



April 23 to May 2, 2015***February Newsletter**
Join us for the 47th Annual Regata to Isla Mujeres

Visit www.regatadelsolalsol.org for more information

Important Information...

Entry Fee \$1150 from January 1 thru February 28, 2015
Entry Fee \$1350 from March 2 thru April 6, 2015

The Entry fee incl.\$350 Mexican government fees & customs charges, transponder rental, regatta shirts & regatta event tickets. An additional \$35 (subject to change) Immigration Tourist Visa Fee per crew member must be paid for each person entering Mexico by boat. More information will follow.

Final entry deadline is April 6, 2015. No entries after this date.

The Yacht Club with the **MOST** participants in the 2015 Isla Mujeres race will win a special prize!! The yacht Club with the most registrations and attendees for the race wins! You do not have to race to be counted...this includes **ALL** Attendees.

So round up your fellow yacht club friends and join us

on the beautiful Island of Isla Mujeres!

Contest



The Challenge is on for each Yacht Club....

To see who has already entered go to the participant list on the website. This is located in the menu item—Regatta info

Mexico Temporary Importation Permit

The Mexico Authorities have informed us, that everyone **must have** a Temporary Importation Permit again for the regatta. This permit is good for 10 years. If you have a permit already, and if it has not expired then you are good to go. The cost is \$53.00 USD (\$742.00 PESOS). For more information Go to the website at www.regatadelsolalsol.org-click on Newsletters and then January 2015. See the left hand column.

You will also need a current West Florida PHRF certificate. For application and information, go to www.westfloridaphrf.org

St. Pete Activities

Join us for the Regatta Bon Voyage Party

Date: Thursday, April 23th

* Time: 6: 30 PM-Skippers Meeting then Dinner

* Place: St. Petersburg Yacht Club Ballroom

• **Friday April 24 1000 Start of the Race**

• **Saturday thru Tuesday** Arrival of Ships, Family & Friends

• **Tuesday, April 28** – Island gathering TBA

• **Wednesday, April 29** – Begin the Poker Run 10 AM

1:00 PM Skipper & Navigators Reception & Crew Party

7:00 PM Traditional Basketball Game

• **Thursday, April 30** Bally Hoo's Party (May change) 12:30 PM

3:30-4:30 End of Poker Run – at Cabanas Maris del Mar

7:00 PM—Mayor's Reception

• **Friday, April 30**—Amigos Regatta (details on arrival)

Cocktail Party 7:00 PM

Awards Dinner 8:00 PM

Schedule is subject to change

Island Activities

Safety at Sea

US Sailing Sanctioned ISAF Safety At Sea Seminar

4/18/2015 - 4/19/2015

The St. Petersburg Yacht Club is proud to announce that they will be hosting a US Sailing Sanctioned Safety at Sea Seminar on April 18 & 19, 2015. Please contact Kathy Ahern by e-mail ahern.jka@gmail.com or phone 727-521-2607

if you wish to participate in either the one day or two day event.

Ph: 410-269-0741 Moderator: Chuck Hawley.

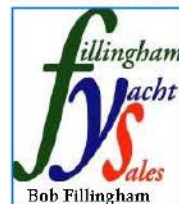
This event does plan to offer an Optional, Second Day of Practical Hands on Training to qualify for ISAF Certification. The two day offering meets the 2015 Transatlantic Race requirements.



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