



FALL 2017 TREASURE COAST OPTI SERIES

US SAILING Center Martin County (USSCMC) along with the Treasure Coast Youth Sailing Foundation (TCYSF), the Youth Sailing Association of Indian River County (YSF), the Palm Beach Sailing Club (PBSC) and the Melbourne Yacht Club (MYC) are excited to announce the dates of the Fall 2017 Opti Series.

The fall 2017 series will bring youth sailors from the Treasure Coast and surrounding areas together for fun, consistent racing and comradery at a level suitable for beginner to intermediate sailors. There will be 2 divisions in every regatta in the series: a gold fleet and a silver fleet. The silver fleet is geared towards sailors with 0-1.5 years sailing experience and is appropriate for even the most novice sailors.

SERIES DATES:

- **Regatta #1 – TCYSF (Fort Pierce) Sunday, September 24, 2017**
Register at: http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/15358#_home
- **Regatta #2 – USSCMC (Jensen Beach) Sunday, October 15, 2017**
Register at: <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/15421>
- **Regatta #3 – PBSC (Palm Beach) Sunday, October 22, 2017**
Register at: will be posted to regatta network.
- **Regatta #4- MYC (Melbourne) Sunday, November 12, 2017**
Register at: will be posted to regatta network.
- **Regatta #5 - USSCMC (Jensen Beach) Sunday, November 19, 2017**
Register at: <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/15422>

All of the regattas in the series are stand-alone regattas as well as being part of the overall series. Individual regatta scores will be compiled to determine the series winners – competitors do not need to register separately for the series. USSCMC will award trophies for each division for the series. The winner of the series in the Opti Gold fleet will be awarded the Treasure Coast Champion Perpetual Trophy.

The series will allow throw-outs so that if a sailor is unable to attend one of the regattas in the series, he or she will not be penalized and can still win or place in the series. ***It is the goal of the series to encourage participation among all Treasure Coast Opti sailors, even those who may not be able to attend all 5 regattas in the series.*** The Series NOR is posted here: <https://www.usscmc.org/sites/default/files/NOR%20-%20TC%20Youth%20Regatta%20Series%20Fall%202017.pdf>

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