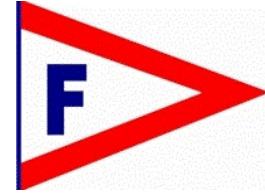




US SAILING RACE OFFICER TRAINING CERTIFICATION PROGRAM



ONE DAY RACE MANAGEMENT SEMINAR & TEST

Saturday, January 9th, 2010

The Florida Yacht Club

5210 Yacht Club Rd.

Jacksonville, FL

The Florida Yacht Club and US Sailing are sponsoring a US Sailing Basic Race Management Seminar on Saturday, January 9th, 2010 at The Florida Yacht Club, 5210 Yacht Club Road, Jacksonville, FL 32210. The seminar is designed for people who have some race committee experience. However, newcomers are also welcome. The seminar will be held in the Astor Room of The Florida Yacht Club and will begin at 0800 and end at 1700.

The principal instructor will be Carole Bardes, a US Sailing National Race Officer and Principal Race Officer of the Thistle Midwinter East Championship for the past several years. Carole also serves on the Race Management and Race Officer Training committees of US Sailing.

The topics covered include: RC objectives, RC responsibilities, sailing instructions, RC jobs, RC equipment, setting the course, starting system, starting penalties, before the start, during the race, finishing, and scoring.

At the seminar, you will need to bring your own copy of The Racing Rules of Sailing ("RRS") for 2009-2012, and you will be provided with the latest version of Join the Race Committee Team. The seminar study questions are on the US Sailing website (www.ussailing.org/racemgt/documents/RMSStudy-Basic.pdf). You should complete the study questions to the seminar prior to the seminar beginning.

The objective test, which is given at the conclusion of the seminar, is optional. However, in order to be certified in the US Sailing Race Officer Program, you are required to attend a basic seminar and pass the test at the required level. In order to be a Certified Club Race Officer you will need your own copy of the current US Sailing Race Management Handbook, and meet the program's other criteria.

The workshop fee (\$60.00) includes: continental breakfast, lunch, snacks and beverages during two breaks, and all workshop materials. The fee for the test is included in this price for US Sailing members. Non-US Sailing members must pay an additional \$30.00 to take the test. Those wishing to become certified should consider joining US Sailing (http://membership.ussailing.org/Membership_Options.htm) prior

to the seminar as membership is a requirement for certification. You may register online or use the enclosed registration form. For further information, contact Ryland Weber, Waterfront Director at The Florida Yacht Club (904-387-9683) or rweber@thefloridayachtclub.org.

Advance registration is required and the number of participants is limited to 48. The deadline for advance registrations is January 1st, 2010.

US SAILING RACE MANAGEMENT SEMINAR
REGISTRATION CONFIRMATION

TO: The Florida Yacht Club
Attn: Ryland Weber
5210 Yacht Club Road
Jacksonville, FL 32210

Please confirm my registration for the US SAILING Race Management Seminar on Saturday, January 9th, 2010.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email address: _____

US Sailing #: _____

FYC Member #: _____

A mailing address is required for test results. If you supply an email address we will email you the materials needed to prepare for the seminar. Please check the following appropriate payment box(es).

- FYC member seminar registration fee \$25.00
 - Non-member seminar registration fee \$60.00
 - US Sailing member test cost - free \$0.00
 - Non-US Sailing member test cost - \$30.00
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- My check payable to The Florida Yacht Club is enclosed.
 - Please charge my Florida Yacht Club account.