

International Star Class Junior World Championship

February 3-6, 2019

Organized by the International Star Class Yacht Racing Association Hosted by Coral Reef Yacht Club Miami, Florida, USA



NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*.
- 1.2. The Prescriptions of US Sailing that will apply will be in the sailing instructions.
- 1.3. Appendix P will apply. RRS P2.2 and P2.3 will be deleted.
- 1.4. Appendix T will apply.
- 1.5. STCR 35.5 changes RRS 44.1 to a One-Turn Penalty, the changes will appear in full in the sailing instructions. The sailing instructions may also change other rules as approved by the ISCYRA if necessary.
- 1.6. Under RRS 87, STCR 23.7.3 is changed as follows: "A Junior is a person who will not have reached his or her 31st birthday before the first race of the event." This only applies to the skipper. This changes STCR 23.7.3 and will be posted on the ISCYRA website and the Official Notice Board.
- 1.7. The amendment to STCR 31.2.6 is in effect: boats may carry VHF radios for purposes of safety and for receiving race committee communication, including notification of OCS boats. Race Committee failure to notify, delay notification, and the order announced will not be grounds for redress.
- 1.8. If there is a conflict between languages, English text will take precedence.

ADVERTISING

2.1. Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies.

ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- Entries are open to all per STCR 26.5. It is required that participants join the ISCYRA, as Associate Members. Boats must comply with STCR 21
- 3.2 Eligible boats must enter by completing the on-line application by January 10, 2019. On-line application located at https://2019jrworlds.starchampionships.org
- Entries received after January 10th, 2019, will be subject to a late fee of \$50.00 and must be 3.3 approved by the Junior Worlds Organizing Committee.
- 3.4 Only skippers and crew eligible to compete under WS Eligibility Code, Regulation 19, are to compete in this regatta.
- 3.5 A Competitor is not entered and will not receive a score until: (a) All fees are paid; (b) Measurement and crew weight-in are completed; and, (c) Proof of Vessel insurance is provided.





4 FEES

- 4.1 The entry fee of USD \$250.00 includes the Star Class fee, boat and trailer parking, launching, hauling, and invitations to social events for skipper and crew.
- 4.2 Entry fees are due at time of entry, but not later than January 25th, 2019, and payable via credit card on the website checkout form.
- 4.3 The late entry fee of USD \$50.00 will be assessed entries received after January 10, 2019 deadline, given conformance to NOR 3.3.

5 OTHER FEES

5.1 Food voucher for each accompanying Guest and/or Support Person \$30.00 per Event evening.

6 SCHEDULE

Sunday, February 3, 2019	1500 – 1700 hrs.	Registration, Inspection of boats, Team Weigh-In
Monday, February 4, 2019	0800 – 0930 hrs.	Late Registration, Late Team Weigh-In
	0930	Competitor's Meeting
	1155 – 2 Races	First Warning Signal. Subsequent races to follow. Opening Ceremony, CRYC (dress code: Blazer & Tie)
Tuesday, February 5, 2019	1155 – 2 Races	First Warning Signal. Subsequent races to follow. Competitor & Guest Dinner
Wednesday, February 6, 2019	1125– 2 Races	First Warning Signal. No Warning Signal after 1400. Awards following racing

- 6.2 6 races are scheduled
- 6.3 One extra race per day may be sailed, provided that the regatta does not become more than one race ahead of schedule.

7 MEASUREMENT

- 7.1 Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate. In addition, the following equipment may be inspected life jackets, bailer, tow line, and paddle.
- 7.2 Teams shall demonstrate compliance with team weight limits in accordance with STCR 31.1.3 prior to end of inspection. Teams WILL NOT be subject to reweighing during the regatta.
- 7.3 Only boats that have completed registration, paid all entry fees and passed the prescribed measurement check procedure by Monday, February 4 at 0930 are entitled to race. The Jury may order that a boat re-checked during the regatta.

8 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available online at www.starclass.org January 15, 2019.



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9 VENUE

Racing will be on Biscayne Bay, approximately 2-4 nm south of Dinner Key Light.

10 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be in accordance with STCR 34.3.

11 PENALTY SYSTEM

Decisions of the international jury will be final as provided in RRS 70.5.

12 SCORING

- 12.1 The scoring system is the Low Point System of RRS A.
- 12.2 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 12.3 (a) When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
 - (b) When 5 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score. This changes RRS A2.1.

13 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall monitor VHF channel 71 and agree to assist the Race Committee if so requested.

14 BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places while they are in the boat park.

15 HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

Boats may be hauled out during the regatta.

16 RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency or for a boat that is retiring from a race, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats. [SEE ALSO NOR 1.6]

17 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows:

 $1^{st} - 5^{th}$ Overall, the event winning Skipper/Crew will have their names engraved on the Jr. Worlds perpetual trophy

Daily Race Finishes $1^{st} - 3^{rd}$

Top finishing skipper/crew who both meet age requirement of Championship

18 TEAM AND PRIVATE SUPPORT PERSONS AND BOATS

18.1 Boats shall receive no outside assistance from any support boats, including towing, once she has left the dock for the day until the finish of the last race of the day, except in the case of



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emergency and/or towing supplied by the OA and available to all participants.

18.2 Individual and support / coach boat shall be registered at the regatta registration table.

19 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

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

19 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be duly chartered (if applicable) and insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of \$300,000 per incident or the equivalent.

20 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please visit <u>www.starclass.org</u> or contact Austin Sperry, <u>austin@maritimepartnersllc.com</u>.



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