

SAISA HIGH SCHOOL TEAM RACING CHAMPIONSHIP

For the

ISSA BAKER TROPHY QUALIFIER

Ransom Everglades School

May 1-2, 2021

Sailing Instructions

SAISA Covid Protocols

Masks are mandatory by all individuals onsite at all times from event arrival until departure at the end of the day (no exceptions). After leaving the dock and while sailing, masks usage is strongly encouraged.

Support persons can be 1 coach/1 chaperone, 2 coaches or 2 chaperones.

It is critical to be mindful of how you feel, and particularly when ANY of the potential COVID-19 symptoms are present, to please stay home.

1. Rules:

- 1.1 The Regatta will be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing, the prescriptions of US Sailing, the ISSA Procedural Rules, the SAISA Supplemental Rules, the Notice of Race, and these Sailing Instructions. In the event of a conflict between the governing documents will take precedence.
- 1.2 The Organizing Authority (OA) is the South Atlantic Interscholastic Sailing Association (SAISA) in conjunction with Ransom Everglades School.
- 1.3 RRS D2.2 (a) is changed replacing the phrase "display a red flag" with "display an open hand".
- 1.4 RRS Appendix P is in effect modified per ISSA Procedural Rule 14(C).

2. Notice to Competitors: Official notices including changes to sailing instructions will be posted in tech score.

3. Schedule:

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| 3.1 | Saturday, May 1 | 0800 Check In, boat rigging
0900 Competitors Meeting
1000 First Warning |
| | Sunday, May 2 | 0930 First Warning
1500 No start after this time except sail-offs |

Changes to the sailing schedule will be posted on tech score.

4. Courses and Marks:

- 4.1 Courses will be in accordance with ISSA PR Appendix 6
- 4.2 All marks will be red inflatable balls.
- 4.3 In accordance with ISSA PR 7.7(c) after the starting signal, the race committee may change the position of any mark to maintain course configuration, provided that no boat is on that leg of the course. No signals are required (changes RRS 33)

5. Start, Finish, and Recalls:
 - 5.1 Races will start in accordance with ISSA PR 7.8(a)
 - 5.2 Individual recalls will be made in accordance with RRS Appendix U
 - 5.3 ISSA PR 7.8(b) shall not apply
 - 5.4 The start line will be between an orange flag on the Race finish boat and a nearby yellow inflatable mark.
 - 5.5 The finish line will be between a blue flag and a nearby yellow inflatable mark.
6. Breakdowns:
 - 6.1 Breakdown requests shall be filed in the same manner as protests.
 - 6.2 Breakdowns shall be scored in accordance with ISSA PR 12.2. Compensation shall be consistent with ISSA PR Appendix 3
7. Protests:

Protest Procedure will be in accordance with ISSA PR Part VI and RRS Appendix D2.2
8. Scoring:

Scoring will be in accordance with ISSA PR 12
9. Coaching:
 - 9.1 Coaches, team leaders, chaperones, advisors, parents, or other support personnel shall not go afloat on the published dates of the regatta, unless explicitly permitted by the regatta chairperson. The penalty for failing to comply may be the disqualification of all boats, competitors, and teams associated with the infringing personnel.
 - 9.2 Competitors may receive coaching, including assistance, equipment or sustenance, only from shore.
10. Safety:
 - 10.1 Competitors shall wear USCG approved lifejackets as outlined in Procedural Rule 2.2.
 - 10.2 A boat that retires from a race shall notify the race committee either before leaving the course, or if not possible, immediately after arriving ashore.
11. Format will be a double round robin. At any time during the event, the PRO in consultation with the OA and Chief Umpire can change or modify the format. All scores carry over.
12. Trophies
Prizes will be awarded to schools placing 1st, 2nd, and 3rd. The top 2 schools will receive invites to the 2021 ISSA Baker National Championship.