

# Ultimate 20 North American Championship

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May 17 – 20, 2012  
Pensacola Yacht Club  
Pensacola, FL

## NOTICE OF RACE

### 1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.

### 2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all Ultimate 20 Class boats as defined in the class rules.

2.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the online form at:

[https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet\\_registration\\_form.php?regatta\\_id=4839](https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet_registration_form.php?regatta_id=4839)

### 3 FEES

- 3.1 Entry fees are as follows: \$190. Early Registration (\$20 Discount for entries postmarked before March 1, 2012) Late Registration will incur a \$30 late fee (After May 1, 2012). A \$10.00 discount on entry fees is available for US SAILING OR Canadian Yachting Association members. Verification of membership is required.
- 3.2 Social Fee: See attached sign-up sheet (Attachment A).

### 4 SCHEDULE

- 4.1 Registration and Measurement: Thursday, May 17, 2012 From 1000 To 1700
- 4.2 Competitors' Meeting: Friday, May 18, 2012 At 1000
- 4.3 Dates of racing:
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| 5/18/12 | Five races attempted (Evening: Open Bar, Dinner at PYC)  |
| 5/19/12 | Five races attempted (Evening: Dinner event on the town) |
| 5/20/12 | Two races attempted (Evening: Reception, Dinner, Awards) |
- 4.4 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race each day is 1155.

### 5 MEASUREMENTS

Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate.

## **6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The sailing instructions will be available online after March 1, 2012, and on May 15, 2012, at the PYC sailing center.

## **7 VENUE**

7.1 Attachment B shows the location of the racing areas.

## **8 THE COURSES**

The courses to be sailed will be as follows: Dropped mark, Windward-Leeward and Triangular.

## **9 SCORING**

9.1 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

- 9.2 (a) When fewer than seven races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. This changes RRS A2
- (b) When eight or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score except that a DSQ will not be excluded. This changes RRS A2.
- (c) A boat that does not finish within the required time after the first boat in the class finishes will receive one point more than the number of boats finishing the race within the time limit provided that boat is not later disqualified or given redress. This changes RRS A4.1, A4.2 and A5.

## **10 BERTHING**

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

## **13 RADIO COMMUNICATION**

13.1 Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats.

## **14 PRIZES**

Prizes will be given as follows: If there are 15 or fewer boats in the regatta, trophies will be awarded to the top three finishers. If there are 16-20 boats, trophies will be awarded to the top four finishers. If there are more than twenty, five trophies will be awarded.

## **15 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.

**16 INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.

**17 FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information please contact PYC Fleet Captain, John Buziak Phone: 840-457-4142 or email: [buziakj@cpmechanics.com](mailto:buziakj@cpmechanics.com).

Registrant List:

[http://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet\\_registrant\\_list.php?regatta\\_id=4839&custom\\_report\\_id=43](http://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet_registrant_list.php?regatta_id=4839&custom_report_id=43)

Registrant Map:

[https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet\\_registered\\_map.php?ID=4839](https://www.regattanetwork.com/clubmgmt/applet_registered_map.php?ID=4839)