



NOTICE OF NFCC FALL RIVER RACE
FCSA Series #4 of 4
Saturday, October 10, 1pm 2020
Green Day Marker #9
North Florida Cruising Club
PO Box 24268 Jacksonville, FL 32241

Notice of Race

1.0 RULES

The Regatta will be governed by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RSS), the rules of First Coast Sailing Association and this NOR. These may be altered by the Sailing Instructions.

2.0 ELIGIBILITY

2.1 The race is open to all boats with a current PHRF certificate from First Coast Sailing Association (FCSA). www.sailjax.com

2.2 Boats that do not have a current PHRF rating assigned by FCSA may obtain a provisional rating (\$35.00 first-time annual fee) that will be submitted to FCSA for review and issuance of a Rating Certificate.

2.3 A boat participating in the Spinnaker or Non-Spinnaker Class shall have sail numbers on the mainsails, spinnakers, and all headsails with an LP exceeding 130% of J. A boat sailing in the Cruiser Class shall have an identifying sail number on her mainsail.

2.4 Eligible boats may enter by completing registration with North Florida Cruising Club which is the organizing authority (<http://www.nfccsail.com/events/>). Race entry form located at <http://www.sailjax.com/FCSA-Race-Entry.pdf>

2.5 Boats shall register in one of the following three classes: Spinnaker, Non-Spinnaker, or Cruiser Class. Boats will be scored in the FCSA Annual Series based on the class designated on its entry form.

3.0 CLASSES

3.1 Performance Classes: The performance classes will consist of a Spinnaker Class and a Non-Spinnaker Class. These classes may be further subdivided at the Race Committee's discretion if there is sufficient number of entries.

3.2 Cruiser Class: A Cruiser Class will be offered. Refer to PHRF Rules of FCSA definitions and rules pertaining to the Cruiser Class.

3.3 A Multihull Cruiser Class may also be formed provided there are at least three registrants. Refer to PHRF Rules of FCSA for rules pertaining to multihull cruisers.

4.0 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

4.1 Saturday, October 10: 12:00-12:30 p.m. Registration (at race committee boat anchored near green marker #9); 12:30 p.m. Competitors Meeting (via VHF radio channel 72); 12:55 p.m. Warning Signal.

5.0 ENTRY FEE/REGISTRATION

5.1 Entry fee is \$20 (cash or check) for members, \$25 for non-members, and accompanied by an entry form (Standard Race Entry Form available at (<http://www.sailjax.com/FCSA-Race-Entry.pdf>)). Boats may register between the hours of 12:00-12:30 p.m. on the day of the race by delivering registration and fee to the race committee on station.

6.0 COURSE

Course will be a single PHRF Time on Time race using government navigation marks or inflatable markers. Race course will be announced at competitors meeting.

7.0 SCORING THE RACE

7.1 Classes will be scored using PHRF Time on Time.

7.2 The Low Point scoring system of the RSS Appendix A will apply.

7.3 Results of this race will be forwarded to the First Coast Sailing Association for inclusion in the Annual Series scoring.

7.4 For scoring purposes a boat shall be considered in the starting area when it has checked in with the committee boat on station.

8.0 RACE PRIZES

First, second, and third place prizes will be awarded in each class and posted at nfccsail.com, sailjax.com, and announced at the NFCC general membership meeting October 15.

9.0 INFORMATION

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