



Cayman Islands Sailing Club

International Invitational J/22 Regatta
11th – 15th March 2010

NOTICE OF RACE

1.0 Organising Authority

The organising authority is Cayman Islands Sailing Club, PO Box 32137 KY1-1208, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands.

2.0 Venue

The venue is North Sound, Grand Cayman. All sailing activity will be based at Cayman Islands Sailing Club. The regatta will be fleet racing and will be conducted in North Sound. Instructions and information will be given at the Skippers Briefing concerning the club and racing area.

3.0 Rules

The event will be governed by the 2009-2012 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the CISC Sailing Instructions as printed in the 2009/2010 Yearbook (to the extent there is no conflict with the RRS), the International Invitational J/22 Regatta 2010 Sailing Instructions and the current International J/22 class rules with the following exceptions:-

- a) Rule 8.9 of the J/22 Class Rules is amended to a maximum total crew weight of 705lbs. This also amends CISC General SI 16.
- b) Rule 2.8 of the J/22 Class Rules is deleted.
- c) CISC General SI 2 is deleted.
- d) When in conflict, the International Invitational J/22 Regatta 2010 Sailing Instructions predominate over the CISC SI's.

All boats shall carry a bow number for identification purposes only. No boat shall be hauled out at any time without permission of the Race Committee for the duration of the event.

4.0 Skippers, Crew, Allocation of Boats, Sails and Restrictions thereon and crew weigh in

- 4.1 Cayman Islands Sailing Club, through the generosity of our local J/22 owners will provide boats, which will be allocated to visiting teams by Boat Draw on Thursday 11th March 2010. All the boats being used in the regatta are privately owned by members of the local J22 fleet and are being loaned for the event. Sails may be provided but competitors are permitted and encouraged to bring their own set of J22 sails providing that those sails have a valid J22 measurement stamp. Competitors will have to clear all sails in and out through Cayman Islands Customs. Owners will sail their own boats and this will not constitute grounds for redress or protest. Competitors not sailing their own boats shall report any damage or loss of equipment to (i) CISC and (ii) the Relevant Owner at the first reasonable opportunity after the conclusion of the race concerned.
- 4.2 With the exception of a digital compass, Marine VHF radios, cellular phones and watches, no electronic instruments shall be carried on board when racing.
- 4.3 The nominated helm shall helm the boat for all races. Any changes must be notified to the Race Committee.

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- 4.4 The majority of the crewmembers shall be members of the club, and/or residents of the state or country which their team is representing.

5.0 Entry Fees and Damage Deposit

There is an entry fee of US\$300 per competitor. The entry fee covers all social events on the schedule with meals included, plus on-water lunch and bottled water for each day of racing (excludes practice day). Unless indicated otherwise, drinks are not included. Competitors may run a “tab” at CISC which must be settled prior to departure by cash or credit card (except Amex). An imprint of the credit card(s) will be taken at registration.

A US\$ 500 entry fee deposit must be paid by credit card on or before 31st October 2009. The deposit is refundable should a competitor decide to withdraw prior to 31st December 2009. The deposit will not be refunded after 31st December 2009. The balance of entry fees of US\$300 per competitor is due at registration, along with a US\$500 damage deposit. Social tickets for family members and supporters can be purchased at registration.

All fees and damage deposits to be paid prior to or at registration on Friday 12th March 2010.

6.0 Schedule of events -

Thursday 11th March

Official Opening Reception.
Boat Draw.

Friday 12th March

1200 Registration and Practice.
Crew weigh in.
Boats available.
1600 Practice Race
Happy Hour

Saturday 13th March

1000 Skippers Briefing – Races on each Race Day will be raced back-to-back with a minimum of 5 minutes between races.
1200 Races 1, 2, 3
Party at CISC

Sunday 14th March

1200 Races 4, 5, 6

Monday 15th March

1200 Races 7, 8, 9.
Prizegiving dinner

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7.0 Prizes

Prizes will be awarded for first, second and third place overall. There will be an Overall Perpetual International Invitational Regatta Trophy which shall remain at the Cayman Islands Sailing Club.

8.0 Accommodation and Car Rental

Hosted accommodation will be offered to all competitors on a first come first serve basis. Please see attached accommodation sheet for other accommodation options. Car rental is strongly recommended. Hosted accommodation requests should be submitted by **as early as possible**.

9.0 General Information

The following websites provide further information about Cayman Islands Sailing Club and visiting the Cayman Islands:-

www.sailing.ky
www.caymanislands.ky
www.gov.ky
www.caymanislands.com
www.gocayman.ky
www.caymanactivityguide.com
www.caymannewresident.com
www.caymangoodtaste.com

Island photos, including past regattas can be viewed at:-

<http://www.pbase.com/gwhite>
<http://www.infocusphotosltd.com/>

Airlines serving the Cayman Islands include:-

Cayman Airways www.caymanairways.com
American Airlines www.aa.com
Delta www.delta.com
NorthWest www.nwa.com
US Airways www.usairways.com
Air Canada www.aircanada.com
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