



**2024 Formula Waves at
CANDLER REGATTA
Notice of Race
June 1-2, 2024
St. Andrews Bay Yacht Club
Panama City, FL**

Organizing Authority and Host: St. Andrews Bay Yacht Club

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1 RULES

- 1.1 This event is sailed under the management of the St. Andrews Bay Yacht Club Race Committee.
- 1.2 This event is governed by the rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS)
- 1.3 The US Sailing Prescriptions to RRS 63.1 and 63.2 are deleted.
- 1.4 Appendix V (Alternative Penalties) of the RRS will apply.
- 1.5 RRS 60.1(a) is changed to prohibit a boat from protesting another boat for alleged breach of a class rule requiring class membership.

2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1 Sailing Instructions will be available at the registration table and on Regatta Network.

3. COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 On the water, the race committee may make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on the VHF radio. The channel will be stated in the SI's.
- 3.2 [DP] While racing, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 All Formula Class and Hobie Class Waves are eligible to participate in the regatta. Class membership is **not** required.
- 4.2 This is a Tier 3 Regatta and Membership in Good Standing in the respective class is required for points. .
- 4.3 Registration shall take place on-line at Regatta Network at <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/28176>, or on-site Saturday morning 0900- 1030.

5. FEES

5.1 Formula Wave or Hobie Wave-- \$40, After May 20 - \$50

6. CREW LIMITATIONS

6.1 A Junior Division may be offered if sufficient interest is shown

7. ADVERTISING

7.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the OA.

8. SCHEDULE

SATURDAY JUNE 1st

0900-1030 Registration and Check In under the deck
1100 Competitors Meeting front lawn of the sailing center
1225 Warning Signal Race 1 (Additional Races to Follow)

SUNDAY JUNE 2nd

1055 Warning Signal 1st Race of the Day (Additional Races to Follow)
1400 No Warning Signal After this Time
ASAP After Racing - Trophy Presentation under the deck

9. VENUE

9.1 The racing area will be St. Andrews Bay

10. SCORING

- 10.1 One (1) race is required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 10.2 In accordance with A2.1, when fewer than four (4) races have been completed, a boats series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 10.3 When four (4) or more races have been completed , a boat's score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- 10.4 Eight (8) races are planned, four (4) or five (5) on Saturday and four (4) or (3) on Sunday.

11. SUPPORT BOATS

11.1 Racing will be conducted close to the club, so spectator boats are encouraged, but they are requested to stay a respectable distance from the competitors and abide by all reasonable Race Committee requests.

12. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

12.1 Competitors participate in the regatta at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. Neither the Organizing Authority, nor the Host Club, shall accept any liability for material damage, personal injury, or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after this regatta.

13. SAFETY

13.1 All boats shall comply with United States Coast Guard and State safety equipment regulations. It is the responsibility of each skipper to determine if they should start a race, continue racing, or if wearing a life jacket is appropriate. This does not supersede any class rules or regulations that may require wearing life jackets while on the water.

14. PRIZES

14.1 Trophies will be awarded for first, second and third place for Wave Class, which consists of Formula Waves and Hobie Waves sailing together. Trophies may be awarded for additional junior finish places if a class is formed with three or more Juniors.

15. FURTHER INFORMATION

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