

# DragonForce 65 Class

## 2019 National Championship Regatta

### NOTICE OF RACE

South County Park, 670 Cooper Street, Punta Gorda, Florida

November 16 & 17, 2019

Hosted by Sun Coast Model Sailing Club

AMYA Club No.211, Region 7

**Rules:** The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (2017-2020) (RRS), as modified by Appendix E – Radio Sailing Rules, the Equipment Rules of Sailing (ERS), DF 65 Class Rules, and by the Sailing Instructions.

**Eligibility:** The regatta is open to all DF 65 Class boats (Note: not RG65) whose owners are current members of AMYA (or their National Authority) and who are properly registered with the USCOA.

**Location:** Racing will be held at South County Park, 670 Cooper St. in Punta Gorda, Florida

**Entry:** Eligible boats may enter online (<https://www.theamya.org/regatta/>) or by submitting a legibly completed Entry Form (below) and paying entry fee of \$65.00. Deadline for entries is at check in on November 16. Entries postmarked after November 1st will be accepted but entries may not receive commemorative gifts. Entries shall be mailed to Howard Means, 1529 Suzi Street, Punta Gorda, FL 33950. Entry fee includes Saturday and Sunday donuts, coffee, and lunch, as well as drinks & snacks both afternoons.

**THE REGATTA WILL BE LIMITED TO 46 BOATS.** Entries received after the initial 46 will be put on a waiting list. Your check will be held if you are on the waiting list.

**Sailing Instructions:** Sailing instructions will be available on the SCMSC web site ([www.suncoastmodelsailingclub.net](http://www.suncoastmodelsailingclub.net)) at least two weeks prior to the event.

# Schedule:

## Friday, November 15

- 1300-1600 Early Check in and practice races

## Saturday, November 16

- 0800-0900 Check in
- 0900 Skipper's meeting
- 0930 First warning signal
- ~1215 Lunch break – Lunch provided to competitors and paid guests
- 1300 Racing resumes
- 1530 No warning signals after this time

## Sunday, November 17

- 0900 Skipper's meeting
- 0930 First warning signal
- ~1215 Lunch break – Lunch provided to competitors and paid guests
- 1300 Racing resumes
- 1500 No warning signals after this time
- Awards following last race

Racing format: Two seeding races will be run to determine fleets splits for the Promotion/Relegation races. Only the better of the two seeding races will be included in the final score. There will be a rescue boat on hand to assist boats.

Scoring: The regatta will be scored using Promotion/Relegation System. If there are 1-7 races, no discards; 8-15 races, 1 discard; 16-23, 2 discards; 24 or more, 3 discards, etc. This changes RRS A2.

Prizes: AMYA gold Chevrons will be awarded to the top three finishers in the regatta. The number of trophies will depend upon the number of entries.

Measurements: Measurement of battery weight and class authenticity verification will be conducted at check in.

Telemetry: Except for the boat's battery charge state, all other telemetry, including imaging and positioning, is prohibited.

Mail Entry to: Howard Means, 1529 Suzi Street, Punta Gorda, FL 33950.

Additional Information not part of this Notice of Race: Guests are welcome but will be charged \$10 for food & drink. Commemorative T Shirts will be provided to sailors registered by November 1<sup>st</sup>. Guests may order them for \$22 each.

# DF65 Class 2019 National Championship Regatta, Entry Form

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ AMYA Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Sail Number: \_\_\_\_\_ All boats must have properly numbered sails as reflected in the Sailing Instructions for this event.

2.4 GHz: \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Fee \$65 Per Boat \_\_\_\_\_

Number of guests for Food & Drink \_\_\_\_\_ \$10 Per Guest \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size (S, M, L, XL, 2XL) \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Shirts. Specify Sizes

\_\_\_\_\_ \$22 Each \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

Please make check payable to the SCMSC and postmarked on or before November 1st. The fee includes Saturday & Sunday donuts and coffee, lunches in afternoons, plus drinks & snacks. In consideration of accepting this entry, I hereby for myself, my guest(s), my heirs, executors, and administrators, waive and release any and all rights to claim damages that I may have or acquire against the Host, Sponsor Clubs, its members, and the American Model Yachting Association, or its members, from any claim for injury or other damages to me, my family or my guests during this regatta's events. I agree to be bound by The Racing Rules of Sailing and by all other rules that govern this event.

Participant's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail completed form and check to  
Howard Means, 1529 Suzi Street, Punta Gorda, FL 33950.