



**2016 SPERRY College Sailing Women's National Championship  
For the Gerald C. Miller Trophy**

San Diego Yacht Club & Pacific Coast Collegiate Sailing Conference  
San Diego, CA  
May 24-27, 2016

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## **NOTICE OF RACE**

### **1. RULES**

- 1.1. The Organizing Authority (OA) is the Inter-Collegiate Sailing Association in conjunction with hosts the San Diego Yacht Club and the Pacific Coast Collegiate Sailing Conference.
- 1.2. This regatta shall be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), ICSA Procedural Rules, ICSA Collegiate Dinghy Class Rules, General Conditions for the ICSA Championships, Conditions for the ICSA Coed Dinghy National Championship, and this Notice of Race, except as modified by the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.3. Procedural Rule 32 will be in effect.
- 1.4. The right to appeal a decision of the protest committee is denied per RRS 70.5 for the First Round.

### **2. PHOTOGRAPHY, CAMERAS AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT**

- 2.1. Boats may be required to carry cameras, sound equipment or positioning equipment as specified by the Organizing Authority.

### **3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 3.1. All First Round entrants must meet ICSA eligibility requirements and have qualified from their Conference Championship according to the Conditions for the event. Finals entrants must have qualified from the Women's National Championship First Round.
- 3.2. Entry fee is \$500 per team payable online to ICSA.
- 3.3. Teams shall register as soon as possible after their Conference Championship and no later than May 10 by completing the online registration and paying all fees.

### **4. SCHEDULE AND NUMBER OF RACES**

- 4.1. The regatta format for the First Round and for the Finals will be a single round robin as per ICSA PR 22 and the event conditions.
- 4.2. Schedule:

May 23	1800	Competitors' Briefing for First Round – San Diego Yacht Club
May 24	1030	First Warning





May 25		
	1030	First Warning
	1700	No Start Signal After
	1800	BBQ and Competitors' Briefing for Finals – San Diego Yacht Club
May 26		
	1030	First Warning
May 27		
	1030	First Warning
	1700	No Start Signal After
		Awards immediately following racing – Port of San Diego Pier

## 5. BOATS & EQUIPMENT

- 5.1. Collegiate Dinghy FJ's will be provided for competitors, who shall not modify any boat or cause them to be modified in any way. Competitors have the option of rigging the mainsheet purchase either 3:1 or 4:1.
- 5.2. The standing rigging shall not be adjusted.

## 6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available prior to the competitors' meeting and online at the event website.

## 7. RACING AREA

The Racing Area will be on the waters of San Diego Bay to the west of the Port of San Diego Cruise Ship Terminals.

## 8. SPECTATORS

- 8.1. There shall be a spectator exclusion zone (Addendum A). Spectators shall receive 1 warning upon entering the exclusion zone. The second entrance shall be cause for a protest by the OA against the affiliated team(s) under RRS41.
- 8.2. Spectator boats shall not dock at the rotation dock and spectators shall not enter the rotation area. This is considered a field of play and is only open to registered competitors and their coaches.

## 9. TROPHIES

- 9.1. The Gerald C. Miller Trophy will be awarded to the first place team.
- 9.2. The New England Women's Trophy will be awarded to the second place team.
- 9.3. The Ann Campbell Trophy will be awarded to the third place team.
- 9.4. The Madeline Trophy will be awarded to the low point skipper of the 'A' Division.
- 9.5. The Judy Lawson Trophy will be awarded to the low point skipper of the 'B' Division.

## 10. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

By participating in this event, competitors automatically grant to the Organizing Authority and the event sponsors the right, in perpetuity, to make, use and show, at their discretion, any photography, audio and video recordings, and other reproductions of them made at the venue or on the water from the time of their arrival at the venue, until their final departure, without compensation.

## 11. FURTHER INFORMATION

Visit <http://2016nationals.collegesailing.org/> or contact:  
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## ADDENDUM A

Spectator Exclusion Zone

