Yellow tetrahedral mark in the vicinity of 25° 32.702N and 80° 12.987W, and back to the Start/Finish area just south of the Rickenbacker causeway9\

#### **8. Parking/Staging**

Very limited parking is available at the Miami Yacht Club. Car and trailer parking is available for a fee at the public boat ramp next to the Miami Yacht Club. It is a pay by cell phone lot. Competitors that wish to leave boats/trailers on MYC property must reserve a pass with the Club Manager. Passes will be provided on a first come, first served basis. Rigged boats can be left on the grass and beach area at the club overnight on Saturday but must be removed by the end of the day Sunday, except with special permission.

#### **8. Fees**

9.1 Early entry fee is \$70.

9.2 **Late** Entry fees (for registrations after 17:00 on October 24, 2018): is \$90.

No registration after 17:00 on Nov. 7 2018. Entry fee includes two tickets to the awards ceremony and party.

#### **9. Schedule of Events**

9.1 Wednesday, November 7, 2018

8:00 pm end of on-line registration

9.2 Friday, November 9, 2018

6:00 pm Skipper's Meeting.

9.3 Saturday, November 10, 2018

10:00 am Race Start

9.4 Friday, November 16, 2018

6:30 pm Patio Party

8:00 pm Awards

#### **10. Registration**

10.1 Competitors must complete ONLINE registration in order to participate.

(Look for event) Link to calendar: <http://www.mycyouthsailing.org/calendar.php>

10.2 There will be no paper registration. All entrants must register online for this event.

10.3 All registrations must be completed by Wednesday November 7, 2018.

#### **11. Prizes**

11.1 Prizes will be awarded to the first three finishers in each class.

#### **11. For more information Contact**

12.1 Race Committee Chair –Hans Evers 443-514-4968 or hansinholland@mac.com

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