2019 LA REGATA QUE NO IMPORTA (A SUPER FUN, LAID-BACK EVENT)

CORPUS CHRISTI YACHT CLUB

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June 6-9, 2019

NOTICE OF RACE

The Organizing Authority is the Corpus Christi Yacht Club (CCYC).

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1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current *Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 US Sailing Prescription V1 will apply.

2. ELIGIBILITY

The regatta is open to all who wish to compete.

3. ENTRY AND FEES

- 3.1 Entries shall be made online on <u>Yacht Scoring</u> at <u>https://yachtscoring.com/emenu.cfm?eID=7358</u> Only on-line entries will be accepted. Entry fee is \$200.00 USD per boat.
- 3.2 The entry fee includes the fee for launching, hauling, docking, and parking for boat trailers during the event. The entry fee also includes invitations to all social events for each boat. Social packages for coaches and/or guests will be available for purchase online and at registration.
- 3.3 Coach/Support boat/guest fee will be a fee of \$50.00 USD per person.

4. SCHEDULE & EVENTS

Thursday, June 6	1400-1800	Registration upstairs on the Lanai at CCYC
	1800	Welcoming comments and cash bar, Lanai
Friday, June 7	0900	Competitor's briefing, Lanai
	1100	Warning signal for first race of the day
Saturday, June 8	0900	Competitor's briefing
	1100	Warning signal for first race of the day
Sunday, June 9	0900	Competitor's briefing Lanai
	1100	Warning signal first race of the day
	ASAP	Awards and cash bar, Lanai

- 4.1 Three races (3) are scheduled for Friday and Saturday, and two (2) races are scheduled for Sunday. There will be a maximum of eight (8) races completed.
- 4.2 On the final day of the regatta, the initial warning signal for the final race will not be made after 1400 hours. The warning signal for a start following one or more General Recalls may be after 1400.

5. REGISTRATION AND MEASUREMENT

Each Competitor shall verify safety gear on their vessel and submit a Safety Declaration Form with their on-line registration.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available at registration, as well as on the regatta website, and posted on the official notice board, located upstairs on the Lanai at CCYC.

7. VENUE AND COURSES

- 7.1 All races will be sailed on Corpus Christi Bay.
- 7.2 The courses will be windward/leeward courses using inflatable drop marks.

8. SCORING

- 8.1 Four (4) completed races will constitute a regatta.
- 8.2 When six (6) or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

9. PRIZES

Awards shall be provided to the top five boats in the regatta. Additional prizes may be given at the discretion of the Organizing Authority.

10. COACH AND SUPPORT BOATS

All registered coach and support boats will carry on board and operate while on the water a VHF radio capable of transmitting and receiving on VHF Channels and agree to assist the Race Committee if directed to do so.

11. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS

- 11.1 The Race Committee intends to use VHF marine radio frequencies to broadcast courtesy information to competitors. The Race Committee's VHF channel will be provided at the competitors' briefing and posted on the official notice board.
- 11.2 All competitors shall carry a VHF radio per the Etchells class rules.

12. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

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

13. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$300,000 per incident or the equivalent.

14. PHOTOGRAPHY AND VIDEO RIGHTS

By participating in this event, competitors automatically grant to the Organizing Authority and the event sponsors the right, in perpetuity, to make, use, and show, at their discretion, any photography, audio and video recordings, and other reproductions of them made at the venue or on the water from the time of their arrival at the venue, until their final departure, without compensation.

15. ACCOMMODATION, AIRPORTS AND SITES OF INTEREST

- 15.1 For local accommodations in Corpus Christi, please see the Etchells Worlds website for hotel information (www.2019.etchellsworlds.org), or check listings on Airbnb or VRBO.
- 15.2 Airports include: Corpus Christi International Airport (**CRP**), located 15 minutes from CCYC; San Antonio International Airport (**SAT**), located 2.5 hours north of Corpus Christi; Houston Hobby Airport (**HOU**), located 3.5 hours northwest of Corpus Christi; and Houston Intercontinental Airport (**IAH**), located 4 hours northwest of Corpus Christi.

16. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact Shannon Bush by mobile +1-361-319-0142 or swmadero@aol.com